



Kentisbury Primary School Newsletter

(Part of the West Exmoor Federation)

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Dear Parents/Carers

Visits

We have been fortunate enough to have had PCSO Karen in to school again. She came and helped us with our times tables and also talked about hoax 999 calls.

Heather Wheeler has also been in to talk to year 5 and 6 about transition and provided the children with a transition booklet.

UNICEF

We raised £16 for UNICEF on our non-school uniform day.

Exeter City Football Club - Centre of Excellence

The club is inviting talented football players to an open training session. The day is for boys in year two who are not currently involved with any professional football club. The training session is free of charge and will be taking place at the Exeter City Football Club Cat and Fiddle Training Ground. The session for the children will take the format of some training and some small-sided games and will take place on Wednesday 17th February 2010 between 1pm and 2.30pm. The training will take place on grass so players will need to wear the appropriate footwear clothing, shin pads and have plenty of fluids to drink during the session. The day is aimed at helping to develop local young players and giving them an opportunity to possibly progress into the Exeter City Centre of Excellence Advanced Development Centre. If you are interested please see the link for a letter: <http://www.devon.gov.uk/sc->

[feb103014a.pdf](#) If you have any queries please contact: chris.eveleigh@exetercityfc.co.uk or call 07773446592 or 01392 233883

Talks

Year 5/6 received a visit from Mr Peacock this week to talk about his career as a church organ maker. Mr Peacock is one of many speakers who will be coming in to school to talk to the children about the jobs they have and how they got there. There will be a wide variety of people with differing backgrounds, jobs and journeys. Today they heard from Nicola Saunders, the Warden of Lundy Island.

Orienteering

Year 4/5 will be visiting Ilfracombe College on Thursday 25th February for an orienteering morning. This event has always been highly successful in the past with the children having a great deal of fun.

Rodds Electrical

The Assistant Manager of Rodds Electrical in Barnstaple, Andrew Blanche, has written to us to say that for a year from April 1st 2010 to April 1st 2011 we can use them to earn money towards our school's supplies. When a member of staff from the school or a member of the PTA makes a purchase from Rodds Electrical, we will earn the school money. (Purchases can either be for your school or for yourselves). When we spend between £200 - £500 the school earns £10, when we spend between £500 - £1000 the school earns £20, when we spend £1000 or more the school earns £50. We will be emailed each

month to keep updated with how much the school is earning. When a purchase is made proof of identification for the school will be required.

A message from PCSO Grace 'Attention: Lyn Community Fun Evening - Friday May 21ST 5pm - 9.30PM at Holman Park Lynton. Put this date in your diaries now and note the earlier start time, there is a reason for it and you will have to be there for 5pm to find out who our special visitor might be. For further information contact Grace Cleverdon, PCSO 30366, Lynton, Lynmouth & Exmoor Communities, Lynton Police Station, Lee road, Lynton, EX35 6BP. 01598 752209 grace.cleverdon@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk

Pre-School sessions

Kentisbury and Parracombe Pre-School are holding free drop in sessions on February 22nd, March 29th and April 26th - 1pm until 2.45pm.

School Nurse

The nurse will be in on 23rd February to measure reception and year 6.

School Photos

Photos will be taken on 24th February.

Yr6 visit to Ilfracombe College

On 24th February year 6 are going to Ilfracombe College for a taster day. Please can the children bring £1.50 for lunch.

Kind Regards,
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