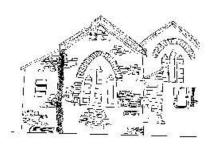
BRANSCOMBE C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 14 / 15 7 Friday 24th October 2014







Dear Parents,

I have been in contact this week with contractors from South West Water and DCC regarding a road closure that is taking place between 3rd November 2014 and 27th February 2015. The closure is taking place from Higher Barn to The Old Cider House. I have attached a letter and map regarding this which I was given by the contractors. This explains a one way system which they are putting in place. However, this is a long way round and I do have concerns that many people will use Northern Lane (the lane on which the school is situated) as their alternative route.

I have asked DCC to provide additional signage to highlight that there is a school and to drive with care. They have agreed to do this. I have also asked that the one way route is a priority for gritting in the bad weather. Apparently this is not possible, however, I will continue to ask for this due to this route being much steeper than the road that is being closed.

If you have any further concerns regarding the road closure and its effect on the children at school please let me know and I will pass your comments on to the teams that I have been in communication with.

Please don't forget to allow extra time for your journey to school on the first day back after half term (Tuesday 4th November).

Thank you for all your continued support.

God bless and have a lovely half term break.

Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Branscombe School

Questions for the week

Class 1: Which foods do you like to eat at Halloween and on Bonfire Night?

Class 2: How would you have supported and encouraged your fellow soldiers to keep up morale?

Key Dates:

Mrs Gray will be in school on Wednesday and Thursday in the week following half term.

Tuesday 4 th November	Children return from half-term
Friday 7 th November	Fireworks party, 6pm behind Branoc Hall
Sunday 9 th November	Remembrance Sunday service, St Winifred's Church 10.55am
Monday 10 th November	PTFA Cake Sale
Tuesday 11 th November	Remembrance Day
Friday 21 st November	School Photographs
Monday 1 st December	Christingle service
Thursday 11 th December	School Meals Christmas Lunch
Monday 15 th December	Christmas Performance

PTFA Cake Sale

The PTFA would like to thank everyone who has signed up for the cake sale rota. The next sale will take place on Monday 17th November, and Louisa has kindly offered to provide the cakes. Cake sales will usually take place on the first Monday of the month.

Branscombe Fireworks Party

This will take place on Friday 7th November from 6pm behind the Branoc Hall. There will be a bar, a BBQ and a raffle. The event is free, but donations will be gratefully received.

Football Club

The last after school football club will take place on Friday 7th November.