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1st October, 2008

Dear parents,

Pond

Our school pond is going to be re-lined and restored to its former glory. If you would like to help (adults only at this stage please let me know. Mary-Anne Featherstone will be organizing the transformation and will need some large containers to store the plants. If you have anything suitable please bring them into school. Once the liner has been replaced the children will be involved in re-planting and then using the wildlife area for science activities.

Wildlife Club

Giles Nicholson will be starting the popular club again next Tuesday 7th October. Normally these will be on the first Tuesday of the month. Please sign the slip if your child wishes to join. Numbers are limited to 20. This month the children will be collecting and sorting autumnal seeds.

Christmas Shoebox appeal

The leaflet should be with this letter! Do help if you can. The boxes will be collected on 11th November. We are very grateful for your support for this worthwhile charity.

Christmas Dates (see overleaf)

We thought you would appreciate notice of these end of term events.

Parent Forum

It was good to see more parents at the latest forum. We are always keen to hear your views, positive or negative. We are planning to move the time of these forums to Friday mornings as there are so many parents who stay for our 'Gold Book' assembly. Hopefully you will be able to stay and contribute to the discussion. The next Parent Forum will be on Friday 28th November at 9.15 (approximately). We might even be able to run to a cup of something hot! Do come, it is good to have a clear line of communication with parents.

Yours sincerely,

Susan Marsh

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My child/children..... would like to join the Wildlife Club. I give my consent for him/her to go on local walks in the area as part of the club activities.

Signed (please print)

December 2008

Thursday 5th

St. Nicholas (bit early!) Art and Craft Day – helpers would be appreciated

Friday 5th

2.30 Parents to come for refreshments and look at displays, things children have made

Rehearsal at church in morning for St. Nicholas Day Concert

Saturday 6th

St Nicholas Day – Celebration of 30 years of St. Nicholas School (current building)

6 p.m. Concert in Church + refreshments

Monday 8th

pm Dress Rehearsal – Owls and Wrens Y1/2

Tuesday 9th

Pyramid Carol Concert 6 p.m. (rehearsal in morning)

Pm Dress Rehearsal – Robins (Reception)

Wednesday 10th

1.30 pm Robins Christmas Play

6.00 pm Owls/Wrens Christmas Play

Thursday 11th

1.30 pm Owls/Wrens Christmas Play

6.00 pm Robins Christmas Play

Friday 12th

Pre-school Christmas Play

Tuesday 16th

Christmas Party

Wednesday 17th

Year 1 -6 to Pantomime at Lighthouse

Friday 19th

1.30 Christingle at church – end of term