

July 2011

A lot has been happening in school since the last Arkwright News was published; here is a brief reminder...

Cooking Club

The Tuesday after school Cooking Club is still proving popular, with 12 children attending this term. The children have taken part in making a wide variety of exciting treats, including healthy lunchbox ideas and a biscuit challenge. Cooking Club will continue to run in September when children from other year groups will be invited to attend. The last Cooking Club date for this term will be **Tuesday 12th July**.

Film Club

Thursday 7th July will be the final Filmclub before the summer break. Miss Wardle hopes that the children have all enjoyed the films they have watched and have experienced films that they may not have watched otherwise. A big well done to those children that have been reviewing the films on the website and receiving their highly sought after wrist bands! Miss Wardle will be continuing Filmclub in September.

Summer Fair

This years summer fair will be held on Wednesday 13th July at 3pm. The children will be selling goods made as part of their Young Enterprise Scheme. In addition to the children's goods the school is hoping to include a wide variety of stalls. We are asking for donations for the tombola stall, lucky dip stall and teddy bears. Any donation will be gratefully received and put to good use. Please bring donations into school by 11th July.

Transition Day

The school will have it's annual Transition Day on Wednesday 6^{th} July, where children will get the chance to experience their new classrooms and teachers for the first time.

Bolsover Community Singing Event - Tuesday 12th July

Schools in the Bolsover area have decided to come together to join and sing in a special event to celebrate community cohesion. This special singing event is for children in year 2 and year 3, to help with the transition from the infant phase to the junior phase. The event is being held at the Winding Wheel in Chesterfield.

Children will leave school at 8.45 am on Tuesday morning and will need a packed lunch and a water bottle and will need to wear full school uniform. We are asking for a £2 donation for this to help fund the coaches, which will be provided by the school. Tickets are available should you wish to watch.

Sports Clubs

As a school we are trying to organise after school sports clubs to being early in September and run throughout the next academic year. We are hoping to offer a wide variety of sports at an affordable price. We would appreciate your feedback on this and are therefore asking firstly if you would be interested in your child attending an after school sports club and secondly if you would be prepared to pay £2 per session for your child to attend 1 hour of coaching from a qualified coach.