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... where love is the motivating force. (2 Corinthians chapter 5 verse 14)

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends of Shanklin CE Primary School,

## Shanklin Carnival Queens' Selection Night

This will take place on Saturday 23 March, at TC's Shanklin Youth Club, Victoria Avenue, Shanklin from 6pm with judging at 6.30pm. There will be two categories: Juniors age 7-10 and Seniors age 11-14 years. All entrants must live in the PO37 postcode area. Further details available from Sue 401534 or Chris 868084.





#### BBC Radio Solent - Cool School

Well done to Max Henley and Ellie Baker for contributing to the Cool School slot on BBC Radio Solent's breakfast show. Miss Jemma Powell introduced the school and Max and Ellie reported very professionally on the weather for the day.

## Scholastic Book Fayre

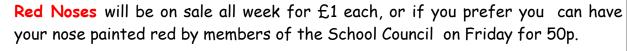
Thank you to Dyan Northard and Clair Brayley for organising and running the book fayre this week. The school earned £92 in commission which has been spent on new books for all age groups.

World Book Day: Thank you and congratulations to everyone who pulled out all the stops with their ideas of costumes for book characters. We had Sleeping Beauty, Alice in Wonderland, Harry and the Dinosaurs, Little Red Riding Hood, Chicken Licken, Pochahontas amongst many, many others! Don't forget, the 10p book sale is still on in the hall!

Hand to Mouth Theatre's production of "Head in the Clouds" was a really entertaining, inspirational and thought-provoking puppet show covering issues from road safety to global warming in an hilarious story. The whole show was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone, from Reception to Year 6 - Teachers included!

# Red Nose Day - Friday 15 March

Members of our School Council, and their peers, wanted to raise money for Comic Relief, so along with other ideas it has been decided to have a **red mufti day** in exchange for a £1 donation (not football shirts please).





We would also like to ask for donations of red cakes, red biscuits and any toys/ books etc., that may be sold during a special Comic Relief Fayre to be held in

books etc., that may be sold during a special Comic Relief Fayre to be held in the school hall between 1.30pm and 2.30pm. Red squash will also be on sale and any leftover items will be on sale after school. As the hall will not be free for the usual Celebration assembly time, it will be held from 9:00 - 9:30.

All monies raised will go to Comic Relief, so please support this event, have fun and remember to give your child some money to bring to school.

Shanklin Voluntary Youth and Community Centre, Victoria Avenue, Shanklin (incorporating TC's) visit www.shanklinvycc.co.uk /ring 07792174941 for more info) TC's RED NOSE DAY FANCY DRESS - ONESIES - 7.00 - 9.00p.m. - Yr 5 upwards DANCE, SHAKE AND BOUNCE EVENING

Wear your ONESIE and join in the fun at TC's with BOUNCY CASTLES (50p a go) and DISCO - your chance to take part in the HARLEM SHAKE. Entry £1.50 members. Non Members welcome (£2.00).

#### Puzzles of the week

"Measuring stuff is easy!" ... "or IS it?" Two tricky measuring problems:

Puzzle 1: If your ruler only measures in mm, how can you measure the thickness of a single page in a book accurately? (which is MUCH smaller than 1mm).

Puzzle 2: How can you measure the volume of one drop of water accurately?

If you think of a way, and actually DO it,

and show me the way you worked it out.....

I will put your name in the "Hall of Fame" in next week's Sherpa!

The class with the best attendance for week ending 1 March 2013 was Portugal Class with 97.4% Well done to Portugal Class.

Holland Class 96.7%, Austria Class 95.2%, Greece Class 96.4%, Germany Class 95.2%, Sweden Class 95.7%, Poland Class 87.9%, Italy Class 94.8% and Portugal Class 97.4%

WEEK 3 - Weeks commencing: 11 March, 22 April, 20 May & 24 June

Cottage pie or cheese and vegetable wrap with cous cous, Monday:

carrots, sweet corn, cucumber and tomato salad, yoghurt

crunch or fresh fruit.

Roast beef or quorn roast with roast or mashed potatoes, gravy, Tuesday: cabbage, parsnips, crunchy cookie and milk or fresh fruit.

Wednesday: Salmon and sweet corn pasta, folded pizza with jacket potato, roasted vegetables and peas, vegetable sticks, toffee apple crumble with

custard or fresh fruit.

Thursday: Chicken curry with rice or vegetable lasagne, carrots and peas, mixed

salad, berry chill or fresh fruit.

Friday: Fish fingers and chips, quorn hotdog with onions and tomato sauce,

baked beans and broccoli, light crunchy coleslaw, marble cake with

chocolate sauce or fresh fruit.