



## LONGWELL GREEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### What's in your newsletter this week:

- Sport Relief update
- Message from the School Crossing Patrol
- Sickness in school
- Friends of Longwell Green School information
- MEND programme



### What's on in school next week:

- Parents' evening– thanks to all parents who have already signed up
- Celebrating talent assembly on Monday at 9.15
- Road safety presentations for y3 and y6 children

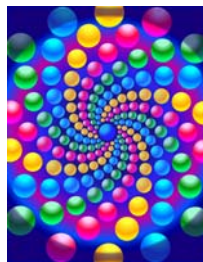
## What happened in school this week:

**Carnival! Details about our fantastic arts week will be included in next week's newsletter!**



### Sport relief

The final total raised was £401– well done everyone who took part and helped to raise such a generous total. Thanks to Mr Fry for organising the events.



### Sickness in school

As we have had several children away this week with sickness, I thought it timely to remind parents that children must remain off school for 48 hours after their last incident of sickness/diarrhoea. All cases of diarrhoea and sickness should be reported to the office. We are reminding the children about good hygiene in school, so could this message be reinforced at home as well.

### Message from the school crossing patrol

Thank you to all the parents and other car users who drive really carefully around the school at the beginning and end of the school day. This makes our job of helping families to cross the road so much easier. Can we please remind all drivers about not stopping on the yellow zig zags or the yellow lines, as this is potentially very dangerous.

Thank you.

The crossing patrol, Debs Beale and Sandra Sperring

### Friends of Longwell Green School Update

Mr Chris Pring and Mrs Clare Pring have chosen this time to leave their roles within the Friends of Longwell Green School Committee.

Chris and Clare have given hours of time and commitment to the school over the last nine years; during this time they have worked tirelessly to organise superb events for the whole of the school community. In addition huge funds have been raised from which all the children in school have benefitted.

The FOLG committee will continue with a commitment of working to enhance the educational provision for all the children within the Longwell Green School community. We would welcome any new faces so if you think you might be interested in helping the FOLG in any capacity, however small, please see Jenny Hatcliffe, Family Mentor or Karen Roskilly, Parent, who can be contacted through the School Office.

A reminder: The FOLG Spring Disco is on tonight– I hope everyone who is coming has a lovely time.

#### Kingswood Music Centre

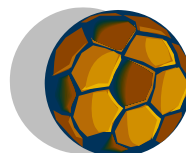
On Saturday, 27th March, 2010, Kingswood Music Centre will be holding rehearsals at Kingsfield School, Brook Road, Kingswood for all levels of musicians in Concert, String, Wind, Guitar and Strings.

#### **MEND - Health Lifestyle Programme**

We have received some leaflets about the MEND programme which is for children aged 7 to 13 and is a free 10 week course designed to enable children to become fitter, healthier and happier. Leaflets giving more details are available in the Family Room.

#### FOOTBALL REPORTS BY GEORGE F6

Friday 19/3/10 Longwell Green vs Barrs Court



First half was end to end, with Barrs Court having the advantage of the slope, Longwell conceded two goals, first was a defensive error, the second was probably due to wet goalmouth area. But after half time team talk, which involved tightening the defensive back line, the Longwell forwards peppered the Barrs Court goal with seven shots, hitting the goalmouth upright once, the crossbar twice and scoring twice (Lewis and Aaron), to earn a much deserved draw, and come away with a lot of confidence.

Monday 22/3/10 St Annes vs Longwell Green

Our final match of the season. St Annes have a reputation for playing good football and did not disappoint, and are high in the league, they also have two big midfield players. First half was a lot of midfield work with one half chance falling to either side. Second half continued much the same as the first half, with neither side giving anything away, until good approach work from Longwell breaking away down the right hand side, good ball delivered into goalmouth, ball headed away, clumsy tackle from St Annes free kick awarded in good shooting position just outside the penalty area. Wonderfully struck free kick (George H) low on ground to hit back of the net through packed goalmouth. Longwell then sustained eight minutes of pressure from St Annes but good goal keeping and defensive play enabled Longwell to come away with a much deserved 1-0 win.