



West Cliff
Primary School
Newsletter
07.11.13



Celebration Assembly

We will be holding our celebration assembly on Friday at 9.05 in the hall. Please attend if you possibly can if your child is receiving a certificate.

Puffin	~	Elise Leadley
Starfish	~	Billy Randell
Turtles	~	Reece Watson
Penguins	~	Iris De Villiers-Herdman
Seahorses	~	Cairn Hutchinson
Dolphins	~	Sidonie Inglis
Seals	~	Dylan Skilbeck

Magic Monday

Chicken fajitas, cheese & onion Catherine wheel with chocolate krispie cake to follow.

Friday Film Night:

Don't forget that tomorrow night (Friday 8th) is Film night in fun club ~ we will be showing 'The Voyage of the Dawn Treader' and enjoying eating popcorn. Feel free to come and watch for £5. Children need picking up at 5.15.

Ocean Fun Club

Monday ~	Science Night
Tuesday ~	Sponge painting
Wednesday ~	Autumn Leaves
Thursday ~	Photo jigsaw making
Friday ~	Film night 'Horrid Henry The Movie'

Book early to avoid disappointment. Cost £5.

Ocean Fun Club has a range of activities on offer every night; we have Wii challenges, board games, KS1 and KS2 toys and a creative table.

Please book your child into Fun Club in advance, and send the money in when you book.

Homework Project

Homework projects will be sent out tomorrow.

Parent's Evening- Reminder

We will be holding parent's evening on Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th November. Letters for appointments have been sent out.

Poppies

Poppies will be on sale in school for children and parents to buy this week and next.

Vintage Car Show

Thank you to all the children and parents who came to help fundraise at the Vintage Car Show. Special thanks to Thomas Laxton, Fiona Price and Skye Kelly for helping the year 6 children. We had a fabulous day and raised a staggering £1700!! . Thank you to Mr and Mrs Tookey who held the event in aid of our school.

Halloween Disco

Thank you to everyone who supported our Halloween disco. This raised a fantastic £194.50.

Uniform

The whole school is looking very smart at the moment, with the exception of footwear! We do ask that black school shoes are worn to school, or PLAIN black trainers. Our older boys in particular seem to be wearing an assortment of coloured trainers. These are not acceptable for school, and will certainly not be acceptable when these children go to secondary school in the near future.

Can I also ask that children do not wear nail varnish to school on their fingernails, and that they wash off any temporary tattoos that they have on!

Children in Need

It is that time of year again! This year we are fundraising on Friday 15th November by coming to school in our nightwear (onesies or pyjamas!). We would appreciate it if children could bring a donation of £1 towards this very worthy appeal. Coloured wristbands are also on sale from Mrs Grady at £1 each.

Anti Bullying Week

We will be taking part in Anti Bullying Week from Monday 18th November. Children will be looking at cyber bullying in particular and how to keep themselves safe on the internet. Friday 22nd November will be a wear blue day to raise awareness, but we would also ask that children bring a bottle (shampoo, coke, perfume etc!) for a bottle tombola at our Christmas Fair.

The School We'd Like' competition

We are planning to enter a competition to win £5000 to improve our school. The judges will be looking for an idea which meets the following criteria:

It will benefit **pupils**, the **school** and the **local community**;

It will be **creative**;

It will be supported by **pupils, parents, staff** and **governors**.

It will have **long-term benefits** for the school.

We will be collecting ideas from pupils, staff and governors in school but would love to hear what parents would like to see the money spent on.

Possible ideas could be:

A covered area in the playground for those rainy days; Opportunities for adults and children to learn together (e.g. ICT, cooking or sporting skills).

We hope you will share your ideas, however big or small they might be. Please either pass a message on to your child's class teacher or complete one of the slips in the reception area to tell us how you think the money should be spent.

Christina Zanelli
Headteacher