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Fonthill Lodge Newsletter

February 2010

Dear Parents,

A couple of exciting events are taking place in the next half of the term:

Discovery Week

We have arranged a variety of exciting workshops and visits for Discovery Week (which starts on **15th March**) based around our theme of Arts and Crafts, including clay sculpture and felting. The charge for this week will be £15.00 which will be added to your fee account.

Years 5 and 6 will also be visiting Goodwood Sculpture Park on **Monday, 15th March**, leaving at 9.15 a.m. and returning at lunchtime. The cost of this visit will be £10 which will be added to the fee account; please would you be kind enough to print off a hard copy of the attached permission slip and return it to the office.

We will be undertaking a large weaving and sculpture project and would be grateful for any old bicycle, pram or similar wheels and brightly coloured carrier bags. Please give any of these items to Mrs. Blacker.

Open Afternoon

Our Open Afternoon takes place on **Saturday, 27th February** from 1 to 3 p.m. As usual we would be grateful for the support of our pupils from Years 3 to 6.

There will be a number of activities taking place, for example a French café, sports and science workshops and we would be grateful if you would print off a permission slip and return it to your child's class teacher if your child is able to take part.

Thank you to all those parents who have taken the time to fill in and return the parent questionnaire. If you have not yet had a chance to do this, I would be most grateful to receive them after half term.

A reminder that children going swimming should wear the correct uniform swimming costumes and girls should be provided with the school swimming hat.

I would also like to remind parents of our policy regarding school lunches. We aim to provide a healthy, home cooked meal at lunchtime with a choice for vegetarians and salads for those who prefer them. If your child has an allergy, such as gluten or lactose intolerance we are happy to make arrangements for them; if your child requires a special diet I would ask that you contact me to arrange this.

The kitchen are generally not able to make special arrangements based on a child's like or dislike of particular dishes as we feel that there are sufficient choices available on a day to day basis for them to eat a balanced meal. You will appreciate that if every child in the school needed to be catered for separately, lunch times would be unworkable. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

I hope that you all enjoy a restful half term.

Kind regards,

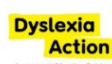
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Year 5 & 6 Visit to Goodwood Sculpture Park - Monday 15th March

I give my permission for to travel to Goodwood Sculpture Park on Monday 15th March by coach in a belted seat.

Signed Class

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Open Afternoon Years 3-6 – 27th February 1 – 3 p.m.

My child will be able to take part in the workshops/act as a guide for Open Afternoon on 27th February.

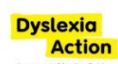
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