

# Ravensworth CE Primary School Newsletter



Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2014

Dear all,

A shorter newsletter this week, since there's also your child's interim report coming home today (for pupils in Y1-6), with an accompanying letter - the photocopier's been busy!

We had a great afternoon on Monday, when the children from Green and Blue classes set out for a Science afternoon in the great outdoors. They worked in groups studying hedgerow habitats, and, considering the fact that we're still in the heart of winter, they came up with some brilliant finds – birds' nests, berries, trails and a myriad of insects! Hopefully, this will persuade Farmers Phil and Bill that these hedges are important to the life of Castle Hill Farm!



In Red Dragons, the children have been very busy with their work on fractions – halving pizzas and pies and working on some great maths in the café again! Seb showed some great problem solving and made 12 coloured eggs, which I can only hope will make their way into a tasty cake for the headteacher!

**Grandparents' Lunch** – thanks to all who have handed in their slips. Mrs. Whittaker has asked me to mention that, due to the timescales of ordering etc. deadlines need to be adhered to please! I think we've been able to accommodate everyone this time, but please try to stick to the dates for future lunches. We're looking forward to meeting all the 'more mature' family members next week!

## Dates for the Diary:

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February – Parents' Evening 3:15-5:15pm  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February – KS2 Multiskills club, 3:15-4:15pm  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February – Grandparents' Lunch 12:00pm  
Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February – Parents' Evening 5:00-7:00pm  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February – School Closes for Half Term.



## And Finally...

If you want a smile, picture the scene from yesterday's playtime: the Headmaster up a wobbly step ladder, armed with only a mop (for reach), and accompanied by the Chair of Governors - trying to recover the shoe of young Mr. Ollie Cooke, which had found its way onto the school roof following a particularly vigorous shot at goal...

Have a great weekend,

Rob Campbell