

17<sup>TH</sup> February 2011

Dear Parents

Over seventy of us attended the Spotlights' performance of "The Jungle Book" last night. The children were, as always, their wonderful best and the singing was particularly noteworthy. Huge thanks must go to all the adults who have supported this venture, in particular Mrs Staniford. Mrs Staniford is leaving tomorrow as her baby is due very soon. I wish to thank her and wish her well on behalf of all the children, staff and the rest of our community.

**Parking Around School** – Can I please remind our motorists (myself included) to be considerate of our neighbours whilst parking/dropping off the children at school. Please remember we are able to park at The Half Crown on Nottingham Road. In other areas, including off Station Road, can we remember that residents do need access to their garages at all times. Thank you.

**Jewellery, Earrings and Hairstyles** – A quick reminder that jewellery should not be worn in school and that earrings should only be a plain stud. Haircuts should not include words or logos.

**Dinner Money** – A reminder that Dinner Money should be paid on a Monday morning to your child's class teacher - not to school reception. Please do not double up on cheques where there is more than one child – each child needs to pay to the class teacher. Cheques should be made payable to Derbyshire County Council.

**Book Bags and P.E. Bags** - these are on sale at main reception at a cost of £3.50 each.

**Big Breakfast** - don't forget the Big Breakfast tomorrow from 8.00 a.m.

**Open Evening** – Due to their own professional commitments a number of staff have had to change the Open Evening arrangements. I apologise if these changes have caused a problem and confirm that we will always endeavour to provide appointments that are satisfactory to you.

Best Wishes to all.

Mike Hannon  
Headteacher