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School Office

Following reorganisation of the school office, from the start of term 3, Mrs Sue Dix has been appointed as Senior School Administrator, Mrs Lesley Fudge will be reducing her working week and a new colleague has been appointed as Administrative Assistant working 23 hours per week over a 4 day period. I am sure you would like to join us in congratulating Mrs Dix on her promotion.

Longwell Green children win the South-east Teamgym Championships!

Well done to Tia M6, Evie F6 and Katie F6 for winning the Teamgym open championships held in Crawley, Surrey, last Saturday. The girls competed against three other teams and did amazingly well to finish first. Congratulations!

Well done to all the children who joined in the Inventors competition we held recently. The work produced by the children was stunning and 'Bike It!' Ian was amazed at the display now up in the school. All the children who took part will receive a prize donated by 'Bike It!'. 'Bike It!' Ian was interviewed by children in the juniors on Thursday so they could find out a bit more about his job and why he is such a keen cyclist.

Parenting Courses

Some parents sometimes ask if we have information about support that might be available for parenting skills. We are pleased to say that there are currently the following courses available :-

Parents Plus—suitable for parents of children aged 2-8 years.

Strengthening Families—for families with young people aged 10-14 years.

Here is a summary of what is covered in each course - promoting your child's self esteem, bringing out the best in your child, teaching your child new behaviours, having dreams and goals and much more.

Further details available in Family and Community Room, Jenny Hatcliffe Family Mentor or contact Parenting Consultancy Service on 01454 866330.

Longwell Green School has won a cash prize of £500 from the tokens collected from the Evening Post. A big thank you to everyone who helped collect the tokens. The prize will be used to support our children's

Next week's diary:

Tuesday 8th December at 10.30	Additional Infant Nativity for Siblings
Wednesday 9th December at 2.15	Infant Nativity
Thursday 10th December at 2.15	Infant Nativity
Friday 11th December 6.30-9.00	Christmas Disco
Friday 11th December	Christmas Lunch

Mr Horn will be in Mrs Bowker's class on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.
Mr Scott will be in Mrs Bowker's class on Wednesday and Friday.

