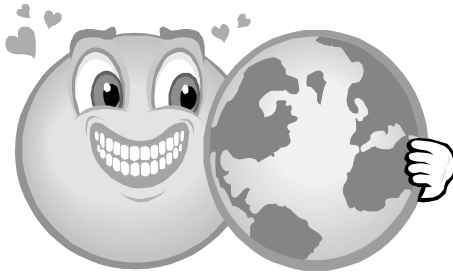


16th January 2009

MULTI CULTURAL WEEK

Thank you to the volunteers who have offered to help out on Thursday 12th February with the Round Robin Activities for our Multicultural Event.

If any more parents can spare a few hours to help move children from class to class we would be most appreciated. Please advise the office, or write in your child's class diary, if you are available to help.

STARS OF THE TERM

Each term, class teachers can recognize children who have made a special effort in their work or in other ways. These pupils' photos are displayed on the Term Stars Board in the reception area of the school. For the Autumn Term of 2008, the following pupils were named as stars:

Holly Class – James Allen
Elm Class - Craig Alexander
Oak Class - Jamie O'Sullivan-King
Maple Class - Jean-Claude Khamies
Beech Class - Alex Bridger
Willow Class - Sophie-Jo Gaughran
Hazel Class - Thomas Tyler
Ash Class - Charlie Adams
Palm Class - Ryan Healy



Well done to all of these pupils.

RAFFLE TICKETS

The PFA are holding a New Year Raffle to raise funds. The tickets will be sent out to parents shortly. Please return any unsold tickets to the office. If you would like to purchase/sell some more to family and friends, please let us know and we will send some more out to you. Thank you.

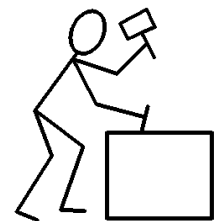


PARENTS' EXPERIENCES

Thank you to the parent who shared their family's good experience of a visit to the Queen's Theatre in last week's newsletter. If other parents have stories to tell about good services or facilities received in the local area, please pass them on so that we can share your experiences in the newsletter with other parents.

YEAR 11 WORK EXPERIENCE

This term, our year eleven pupils are currently learning all about the world of work during their three weeks of very useful work experience at various organisations such as Wanderers Haven, Tesco and Cartridge World as well as visiting various other organisations in the local area.



SWIMMING SESSIONS AVAILABLE

Coopers Company and Coborn School are offering swimming lessons to non-swimmers at Corbets Tey School commencing 2nd March, on Monday and Thursday mornings, for six weeks. Children who participate will need to be brought to Coopers by parents/carers, to be ready to swim at 8.20am. Parents will not be required to swim/assist with swimming but will need to stay to help their child get dressed/undressed. Coopers will bring all participants to Corbets Tey School at the end of the session and they should arrive back at school by 9.30am. Swimmers will be assisted by 6th form students at Coopers. If you feel that your child can be adequately supervised by a 6th form student in the water, and you would like your child to be included in these sessions, please contact Jackie Bird in Beech Class.