

Beechwood Primary News



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Thank you to all the parents that filled in their views on Parent View. The report is currently being written and should be ready for us to share with you when we return in January.

Changes...

We would like to say goodbye to Mrs Snell and wish her well as she embarks upon the next step in her career. We would like to welcome Miss Bryan to our teaching staff and Mr Smith who will be starting as our Maintenance Officer.

Bikeability

All children in Year 6 took part in our bikeability sessions taking responsible risks and persisting with new skills and challenges. The Bikeability staff commented on the excellent progress and determination of the children and also noted individual successes that were evident over the two days. The children impressed all the school staff who thoroughly enjoyed these sessions with them.

Year 3/4 Forest Schools

Children in Year 3/4 took part in a block of forest school sessions this half term. They amazed staff with their talents in den building, carving and teamwork. As always the mud slide was a favourite during these sessions! A big thank you to all of the parents who helped in these sessions and to those who supported this by doing the washing!

Congratulations to....

James & Bobby (YR) Joseph & Nameer (Y1), Matthew & Avner (Y2), Bethany & Pedro (Y3) Jacob & Olivia (Y4) Josh B & Alex R (Y5) Ted & Mollie (Y6)

For their excellent work this half term, keep up the hard work

Mayan's

Year 3 and 6 children were lucky to be able to visit York this half term where they learnt all about chocolate and more specifically, made and tasted the forms of chocolate which the Mayans invented. The children were taken on a tour of The York Chocolate Story where they were shown the developments from a bean to a bar and then created their own chocolate lollipop too. The children thoroughly enjoyed watching the professionals at work - but they did enjoy eating the chocolate even more! The children were fantastically behaved and all staff were incredibly proud of them





Year 6

Over the Autumn Term, the children in Year 6 have had the opportunity to work with the artist Kate Bufton. They have developed the skills of creating 3D art using old books. Their theme was nature and over the term they have created a range of different items including bees, ladybirds and trees. Their art work will be going on display in The Brindley in the New Year.

Year 3

The children have been working hard learning to play their instruments. They are now able to play 4 different notes in succession and they are working towards putting these into songs. We look forward to hearing them play for families soon.

Sports

New Age Kurling - 8 of our Reception children took part in the Kurling competition. They all tried their best and did really well, especially as they were the youngest team there!

Mini Kickers - Some of the Year 1 and 1 children took part in the Everton mini kickers football tournament. They all played really well and we are very proud of them all. We would like to say an extra special well done to Y2 who won their tournament and wish them well as they go onto the next round.

Christmas Excellence Week & Activities

The last few weeks have been an extremely busy time in School, the children have consistently amazed us with their skills and talents. Here is just a selection of what the children have been up to...

<u>Year 2's Christmas Journey</u> - Frodsham Church kindly invited the Year 2 children to take part in their annual Christmas Journey where the Christmas story was brought to life by the Frodsham Church communities. The children took part in an interactive role play, they dressed up as shepherds sang songs and made Christmas cards; they all had a wonderful time and learnt a lot about the Christian meaning of Christmas.

<u>Whoops a Daisy Angel</u> - This year the infant children amazed us with their confidence during their Nativity. They all had great fun learning the songs and actions and really enjoyed putting on the performance for everyone who came to watch!

<u>KS2 Carol Concert</u> - In recognition of our 40th birthday the children took part in a traditional carol concert. The children amazed us with their extensive talents during this year's performance. Not only did they sing in 2 different languages, they also performed on their instruments.

<u>Junior Party</u> - The children really enjoyed the range of different activities that were set up for them. Karaoke blasted throughout the school and they all enjoyed getting their nails painted!

<u>Infant Party</u> - The children had lots of fun at our Christmas party, they had a very special visit from Father Christmas and his elf. They also enjoyed playing party games and eating lots of yummy party food!

<u>The Christmas Bonanza</u> - The playground was filled with Christmas cheer as the children shared some of their Christmas songs and festive food with their families. We then moved inside and the children enjoyed working with their parents to make Christmas decorations and winning lots of chocolate and bottles on the stalls organised by the PTA.

<u>Snowman Drive</u> - The hall was filled with excitement as the children competed to make their snowman first. As always the caring side of our older children shone through as they supported the younger ones with their drawing and adding up. Thank you to all the parents who helped us with this.

<u>Playdays</u>—12 of our Key Stage 2 children played their instrument in a concert at Wade Deacon. They played 3 different songs including a very tricky Christmas Medley - they sounded absolutely amazing!

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Well done to the six Key Stage 2 children who have been selected to join Halton Band due to their musical talents.