



### Change of Venue

The end of term is quickly approaching with school closing for the summer break on Thursday 22nd July. Keeping with tradition and starting something new.

**The Leavers Prize Giving Assembly will now be held at The Memorial Hall in the afternoon.**

Starting at 1.30pm we invite you to say a very fond farewell to our Year 6 children who will be transferring to QEGS in September.

Then to conclude the end of the academic year we hope you will join us at the cricket pitch straight after the Assembly for an afternoon of fun, food and sport.

Reminder: Please could you bring donations of sarnies, crisps, sausage, veggies, cakes, biscuits etc. Hot and Cold drinks will be provided.

Please speak to Sam Lomas for more info on Tel: 390477

### Chestnut Centre

Everyone had a lovely time on our trip to the Chestnut Centre with Pre-School.

The children were very well behaved and our tour guide was full of praise for all the children and their super behaviour!

This was a lovely end to our topic work on nocturnal animals and the children thoroughly enjoyed it.



### Terms Dates for 2010 - 2011



**Autumn Term:** Monday 6 September 2010  
Monday 1 November 2010

**Spring Term:** Tuesday 4 January 2011  
Monday 28 February 2011

**Summer Term:** Tuesday 3 May 2011  
Monday 6 June 2011

- Friday 22 October 2010  
- Tuesday 21 December 2010  
- Friday 18 February 2011  
- Friday 15 April 2011  
- Friday 28 May 2011  
- Friday 22 July 2011

Within these dates, the school will be closed for children on six days for the purposes of staff training. Friday 22 October, Tuesday 21 December, Friday 28 January, Friday 25 March, Friday 1 July & Friday 22 July.

### Teddy Bear's Picnic

Thank you to everyone who supported our picnic we raised £340.43 so far for the 'Touching Tiny Lives Appeal.'

Amazing work everyone! Pictures will be uploaded to the school website.

### Grand Balloon Race

Costa Coffee Ashbourne is organising a Grand Balloon Race to raise money to build schools in the deprived communities where their coffee is grown.

Over the last 4 years they have built 55 classrooms, employed 120 teachers and provided education for 4,500 children in countries such as Columbia, Guatemala, Uganda, Ethiopia and Costa Rica. By the end of 2010 they aim to build 5 more schools and provide education to a further 3100 children.

You can help by entering the Grand Balloon Race. Sponsored balloons will be released from the main arena at the Ashbourne Show on August 21st. Prizes will be awarded to the person who finds the balloon that's travelled the furthest and to the person who sponsored it.

Entry costs £2 per balloon. Please bring your £2 along to the end of year school church service.

### Sports Day

**Wednesday 21 July at the Cricket Pitch 2- 3.15pm.**

**Everyone is welcome to attend!**

**You can collect your child from the cricket pitch at 3.15 or at school at 3.30pm.**

### Gold Awards

Gold awards were presented to:

Bethany & Charlotte

### Cup Winners!



This week the cup was won by

**Australia**