

**BRANSCOMBE C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**NEWSLETTER 05-17**  
**FRIDAY 13<sup>th</sup> January 2006**

**WELCOME SERVICE**

I am really looking forward to the service on Sunday and hope that you will be able to join me for this special day. The children have been enthusiastically learning a new hymn and some of the children have written some lovely prayers that have really made me smile!

The service starts at 11.15 at St. Winifred's Church and will be followed by a Bring and Share lunch at the Village Hall.

**FISH CLUB**

This term's Fish Club will start again next week on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January. It will run each Tuesday from 3.15 until 4.15.

**MEAL TIME ASSISTANTS**

We are still desperate for people to work with the children at lunch times. We are trying to improve the variety of activities that children can take part in during the lunch break but we cannot do this without the full number of Meal Time Assistants. If you, or any of your friends and relatives, could be available for any of the lunch times please let Dawn or Mrs Gray know.

**PTFA CHRISTMAS FAYRE**

Thank you to everyone who helped and attended the Christmas Fayre, making it a lovely evening for the children. We made a profit of £4441.51... Brilliant!!

*Julie Webb (Chair of PTFA)*

**Term Dates**

Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Half Term
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	Last Day of Spring Term
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	Start of Summer Term
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	May Day Bank Holiday
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> – 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Half Term
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Last Day of Summer Term
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	Beginning of Academic Year 2006/2007

## SCHOOL UNIFORM

Some children are coming to school in clothes and shoes that do not match our school uniform list. Included below is the appropriate section from the prospectus so that everyone has an accurate school uniform list. Please could you encourage your children to dress accordingly.

Girls	Navy blue Branscombe Sweatshirt (available to purchase from school) Pale blue polo shirt Mid-grey skirt or school trousers (not black) <b>Socks or Opaque tights of a subdued colour (eg grey, blue, white or black)</b> Blue and white checked dress (Summer\warm months only) or <b>Black or dark blue shoes (not trainers, boots, shoes with open toes or heels)</b>
Boys	Navy blue Branscombe Sweatshirt (available to purchase from school) Pale blue polo shirt Mid grey trousers, long or short (not black) <b>Socks of a subdued colour (eg grey, blue, white or black)</b> <b>Black or dark blue shoes (not trainers, boots, shoes with open toes or heels)</b>

Make-up, including nail varnish, should not be worn. If ears are pierced, only studs may be worn (one per ear) which **must be removed for PE**. In the interests of safety **no other jewellery** including body piercing items is allowed.

All personal items should be clearly named. Clothing should be named with sew-in labels.

**If your child is unable to wear the correct uniform, please send in an explanatory note.**

Please note that due to restricted cloakroom space we ask you not to send belongings in **large bags**. Similarly for safety reasons we do not wish children's property to be brought to school in **plastic carrier bags**.