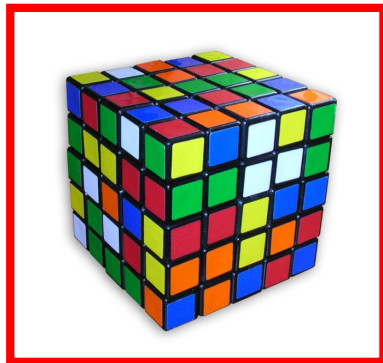


## Dear Parent/Carer,

A very warm welcome to the second edition of our newsletter for this term. It has been so very busy since the last time I wrote to you with so many events and activities taking place. Here's all the news!

### Puzzles Day

We had an absolutely fantastic time last Friday as we all thoroughly enjoyed our 'Puzzles Day'. Indeed, all of our children participated in a whole range of activities and it was absolutely wonderful to see so many parents/carers and family members popping in school



enjoy the day. Indeed, I don't think I've seen so many! A HUGE thank you to all who popped in as well as to all the staff and children who made the day a great success!

### Mill on the Brue 2011 & Y5/6 Activity Week

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, MoB and Y5/6 Activity Week takes place between Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November and Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November. Please keep a lookout for information from both Miss Mellor and Mrs Schonfeld.

### Y5/6 Trip to London

Yesterday saw our great Y5/6 children and staff take a trip to the 'Big Smoke'. It was an amazing day and all the children thoroughly enjoyed it. Indeed, all the big attractions were visited and a massive thank you to all of the Year 5/6 staff for a great trip! I can't wait



to see what work our children produce as a result of the day!

### Remembrance and The British Legion Poppy Appeal

We have been once again selling poppies for Remembrance and raising money for The British Legion. Furthermore, I accompanied members of our School Council to the Bath Abbey earlier to lay a poppy wreath on behalf of our school. It was a very poignant trip to the Abbey and our children did our school and community proud.



### Y5/6 WWII Day on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November

Not only have Y5/6 visited London as part of their 'Brilliant Britain' theme, they are also holding a WWII day next week. Look out for all the information from our great Y5/6 staff.

### Children in Need on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November

Just a reminder that we will be once again raising money for Children in Need that takes place next Friday. We will be allowing children to wear their own clothes as long as they have a dash of yellow and as well as bringing in 50p.



Many thanks for your support for this great charity!

### Breakfast Club Consultation

We are thinking about setting up a Breakfast Club and Miss Crosse is in the process of asking children for their views. She will also be sending out a parent/carer questionnaire next week. Please send them back as soon as possible and please make it clear if you would use such a club.

**Parents' Forum at 3.20pm on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup>  
November in The Carrswood Room**

Next Thursday sees our first Parents' Forum of the term and it is an opportunity to discuss and raise issues regarding St Michael's. Indeed, I hope that many of you pop along for a chat both with me and our school's leadership team. Topics that will be discussed include homework, our new policy of lunchtime detentions, our Breakfast Club as well as any other issues that you may have. I look forward to seeing you there.

**Looking Forward - Dates for Your Diary**

Here we go, it's a busy week ahead!

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance Activities and  
School Councillor visit to Bath Abbey**

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Parents' Forum at 3.20pm in The  
Carrswood Room**

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November – Y5/6 WWII Day**

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need Day**

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November – Y3/4 and Y5/6 Hockey teams at  
Bath University for Savills League Games**

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November – MoB and Y5/6 Activity Week**

**And Finally.....**

Many thanks for reading our second newsletter for this term. Finally, just to let you know that Mr Bentley-Taylor and Mrs Bentley-Taylor had their first child on Wednesday. Baby Nathaneal is doing really well and I'm sure you are with me in passing on our congratulations to the family! I gather Mr BT has already signed him up as an Arsenal supporter already! Wow! That makes one wedding and two babies since September!! What a busy year!

**With every good wish,**

**Mr Dave Goucher  
Headteacher.**



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