



William Penn Newsletter 9th October 2014

Harvest Festival Parents' Assembly

On Monday 13th October we will be holding our Harvest themed Parents' Assembly at 2.15pm. This will be followed by the sale of produce. On the morning of Monday 13th October, we will be putting together a display of produce and would kindly ask for donations such as flowers, cakes, preserves, groceries, fruit, vegetables, bread or similar such items that you can spare. After the Harvest Assembly, you are invited to buy the produce at our Harvest sale in order to raise funds for our charity Kids for Kids. We look forward to welcoming you.



e-Safety – Keeping your children safe

PC Keeley led a presentation and discussion regarding e-safety on Tuesday of this week. Please find some information accompanying this newsletter for the interest of those of you that were not able to attend.

Sainsbury's School Games Award

We are pleased to announce that the school has been awarded the Sainsbury's School Games Award. The Sainsbury's School Games Mark is a Government led awards scheme launched in 2012 to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community. We would like to thank Mrs Jacques for leading this initiative in school.



Blue Peter Badges

Blue Peter badges are still awarded to children for particular achievements and good works. You may like to view the following link to see whether there is a possibility that your child might be able to achieve a badge.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/articles/about-blue-peter-badges>

Blue Peter badges are a fantastic means for children to receive recognition of their efforts, amazing for their self-confidence and also financially very worthwhile having as badge owners can gain free entry into over 200 [Blue Peter Badge Attractions](#) around the country, like theme parks, zoos and castles.

Clothing Collection

Many thanks for bringing in your clothing and textiles for the charity/fundraising collection earlier this week. If you missed the collection it is not too late as there will be a second collection next Tuesday 14th October.

Christmas Cards

On Friday, the children will be designing Christmas cards that will be produced and available to purchase after half term.

Fairtrade

The children have recently been learning about Fair Trade. If you would like to follow up on this at home, there is a Fair Trade Christmas Market on Saturday 29th November 2014 in St. John's Roman Catholic Church Hall in the centre of Horsham – just 50 meters off the main shopping street. The market will be open to the public from 10am to 4pm.

Pupil Achievements

Congratulations to Lucy Holder who came 4th in the Sussex Acrobatics Championships with her partner Zoë. If you have any pupil achievements that you would like mentioned in the newsletter, please e-mail the office: office@williampenn.w-sussex.sch.uk

