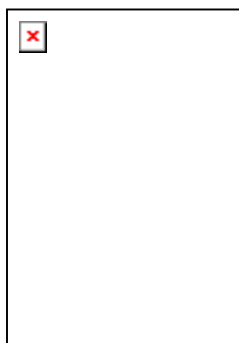


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Dear Parent

## Newsletter – Autumn 2009 (3)

### **Samaritan's Purse - Operation Christmas Child**

The shoebox collection has been booked for Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November, filled boxes can be brought to school at 9am that morning. Can I ask you not to bring them in before that date as storage is as usual a problem. There are spare leaflets in the office if you have more than 1 shoebox.

### **British Council Grant**

We have now arranged our first visit to one of our linked schools. Early in December four members of staff will be visiting a school in Spain to begin to plan the joint project .

### **Harvest Collection**

Thank you to all those who gave a gift of food which has been sent to the Lord's Larder in Yeovil. We collected £96.73 which has been sent to Water Aid.

### **Parent's Evenings**

We will be holding Parent's Evenings on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> November. A letter will be

sent out nearer the date for you to book an appointment with your child's teacher.

### **Book Fair**

We will be holding a Book Fair in the school hall during our two Parents' Evenings.

### **Sports Hall /Spanish/Music**

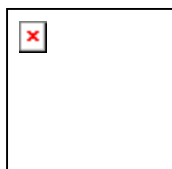
The 2<sup>nd</sup> half-term's payment for the use of the Sports Centre is due from some parents. Also some parents have not yet paid for Spanish Club. Can I ask those parents who are billed for private music lessons to make their payments promptly, I have been informed that some payments are outstanding.

### **Wellington Boots**

Mrs Shead has asked for any spare wellingtons to be brought in to school – her supplies are running low.

### **The Spinney**

If you have been doing any tree pruning recently we would be pleased to have



branches/trunks to use in the Spinney.  
Planks of wood would also be useful.

### Staffing

We are pleased to let you know that just before the half-term holiday we appointed Mrs Martha Charlton as SENCO. She will take up her post at the start of the Spring Term.

Yours sincerely

Mary Alexander  
Senior Teacher

### Dates for your Diary

13 <sup>th</sup> November	Indoor Athletics Festivals at KA
19 <sup>th</sup> November	Swimming Gala
24 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents' Evening 5.30pm-8pm
25 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents' Evening 4pm-6pm
25 <sup>th</sup> November	Shoebox collection
1 <sup>st</sup> December	Spanish Club moved to Thursday 3 December
4 <sup>th</sup> December	Non-uniform day
5 <sup>th</sup> December	School Christmas Fayre
8 <sup>th</sup> December	Last Spanish Club
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Rehearsal for Carol Service – please collect children from the church at 3.30pm
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Rehearsal for Carol Service – please take children to the church at 9am
15 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol service 9.30am
16 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol service 2pm
17 <sup>th</sup> December	Children's School Christmas Party
18 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of term

### Christmas Fair

There will be a non-uniform day on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December, children are asked to bring in chocolate for a tombola stall. Don't forget that this year the Fair will be held at Gartell's.

