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Newsletter No 10



Dear Parents/Carers

Celebration Assembly

The following children will receive certificates for good work and behaviour in the Celebration Assembly on Monday 8 November 2010. Could parents/carers who took part in the five week course of 'Cooking with your Kids' please attend celebration assembly on Monday 15 November 2010 to receive your certificates with your children.



Zarah Tabassam Nursery For creating a boat out of junk modelling materials.	Anaya Thompson RW For making a firework picture out of glitter and glue.	Zara Mahmood RG For growing in confidence and being brave enough to talk to Miss Grassick.
Anthony Reid 1B For re-telling a story and sequencing the main events.	Cara Johnston 1/2H For showing enthusiasm in all areas of her learning.	Nniah Johnson-Atkinson 2S For settling in well to her new school and being a lovely member of the class.
Simran Randhawa 3L For producing beautiful work in mathematics week in, week out.	Cvonne Kelly 3/4MW For working hard in all subjects.	Joy Sigbeku 4W For writing a lovely play script based on a known story.
Idrees Akbar 5B For great effort in producing the poetic techniques used to create tension.	Iqra Zahoor 5/6S For working hard in literacy lessons.	Nenah Kumar 6SH For excellent effort and achievement in mathematics.

Weekly Certificates

Lining Up	5/6S
Spick and Span	RW
Attendance	4W
Dinner Time	Yummy Bear goes to RG Runners up - 3L

Kind and Thoughtful Person

The following children will receive the 'Kind and Thoughtful' certificate and care of a cuddly dog. The award will be presented in Celebration Assembly on Monday 15 November 2010. The lucky children will also have fruit and milk with Mrs Packer in her office.

KS1		KS2	
	Malaika Ihsan RG For helping other children put on the dressing up clothes in the role play area.	Ishan Magar 4W For lending another child his P.E. kit when they got very wet in the rain.	

Registering your child for Reception Class September 2011

If your child was born between 1 September 2006 and 31 August 2007 then you need to return your application form for a Reception class place to Birmingham City Council by 3 December 2010. You can also apply online by visiting www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions. We do have some blank forms in the office if you have not received your form from Birmingham City Council or alternatively phone 0121 675 0555.

St Mary's v Benson School Football Match

On Wednesday 9 November 2010 St Mary's football team had two matches against Benson School. We drew both games 1:1. They were both very competitive games and the boys played very well. Well done.

Remembrance Day Assembly

A Remembrance Day Assembly was held in school on Thursday 11 November 2010 where two minutes silence was observed. A wreath of poppies was laid on the worship table by children representing the Brownies and Cubs.

Punctuality

Could you please ensure your child is in school in the morning in time for when the bell goes at 8:55am. Can I also remind parents/carers the children should be collected promptly at 3:30pm from the school playground at the end of the school day. Only reception children should be collected from the main entrance.

Term Dates

End of Term	Children will break up on Friday 17 December 2010 and return to school on Wednesday 5 January 2011
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Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Ava Sturridge-Packer CBE
Head Teacher