

13th February 2009

Dear Parents

Mrs Harrison

Just to let you know that Mrs
Harrison will be back after Easter.
I know she has enjoyed her time at
Broadlands Primary School but is
really missing the children of Much
Marcle and can't wait to be back.

Parents' Evenings

Parents' Evenings will take place on Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th February. Please ensure that you are on time for your appointments as there is little free time between each appointment. We will also do our best to ensure that we are on time!

Twinning

I am sure you received your letter from the Twinning Committee inviting you to join them on their trip to Le Barroux in late May. I met today with members of the committee and we will be publicising the twinning with a small display during Parents' Evenings. During the trip there are opportunities to explore the town of Carpentras, a visit to a local vineyard, learn about Provencal cooking and to enjoy excellent French hospitality. There is funding available to support

families in joining this adventure.
Please see Janey Cotton or ask at
the school office for further details.

Crucial Crew

This morning the Year 6 children went to Bosbury to learn more about how to stay safe in the modern world. They took part in sessions focused on street sense, including graffiti, how to make choices relating to drinking and smoking and the dangers of cyber bullying. They were incredibly inspired upon their return and Lucy described it as "a fantastic and informative morning".

Sports Results

On Thursday 29th January Much Marcle Netball and Football teams played against Ashperton Primary School. Fantastic matches ensued, played in excellent spirit. The netball team achieved a superb 7-1 victory while the football team drew 1-1 in very sticky conditions. Well done everyone!

Bad Weather

Well done to everyone who was able to get into school on Tuesday 3rd February. The decisions to close on Thursday and Friday were not made lightly but we have to consider factors such as bus travel and school lunch provision. I hope you had the opportunity to enjoy the snow with your children.

Sainsbury's Vouchers

It's that time of year again when we will be collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers. Sainsbury's will be distributing these from 11th February to 3rd June. If you do shop at Sainsbury's please consider us and collect the vouchers. We use them to update and provide new sports and playground equipment.

Hall Displays

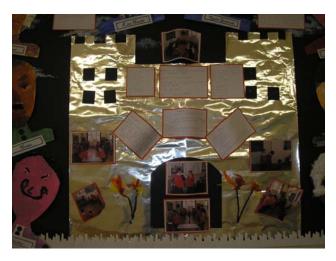
As part of our work with the RSC, over the last few weeks we have been looking and studying various Shakespeare plays. The children's enthusiasm for this work has been infectious and we decided to use Shakespeare as a theme for our hall displays this term. Please do pop in and have a look. The children are very proud of their work.



Class 1
"A Midsummer Night's Dream"



Class 2
"A Midsummer Night's Dream"



Class 3 "Hamlet"



Class 4 "Romeo and Juliet"