IMPORTANT INFORMATION PLEASE READ

Greetings Easter Gatherer!



Easter 2012 is a long weekend, beginning lunchtime on Friday 6th April and finishing at breakfast on Tuesday 10th April.

There is once again a full programme of events and activities taking place throughout the weekend and hopefully there is something for everyone! Sports Ladders will be coordinated for the more active Easter Gatherers, along with the usual Rounders, Cricket, Hockey, Badsworth, however there's plenty to do if you'd prefer a more relaxing Easter. This year's President, Shirley Day, would like to invite you to a special President's Welcome in Centre Library from 5.30pm on Good Friday.

The final programme can be posted to you before Easter if you send a <u>Stamped</u> <u>Addressed Envelope</u> to me at 5 Bracken Crescent, Bishopstoke, Hants. SO50 8ND, or I can email an electronic version if you email to request it - <u>aosaeaster@yahoo.co.uk</u>. It will also be posted on the AOSA website - <u>www.aosa.org.uk/easter.htm</u>

As last year, we will be agreeing with school before Easter the maximum numbers of portions to be served at each meal and these figures will be based on the numbers who have booked in 10 days before the weekend. <u>Therefore if you are coming to</u> <u>Easter as a day visitor and wish to eat in school, please make sure that you book</u> <u>your meals in advance as there may be no extra meals available</u>. As last year, all those who have pre-booked meals will be admitted into the dining rooms first - those who have not booked in advance may still be able to eat, but will have to wait until everyone else has been served and take the chance that they may not have much choice of meal, if any at all. Unfortunately the facility for day visitors to book meals on the day imposes an economic and logistical burden that the Easter Gathering can no longer bear.

Please remember to bring your smart clothes if you are eating in school on Saturday evening. The format for this meal will be slightly different this year, but we still invite you to dress smartly, bring your own wine, and enjoy an exclusive three course meal.

We look forward to seeing you! With Best Wishes, Sal and the Easter Team