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Laleham Lea

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We ended last week with a fabulous The Junior Christmas Carol Concert takes disco and Captain Fantastic at St Mark's place on Tuesday December 6th at 6pm Church Hall. Described by one of our at St Mark's Church. Further details on Parents as 'The best disco ever!', the full arrangements for this will follow students, staff, parents and grandparents next week.

danced the night away and had a brilliant evening.

The end of term is approaching at speed and rehearsals for Nativity Plays and the Christmas Carol Service are well underway. We are looking forward to

welcoming our EYFS parents (Nursery and Reception) at 9.15am next Friday, followed by our KS1 performance (Year 1&2) at 11am. We do hope you can join us for these plays.

A reminder that our Christmas collection for Purley Food Hub will be dropped off next Wednesday. Thank you for all your generous donations so far. This is the third donation from Laleham Lea this term.

Wishing you all a lovely, dry weekend.

Ms Barry

Head teacher

School Disco

The Disco last week was a huge success with a great time had by all. Thank you to all the Parents and staff who volunteered to help out on the night with set up, sales and clean up.



We raised over £500 for the PTA fund.

Nursery

This week Nursery's topic has been 'Stories'. Each day we have listened to a different story and participated in a variety of activities to reinforce our knowledge further, including:

- A discussion about each daily story, the structure and its characters.
- Looking at what an Author and an Illustrator do.
- Completing a Maths' activity placing pictures of the characters from 'Room on the Broom' in the correct order of size.
- Listening to the story 'Goldie Locks and the Three Bears' in Spanish.
- Inspired by 'The Three Little Pigs; using a variety of materials to design our own house..

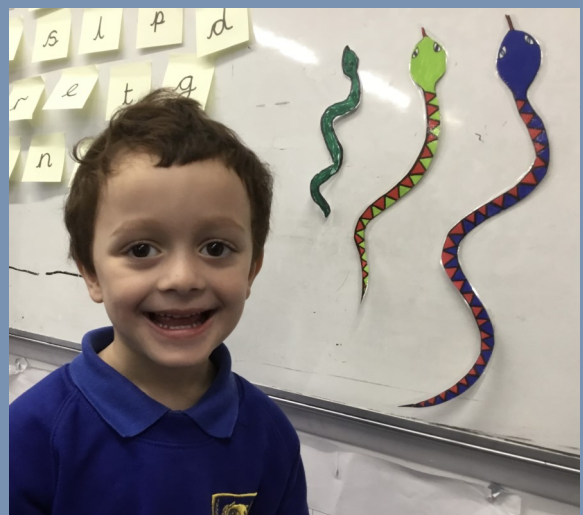
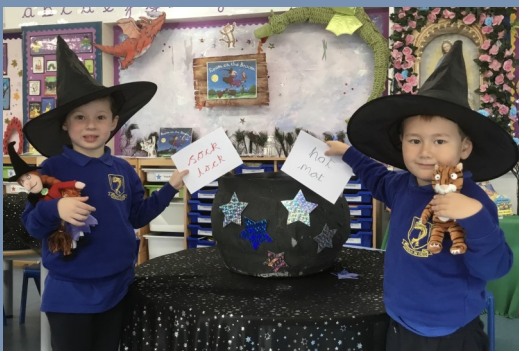


Reception

It has been another busy week of learning in Reception Class. In Literacy, we have been enjoying the story 'Room on the Broom' by Julia Donaldson. We discussed what happens in the beginning, middle and end of the story, created our own rhyming words to drop into our class cauldron, and designed and labelled our own magical broomsticks.

In Mathematics we have been learning about 'Measuring' and used some slithery snake resources to help us with our ordering from shortest to longest – the class really enjoyed this topic and one of our pupils even brought in their own measuring snake that they made at home!

A very big thank you to those who have already provided their costumes for our Nativity Play – rehearsals are going well and we are all looking forward to the performance!



Year 1



This week in PSHE, Year One have been learning about harmful substances around the house.

They tested their knowledge by completing a sheet called 'Don't Eat it!'

Year 2



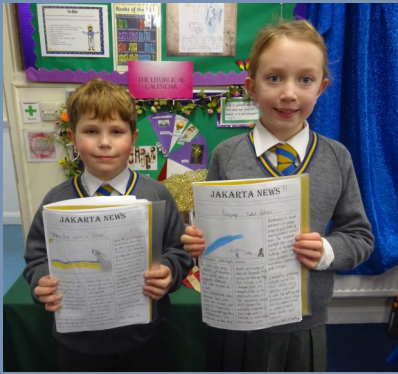
Year 2 enjoyed making these colourful stained glass windows in Art this week.

Year 3



Year 3 are enjoying their 'Celts' History topic and made these amazing Celtic style pinch pots in Art this week.

Year 4



This week Year 4 having been focusing on Journalistic writing. They wrote newspaper articles on the Boxing Day Tsunami which struck Indonesia in 2004. This tragedy was one of the worst natural disasters in modern History.

Year 5



Year 5 made these colourful Monet inspired 3D paintings in Art this week.

Year 6



In PSHE Year 6 were researching potential future career paths and compiled their own CVs.

Stars of the week—Who enjoyed the 'Star Tea Party' today.

The Care Bear visited Mrs Shah today with a nice treat

