

NEWSLETTER

20th November 2009

Art Exhibition

On Monday, an exhibition of our children's art work takes place after school in the school hall. Every child has completed a piece of artwork which has been framed and will be displayed in the school. Art work will be available to buy if parents wish to.

Book Fair

The book fair will be in school next week. On Monday the fair will be in the school hall alongside the art exhibition. On Tuesday and Wednesday it will be in the area behind green square (outside Miss Collins' and Mrs Stewart's classrooms). The fair will be open after school until 4.15pm. An ideal opportunity to get some Christmas presents!

Warrington Football Final

Last week our football team took part in the Warrington Football 5-a-side finals, representing Birchwood schools. At short notice we were also invited to take a girls' team to compete. The girls' managed to win one of their games and draw two. The boys won four games, drew one and lost two. As always, the teams competed well and represented the school excellently. **Kieren Reeves** and **Rachel Snape** were selected for special awards at the end of the competition.

School Council at the Town Hall

On Monday, fifteen of our School Council will be taking part in the latest Birchwood Learner Voice Conference at the Town Hall.

On Wednesday, three of our School Councillors have been invited to attend and speak at the launch of Warrington's Anti Domestic Violence initiative, also at the Town Hall. The children have been invited to talk about the work they are doing to raise money for Warrington Women's Aid. They will continue their fundraising by selling cakes to all of the delegates at the event. Two cyclists on a sponsored bike ride for the charity will also be

calling at school that morning for a press photo with some of our children.

School Council Pyjama Day for Children in Need

Of course, today is 'Pyjama Day' at school to raise money for Children in Need, one of the School Council's nominated charities for the year.

Thanks to all of you who have supported this event.

Gifted and Talented Event

Mrs G. Robinson has led an event today at Gorse Covert School. A group of children from Y3 and Y4 took part in a range of problem solving activities.

PTA Events

The PTA will be hosting a 'Christmas Bingo' night on Friday 4th December (admission is free!). There will be tombola, craft stall, raffle & refreshments.

On Saturday 5th December the PTA have organised a 'table top' sale at the Thomas Risley church from 11.00am until 2.00 pm. Table reservations (£5) may be pre-booked by contacting Julie Holt (828630).

Children's Corner

This week's literacy work, printed overleaf, is by Ellis Bird in Miss Brocklehurst's Y3/4 class.

Happy Birthday

The following children have had birthdays in the past 2 weeks;

Charlotte Comfort	~11
Aiden O'Neil-Fitch	~10
Harrison Conway	~ 9
Sean Mellor-Savage	~ 9
Chloe Hancock	~ 7
Reece Demet	~ 6
Daniel Williams	~ 5

Happy Birthday to them all!