



Newsletter

14 January 2010

May I thank you for your understanding in this week's difficult weather conditions—it is always our aim to stay open and to operate normally, but should we need to change arrangements, we will update the website by 7.00am.

May I wish Year 6 the very best of luck in this month's entrance examinations.

Jane Disney

Next Week's Sports Fixtures

The U10 and U11 netball and football teams have their first fixtures of the term next week. These are weather dependent and we will notify pupils as soon as we have made a decision as to whether the fixtures can go ahead. The football teams are playing Bradford Grammar Junior School at home on Wednesday 20 Jan, starting at 3.45. Players may be collected at 4.45pm after tea.

On the same day, the netball team should travel to Bronte House to start at 2.30pm. These teams will return to school at 4.45pm. Hopefully the weather will improve next week. Good luck!

Mrs Anne Milne—Games/PE Co-ordinator

Last Rolo Day—Friday 12 February

It's that time of year again – Rolo madness!

Let people know that you care, send your loved ones a message, tell someone you admire them – send them your Last Rolo. Rolos will be on sale from Monday 18 January till Friday 29 January. The School Council will be selling Rolos from the pavilion at breaktimes and lunchtimes. Parents can purchase Rolos from the school office before and after school.

Prices will remain the same as last year, 50 pence each or 3 for £1. Money raised will go to Macmillan Cancer Care. Please buy as many as you can as we really love wrapping them up!! Thank you from Mrs Blackie, Mr Oldham and the School Council.

Report by School Journalist

Recently the weather has been icy and cold. Sadly, it has been too icy to go outside. The weather has been so bad that Mrs Matthews has had to cancel Year 4 trip to Danelaw. We are hoping that Mrs Matthews can rearrange it in February.

Emily F

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Tue 19 Jan** Y5 trip to Temple Newsam
Thu 21 Jan Open Working Afternoon—
 2.00 to 7.00pm—all
 welcome!

CELEBRATIONS!

Congratulations to Frank and Jack P for passing their Grade 1 Piano examinations, Frank with Merit.

British Gymnastic awards were presented to Thomas L for Level 4, Polly F and Tom P for Level 7, and Daniel C and Bilal B for Level 8—well done!

Happy birthday to Leon, Tamsin, Emma L, Joshua R, Sam B, and Jacob W. Also, to Mrs Walton and Mr Barnett!

NOTICE BOARD

Our caretaking staff have asked that parents and staff are aware the Staff Car Park is for **staff only until 4.15pm**.

Can we also ask that parents and staff do not use the field as a footpath during the bad weather. Please walk on the path at the side of the fence to and from school. Thank you!

PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Just a reminder that the PA Ball will take place on 8 May 2010.

If any parent wishes the Committee to discuss any particular ideas for spending the money that we raise, then please put a note of the ideas in the PA basket in the office.

The next PA meeting is on the 18 January 2010.

**Karen Price
Chair**

Pamper Evening

Beverley Silver (Chania's mum in Nursery), owner and creator of Bliss Salons, will be holding an exciting Richmond House Ladies Pamper Evening on Wednesday 27 January from 7.00pm until late, at Bliss Spa (247 Otley Road, West Park).

Complimentary cocktails, file and polishes, eye lash and brow shapes will be available at no charge. Please reply to Beverley Silver as soon as possible at the following e-mail address: blissbeautyspa@instantemail.t-mobile.co.uk (Richmond House School parents and teachers will receive a fixed 10% off regular treatments booked at anytime – offer excludes beauty packages booked at any Bliss salon. Quote ref Richmond House 09 when booking)