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Silverhill Primary School Newsletter

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DERBY SCHOOLS' CARBON CHALLENGE

This project aims to encourage and help schools to take responsibility for reducing energy use. As part of the project all Derby Schools are being asked to make a firm commitment to reduce their energy use, and consequently their carbon footprint, by signing the **Schools' Climate Change Commitment**.

The Mayor of the City of Derby, Councillor Barbara Jackson, will be visiting Silverhill on Friday, 26th September to talk to the children about Climate Change and to countersign the school's Commitment.

PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY

Accompanying this letter is a request for nominations for a vacancy which will arise on 27th September. Please see overleaf for more information about being a Parent Governor.

OPEN MORNINGS

Open Mornings start again next week
(week beginning 22nd September 2008)

Tuesday	Year 3, Classes R/1B & RMF
Wednesday	Year 6 and Class 1/2T
Thursday	Year 4
Friday	Year 5 and Class 2RM

You are invited to come into school with your child at 8.40 a.m. and work with them until 9.00 a.m. when the register will be taken.

The aim of this is to provide you with a greater understanding of what happens in the classroom and for the children to see parents and teachers working together to support them in their learning.

We hope as many of you as possible will take this opportunity to support your child.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

It has been noticed that a lot of children are not wearing the correct school uniform, particularly in P.E. We understand that there are occasions where children have grown out of certain items and new ones are about to be purchased but at the beginning of a school year it is unacceptable for children not to have pumps, etc. Guidelines are clear in the school handbook and every child should adhere to the dress code.

With regard to uniform, please ensure -

- ? your child has a jumper/cardigan to wear indoors if necessary as fleeces are outdoor garments
- ? skirts are no shorter than knee length
- ? large colourful fabric headbands/scarves are not to be worn
- ? shirts must be buttoned to the top and ties worn correctly.

Please help us to ensure Silverhill is a smart school.

PARKING

We are still receiving complaints from neighbours about inconsiderate parking by parents of our school!