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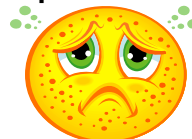
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If you are not on the internet and wish to receive a copy of the weekly newsletter please contact the school office to request a paper version which will be sent home with your child.

#### ChildLine Sponsors

As you may know the children have done a sponsored workout and have been collecting their money for the NSPCC & ChildLine. They raised a WONDERFUL total of £1,364.00 for these well deserving charities WOW!! Congratulations to ALL the children that took part in this.

#### Children Off With Illnesses

We have recently had a few children off of school with stomach bugs, can we please remind all parents that your child should not return to school for 48 hours after the stomach bug ends. Even if your child appears fit and well the next morning they must still not return to school until the 48 hours is up. Thank you for your cooperation.



#### Tuck Shop Fruit

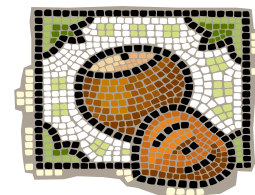
Please note that from next Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October there will no longer be free fruit in the tuck shop, any fruit in the tuck shop will need to be purchased. Key Stage 1 children will continue to get their daily piece of free fruit in class as part of the free fruit for schools scheme. Please ensure your child brings in either a healthy break time snack or money to purchase from the tuck shop.

#### Additional Newsletter

All children should bring home tomorrow a hard copy of an additional newsletter concerning "Keeping your children safe". Please take the time to sit down and read through this newsletter with your child.

#### No Nuts Please!

Please can we remind all parents that because some children have nut allergies, NO children should be bringing nuts into school. Thank you for your cooperation.



#### Admissions 2010

The online application facility for parents of all year 6 pupils, transferring to secondary school in September 2010, will be open until 16<sup>th</sup> October 2009. You should receive a letter direct from the Admissions Team, detailing how to go about applying for your place. Please make sure you do not miss the deadline.

### Harvest Festival

Thank you to all parents who came along and supported the children at the Harvest Festival and to everyone who sent in food. These have been passed onto CHAT who will distribute these through their Christmas hampers. We would also like to thank Mrs Clough and the team of volunteers who helped the year 6 children to organised the harvest lunch.

### Late Arrivals

Once again, the number of children arriving at school after the gates have closed is increasing. Please note that the school gate is locked at 8.55am each morning, all children should be down in the school playground before then.



### Coolmilk

If you would like your child to have a carton of milk each day at school, you can apply on line at [www.coolmilk.com](http://www.coolmilk.com). Please note that once your child is 5 you do have to pay, all details can be found on the school website.

### School Composters / Wormery

We are very excited to be the proud owners of two new composters and a wormery as part of our sustainable schools work. If children have packed lunch we will check their lunch boxes to ensure they are eating their lunch, but we would like to put any leftovers into our new composters!

### Kentisbeare Children's Orchestra

The Children's orchestra will be held on Thursdays in term time at Kentisbeare village hall from 5:30pm until 7:00pm. Music readers of all abilities are welcome to come and join in! To find out more information please go to [www.go-kco.org.uk](http://www.go-kco.org.uk) or contact Stuart McFadzean on 01884 266694 or email: [stuart@go-kco.org.uk](mailto:stuart@go-kco.org.uk).

### St Mary's Seekers

On Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October St Mary's church will be having their special seekers Family service when they have a prize giving for attendance, celebrate last year and look forward to the next year. The whole of your family are warmly invited as well as any of your friends. Service starts at 10:30am.

