



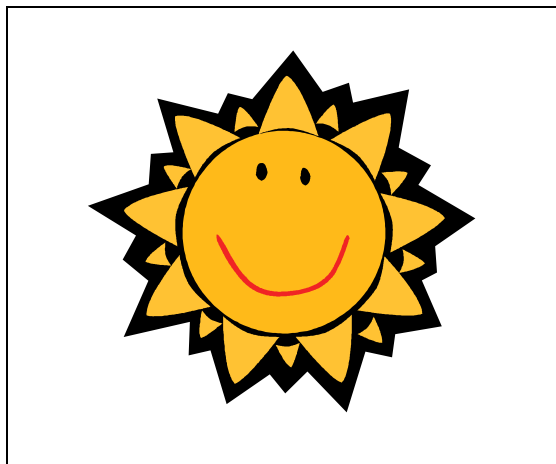
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## NEWSLETTER NO. 11

**Date:** 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2006

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Dear Parents,



### Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2006

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Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2006

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2006

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2006

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2006

“Tom’s Midnight Garden” performance in the morning

KS2 Evening concert performance

KS2 Afternoon and Evening Concert performance

Sports day in the morning (weather permitting)

Children will be meeting their new class teacher for September 2006 (p.m.)

Year 4 Leavers’ Assembly (2 p.m.)

### School Term Dates:

Break up

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2006

Start of New Term

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2006

Newletters are ALWAYS put on the school website, so if you ever mislay one, you can download it from the school website: [www.watlinglower.org.uk](http://www.watlinglower.org.uk) .

### **Thank you**

A huge thank you to everyone who supported the **Book Fairs** this year. The recent summer one took £651.11, earning us £390.67 in commission to spend on new teaching resources. This takes the total commission for the year to a staggering £1311.85 – our best ever result! Well done, everybody and thanks again – the school really benefits from this. See you in October!

Another big thank you goes out to all those **parents** who have supported us throughout the year by helping out in the classrooms, on trips and with the swimming – your help is invaluable!

We would also like to thank the **PSA** for making it possible for Key Stage One to attend the Summer Music Festival at Mill Vale School in June.

Thank you also to everyone who collected vouchers on our behalf – all vouchers have been sent off now.

### **September 2007 Admissions**

Time is running out for applications for the 4+ for September 2007. If you have a child due to start school then, or know of anyone else who would like a place, please call into the school office as soon as possible to register your child. All applications must be returned to us initially and we are required to submit all paperwork to County Hall by the end of September.

## **Hot Weather**

Can we remind parents of the importance of drinking plenty of fluids in hot weather. If the forecast suggests a return to high temperatures, please send in a named litre bottle of water for your child. Please also make sure your child has a named hat in school - the children are encouraged to wear hats at playtime during sunny weather. Could we also remind parents that open-toed sandals are not appropriate for school. For parents who wish to protect their children from the sun by using sun cream, an indemnity form will be available to give staff permission to apply, or supervise the children self-administering, sun cream. The form will also include a clause where parents can indicate that they have applied sun cream before bringing their children to school.

## **Walk to School Scheme**

The walk to school scheme will finish at the end of this week so that awards can be brought up to date and given out. From September it will be unnecessary for children to come in by the front entrance to register their walk as this will be done on the way to assembly. If any children wish to join the scheme from September, please call into the Office and let us know. May we take this opportunity to thank Mrs Harrison who has helped us with the scheme from the beginning.

## **Parental Help – Future Projects**

We would like to begin a rolling programme of renovating the art areas in our classrooms. Are there any parents who have contacts with kitchen fitters, who may be able to help with either expertise or materials suitable for replacing sinks and draining boards? We would also be very grateful to hear from any parents who are builders and who may have time to spare to help us with another project to encourage outdoor activities.

## **Lost Property**

As usual, we end the term with a ‘mountain’ of unnamed lost property! Weather permitting, this will be on display at the end of next week for you to look through. We would be grateful if parents could make a ‘new school year resolution’ to name **everything** that comes into school.

May I take this opportunity to wish our Year 4 children good luck in their new schools and all our parents and children a restful, happy summer break.

Ian Black  
Headteacher

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