



SHAKESPEARE IN SCHOOLS FESTIVAL

Bishop Lovett presented a production of The Merchant of Venice at Medina Theatre on Tuesday 12 October.



Our play performed by pupils in years 7 and 8 involved, dancing, music and high drama. Yet again our pupils were a credit to the school receiving some very pleasant comments from both the Shakespeare for Schools staff and audience members.

A DVD and Photo CD of our full dress rehearsal performance will be available shortly. The twin disk DVD/CD will be supplied in a hard case along with a colour cover listing all cast members.

The cost for this is £3.50.

If you would like one, please send £3.50 in coins into school in an envelope marked with your child's Name, Class and Headed Merchant of Venice DVD.

Disks can be ordered anytime between now and Friday 12th November. Please note, orders placed after that date will not be accepted. The disk should be with your child during the week commencing Monday 15th November.

AIM HIGHER

Portsmouth University will be running workshop for Year 7 on the 9th November and Year 8 on the 10th November.

ROTARY CLUB

Neil Gurney from the Rotary Club came into school and took a whole school assembly on their campaign to rid the world of Polio by funding an immunisation programme.



HARVEST SERVICE

Our Harvest Service will be held at 11am on Thursday 21st October in St John's Church.

All Parents and Carers are welcome.

Donations for the harvest festival will be split between the 'Needs and Seeds' charity (which is a local Christian charity that distributes basic foods to the local area) and the Salvation Army hostel in Ryde.

Ideally donations should be non perishable items such as tins and items for everyday living. All donations will be gratefully received.

YEAR 7 GEOGRAPHY FIELD TRIPS

Letters have been given out to all year 7 pupils regarding a Round the Island geography field trip. Please ensure that all forms are returned as quickly as possible in a clearly named envelope. Each set will be going on the trip on a different day as detailed below:

Set 1 will go on Thursday 4th November, set 2 on Friday 5th set 3 on Friday 12th and set 4 on Thursday 11th

INFORMATION FROM THE ISLE OF WIGHT COUNCIL.

ADMISSION TO SECONDARY SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2011

Further to my letters which were sent at the start of term, I have to inform you that a parental representation has been made to the Office of the Schools Adjudicator regarding the admission arrangements. The arrangements are now under consideration by the Adjudicator who will deal with the matter urgently.

The Adjudicator is planning to issue his determination regarding the admission arrangements by the end of the half-term holiday, following which a clear set of arrangements and further information will be published as soon as possible.

There will therefore be a short extension to the deadline for receipt of application forms until 4.30pm on 12th November 2010.

Janet Giles - Strategic Manager Pupil Services

WHOLE ISLAND DEVELOPMENT DAY

School will be closed on Friday 22nd October

PARENT GOVERNOR

There will be a vacancy for a Parent Governor of the school for the period 10.11.10 - 31.08.11.

For further information and/or a nomination form contact The Clerk to Governors, Mr.M.Atkins, at the school.

Closing date for nominations is 3pm on Monday 8th November.

BELGIUM DVD

Just to say thank you to those of you that made a donation for your picture DVD, but as donations did not meet costs this will not be repeatable.

However, if you have just forgotten, it is not too late to send a small donation in.

YEAR 6 PARENT INTERVIEW EVENINGS

Parents/carers of certain pupils in Year 6 will be invited to interviews on either,

Monday November 7 or Tuesday November 8 between 3.00 and 4.30.

These pupils have been identified as needing a little support, with either English or Maths, in order that they can achieve a level in the 2011 SATs that will reflect their ability.

Parents/carers who do not receive a specific letter of invitation are nevertheless welcome to contact the office with a view to making an appointment to see their child's English or maths teacher.

Next Holiday:-

Half Term Holiday: The Friday October 22nd We return on Monday 1st November.

Items for information only. These services are not endorsed by Bishop Lovett School

