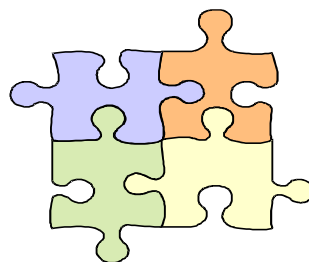


BECKLY PARENT SUPPORT GROUP MAKING LINKS FOR FAMILIES AND CARERS



News letter November 2008

A big thank you those parents who found time to fill in recent surveys and returned them, your views will be critical in helping to shape what happens at Beckly in the future

Communication Diaries



There was a general appeal from parents for better communication about how your child has been at Beckly so it has been suggested that using their home/school diaries would be the most effective and immediate way of providing ongoing information between yourselves, Beckly and schools.

To make sure this is real benefit to families we need you to sign up to the home/school diary project and pass in each session your child's diary so that we can let you have more information about what happens at Beckly

Contract update

Negotiations with City of Plymouth are on going about funding from them which is agreed until March 2009 that subsidises the operational session charges you pay

Our Management Committee will be meet soon with Council Commissioning Officers to plan for changes to terms of funding which will effect Beckly and how we operate in the future.

Beckly's Committee would welcome temporary help from anyone with professional business skills who could help us put together a business plan and funding bid to City of Plymouth and Plymouth Primary Care Trust

Being INCLUDED AND GOING OUT

A number of extra trips and outings over the last few months have been run which have been beneficial in developing community awareness and increase personal skill of those joining. We are keen to run some more so suggestions please let us know about to activities that you feel will improve your child's social development

FUND RAISING MANY THANKS TO

Plym Valley Lions £500 for replacement cooker



WO & SR Mess HMS Drake £1250

PUB Watch Collecting boxes £200 for new tricycle

A new fund raising group is being set up by Tracy and if you can spare a little time to help out with special events please ring Beckly
Can you nominate us to groups looking for Fund Raising Projects?

We are pleased to say that we are all ready to go for the Christmas playscheme with new inclusive social and play activities and events planned and some trips and outings with lots of ideas for enjoyable, purposeful, fun play and social opportunities.

Contact the office for booking forms and
Please pass on information to other families whose children may benefit from and enjoy participating at Beckly

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