# NEWSLETTER 20– 12th February 2010

Dear Parents, Pupils & Governors,

**Fashion Show** – On Tuesday Yr 1 & 2 presented a fabulous catwalk show. Parents enjoyed watching our models display a range of skills including sewing, printing & tie-dyeing. This was the culmination of their Design Technology topic, 'Joseph's Coat'.

<u>Warner Budgens</u> – At 9.00am on Thursday Mr Simms and 6 children had the honour of opening the newly refurbished Warner Budgens store in Bidford. We are grateful for the support that Budgens provides to our school as part of their links with the local community.

<u>Cookery Club</u> - Parents were invited in to take part in this week's session, where they made Marvelous Mediterranean Couscous. The recipes are on the school website go to school meals page.

**World Book Day** – March 4<sup>th</sup> is World Book Day and the children and staff will be dressing up as their favourite book character. A sale of Usbourne Books will be available after school on the day.

**<u>Rural Cinema</u>** – Showing this Friday at the Crawford Hall "Cloudy with a Chance of Meat Balls". It starts at 7.00pm and tickets are £2.50 each.

<u>Half Term Skate Park</u> – The free mobile skate park will be visiting our school again on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Feb between 10am and 1pm.

## Holiday Activities

Alcester & District Children's Centre invites you to join "Peppa Pig & the Mercia Thunders" on the 17<sup>th</sup> Feb, 11am-2.30pm at St Nicholas School, Alcester. There are more leaflets detailing other activities on the school notice board.

**Book of the Week** – The Reception children have been reading 'The Little Yellow Chicken' by Joy Cowley. It is a fun story about a chicken getting ready for a party but her friends did not want to help! Of course it has a happy ending.

Have a good half term holiday and we will see you on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February.



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### **Chocoholics**

The last order date for **Mother's Day** confectionery and gifts is **3<sup>rd</sup> March**. Please see Jenny Jones (near Mrs White's class) for a brochure or contact her on 07806 474828.

#### **Invitation books**

Have you looked at the Invitation Book yet? It could save you £££'s! Please help us by either buying it (details are with the book) or returning it to school promptly, so we can offer it to another family. We keep £4 from each book sold.

#### **Parents Questionnaire**

Thank you for completing the questionnaires, which have now been entered into a prize draw! Mr Simms will be drawing the "lucky winner" and we will let you know after half term. If you have not yet had time to complete your questionnaire we have extended the deadline for two weeks. Pick up your questionnaire from your class rep or the school office.

#### **Phoenix Cards**

If anyone is interested in supporting the BSA by becoming the Phoenix Cards Co-ordinator please contact us as soon as possible. It involves placing orders and sorting deliveries from home in your spare time. Please get in touch if you would like to discuss it further.

# Table Top Sale - Monday 1<sup>st</sup> March (2.45pm in the school hall)

Having a clear out during half term & don't want to do a car boot sale outside in the cold? Why not book a table for £5 and sell your unwanted toys, bric-a-brac, books & CD's, baby equipment... And keep the profit!

**Tables are limited so book early to avoid disappointment**. Confirmed bookings include Rhythm Time, Second hand Uniform, Stratford Leisure Centre, Usborne books and various Bric-a-brac stalls.

## Dates for your diary

# Adults Quiz Night – Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm

Tickets cost £5 (to include mini fish & chip supper) and will be on sale after half term. Teams should consist of between 2 and 6 players and a "team name" must be registered at the time of purchase. A bar, raffle and interval games will be available on the night. Open to family and friends!

The next BSA meeting is on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> March, 7.30pm at school, all welcome!

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