



Sedlescombe Newsletter No. 13

CHRISTMAS FAIR

What an amazing Christmas Fair! The PTA did a brilliant job in organising the fair and then lots of you also helped with setting up on Friday and tidying up after the Fair. But most importantly lots of you braved the horrendous weather and turned up to support us and spent your money. Lots of you bought the amazing cakes baked by Vicky Whale and her mum Sue, the chocolate tombola and bottle stall proved popular as usual but there were also lots of games for the children to play and crafts for them to do. Father Christmas came and said that the children were all very polite and well-behaved. Thank you everyone!

SCOUT ELF

At the end of the Fair Father Christmas also left me a very special gift which I opened with the children in Worship on Monday. Father Christmas has sent us our very own Scout Elf, Elfie. He is keeping a careful watch over the children checking who is being kind and helpful at school. However, Elfie is proving quite



a handful and has been getting up to all kinds of mischief once the children have all gone home. We never know where he is going to turn up in school next. Check the website each day for an Elfie Update.

CROSS COUNTRY

Well Done to the children who took part in the Cross Country Semi-Finals last week. It was a very tough race in very tough conditions. The children all showed great determination. I am pleased to say that Ner qualified for the finals in March. This is the second year in a row. Well done Ner!

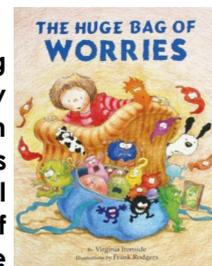
YEAR 5 GOOD WORK WORSHIP

On Wednesday Year 5 shared their learning with us on their topic Trapped! This has focussed on Ernest Shackleton's expedition to the Antarctic. The children have produced some lovely writing on this topic and also sang for us. Well done Year 5.

We have our last Good Work Worship next week when Year 4 will be sharing their learning with us. Please note this is on Friday 14th December at 9:05.

WORRY BOX

Following our successful Anti-Bullying week we are introducing a "Worry Box" to the school. Children often find it hard to talk to grown-ups about their worries and this will enable all children to have a way of expressing their concerns in a safe way. We would encourage children to include their names on their worries so we are able to follow up on any concerns and support the children. The Worry Box will be located in the school entrance and will be regularly checked by a member of staff.



CHRISTMAS POST BOX

On Monday the children can start posting their Christmas Cards in our school post box. It will be situated just outside the school office.

CLASS MCCARTNEY CAKE SALE

As a celebration of their learning about the rainforests and Fairtrade Class McCartney are holding a cake sale on Friday 14th December to raise money to protect areas of the rainforest. Any money they raise will be used to buy square metres of rainforest. Cakes will be 50p and will be on sale during the afternoon. Please support them by buying a cake and help them to achieve their goal of protecting some of the rainforest.

RECEPTION NATIVITY PLAY

I would like to say a great big GOOD LUCK to all the children in class Mozart for their first school play next week. You have all been brilliant in rehearsals and have been working hard; so have fun and do your very best. I can't wait to see you all on Wednesday morning.

Good Luck Class Mozart!

KEY STAGE 1 CHRISTMAS PLAY

Key Stage 1 have also been busy preparing their Christmas play which was looking really good when I took a sneaky peak today. I have been listening to you singing from my office and you are sounding great. You have all been working hard to learn your lines and to practise your acting and dancing. Don't forget to smile and enjoy performing. I can't wait to see you on Wednesday afternoon.

Good Luck Class Van Gogh and Class Lowry!



Wonderful Weekly News

 Star Workers 
Mozart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Campbell Hector
Van Gogh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daisy-Mai Samuel
Lowry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arthur Madison
McCartney: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tommy Ruby
Da Vinci: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maisy Grace P
Picasso: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Charlie George P
Vivaldi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Christian Lily-May

 Star Writers 
Mozart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annie
Van Gogh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bella
Lowry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> George P
McCartney: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Iris
Da Vinci: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Charlie G
Picasso: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> William
Vivaldi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jemima

 Maths Wizards 
Mozart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teddy
Van Gogh: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Caleb
Lowry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alice
McCartney: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Luke
Da Vinci: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Charley F
Picasso: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suki
Vivaldi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monty

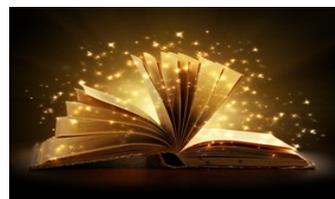
Party Point Champions	
Van Gogh <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thea 	Da Vinci <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kai
Lowry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elsie 	Picasso <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arthur
McCartney <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Archie Cor 	Vivaldi <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Josh
KS1 Playtime Champions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lowry 	KS2 Playtime Champions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Picasso
Congratulations	

Gold Book Awards for Outstanding Work
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bella (Yr4) for her recent effort in maths when problem solving and reasoning. Charlie, Emily G, Lacey & William (Y5) for fabulous poems about Shackleton's ship being stuck in the ice.


Attendance Award



Van Gogh


Congratulations Everyone
