

You don't need to be called 'Brown Owl' so I am known as 'Kingfisher' with help from 'Jay' (Julie Moore) who has just finished her training and will be shortly taking her promise. Shirley Cuthbertson has helped over the past year, but is now unable to do so, we have found a replacement in Sheena Walker , and also we run a very successful parents rota.

Many thanks to Alice Burns who helped with the Charleston line dance, and is ever willing to help out in anyway, also Gillian Conroy who stands in and helps out whenever necessary.

Mr. B. Gorton allowed us to visit the wild gardens, we had a walk, and gave out badges. In October with permission of Milton Parish Council we will be planting a flowering cherry tree, kindly donated by my Dad (Arthur Hunt) on Milton Village Green, so as the girls can watch it grow over the years and be able to say "I helped plant that tree when I was a Brownie".

Over the coming months we will be enjoying activities\crafts themed around Halloween, Guy Fawkes and with the end of the year fast approaching, Christmas. At present the pack is at it's full capacity with a long waiting list, the girls in the pack are quite young so consequently there are no girls of leaving age. Unfortunately those waiting will have a long wait, unless anybody out there would be willing to run a 2nd Wychwood Brownies.

1st Wychwood Brownies are held every Wednesday during term time in Shipton Beaconsfield Hall from 6.00pm -7.25pm.

Kingfisher (Karen Perry).



Carnival Time, It's Carnival Time!!!!

Well, it certainly was up at Wychwood Primary School on Tuesday, 7th July where Mrs. Beryl Brown had organised a special Story Time, with a carnival theme and a live juggling act, for the children. There was a very good turnout of children of various ages (and some parents to help out, too), some in splendid fancy dress and painted faces and Mrs. Brown herself, looking stunning in her vivacious carnival costume!

Stories were read with a suitable theme and Rex Boyd, the visiting entertainer, performed some amazing juggling with balls and batons. He even managed to get everyone on their feet to do a Carnival Parade around the Hall - great fun! This had been a most enjoyable morning - nothing sophisticated - just some simple, entertaining fun, from people who gave up their time to really enjoy themselves and to give as much pleasure back to the children.

Frances Nisbet.