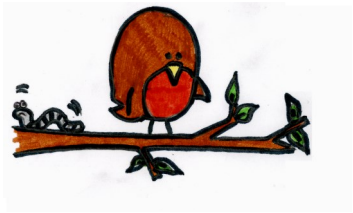

ROBINSWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

MARCH 2015

Once again we've had a short half-term; we finish on **Friday 27th March** and look forward to seeing the children again on **Tuesday 14th April.** Happy Easter. Enjoy your Easter eggs.

The Year 6 Devon trip was, as always, lots of fun mixed in with some hard work on the farm. The weather was dry and luckily the sun shone for their walk on Dartmoor (photo below). In the meantime, the children who didn't go had a day out at Tesco in Quedgeley baking and learning about where our food comes from.

We had a good morning at our Community Workshop composting, cooking and planting, with some community groups joining in with advice. We have two very keen composters on the right.

Year 4 had a day long visit to Slimbridge to watch the otters, view the birds from the hides and see the poison frogs in Toad Hall. At the end of the trip they fed kingfishers, flamingos, ducks and swans.

Tag Rugby

The Team: Amelia Davis (captain), Honey Draper (vice captain), Jamie Brown, Harry Morris, Alfie Young, Oliver Young, Lily Ballinger, Riley Shakes-Giles, Aqeel Ahmed, Jake Craig (snake hips as Hempstead called him), Thomas Harrington. **WE ARE THROUGH TO THE COUNTY FINALS!!** The whole squad played very well as a team against some very strong opposition. Many of the teams were made up of mostly year 6 players but this did not affect our team who gave it their all in every match. Their determination and 'never give up' attitude as a team is shown in the half time scores compared to the final results. The team finished 3rd overall which means that Robinswood will be representing Gloucester Primary Schools along with Heron, St Peters and Hempstead at the county finals in the summer term. **Well done to every member of the team.**

Red Nose Day Thank you to everyone who donated to Comic Relief—school and pre-school sent a combined cheque for £330.00.