

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2006

**If you go down to the woods today...**

Pedals were pushed with great enthusiasm at the Fosse Bank School Pedal Push which took place before the Teddy Bears' Picnic on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2006. Children in Pre-school and Reception raised money for the 'Make a Wish Foundation' by cycling laps around the playground for which they were sponsored. The event was followed by a Teddy Bears' Picnic where children enjoyed teddy stories and games.

Mrs Cavey mother of Oliver who took part in the Pedal Push said, "It is such a fabulous opportunity for the children to keep fit and raise money at the same time. Fosse Bank School encourages the children, even those as young as three, to think about others who are less fortunate."

The Teddy Bears Picnic was also attended by Mummy Bear, Daddy Bear and Goldilocks, who led the children on a Bear hunt before a delicious picnic lunch. The children then took part in exciting activities including making bear hats and having their faces painted. Mrs Rapley, Reception class teacher said, "It is so important for us at Fosse Bank that we bring learning to life for the children. They have suggested many of the ideas that we have incorporated into today's event and they have gained so much in the sheer enjoyment of participating in the fun, stories, songs and games."