

Barford St Peter's Newsletter

Virtual
Tour!

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EXCITING MORNING OF FILMING

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VIRTUAL TOUR

We had a wonderful morning on Wednesday 14th October as the photographers were in school to film a virtual tour. We were so proud of everyone, the children and staff did an amazing job! We are very excited to see the outcome and will let you know when it is available for viewing. The children participating in Wellie Wednesday were able to benefit from the wonderful firepit bought by last years Year 6 parents, it is absolutely gorgeous.



PARENT CONSULTATIONS

For the very first time ever we are holding our Parent/Carer consultations by phone. This is due to Covid and reducing the risk of catching or spreading the virus. It is going very well but the teachers are missing the face-to-face meetings. Consultations are continuing next week also and we will keep our fingers crossed we can return to normal for the Spring term!

PRE-SCHOOL

Pre-School have loved going to the Forest School area. They had a great time looking under tree stumps to see what mini-beasts they could find!



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

This week Year 2 pupils have produced fact sheets about influential members of society from the past and present. They also enjoyed a particularly lovely story called "Coming to England" based on Floella Benjamin's early life. The former children's TV presenter wrote about her arrival from Trinidad when she was 10-years-old. Floella set sail for a new life in England in 1960 and her story tells how courage and determination can overcome adversity. The book can be found on <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/joinin/black-history-month>.

STARS OF THE WEEK

- Pre-School:-** Dennis for helping his friends and involving everyone in his play!
Reception:- Rudy for being really, creative when using natural objects to make a picture of a face.
Isobel for being such a great role model. She is always polite and caring and is a great listener.
Year 1:- Luke and Benjamin, for fantastic, hard work all term. Lucas for super progress in his reading.
Year 2:- Benjamin and Florence - for making a wonderful clay Tudor house tile as part of their topic 'The Great Fire of London'. They worked very carefully to mould the clay to make the shapes and decorated them with paints.
Year 3:- Erin for doing so well at school despite her broken arm. Her attitude to learning is still fantastic, and she is making sure she does as much on her own as possible!
Will O for sharing some fascinating facts about volcanoes and earthquakes, as well as things he has learned for Black History Month. He has clearly been doing some extra learning at home and he has impressed the class with his knowledge!
Year 4:- Gigi, her behaviour and attitude to learning are outstanding. She is a superb example to everyone else. She listens well, follows instructions and gets down to her learning with no fuss. She really stands out.
Emilia, for confident application and understanding when adding 2, 4 digit numbers.
Year 5:- Mari - for her amazing Anglo-Saxon shield!
Harry - for his consistently brilliant work across all subject areas.
Year 6:- Katie - for giving 100% to every task this week and every week!
Theo H - for his great progress with long division this week.

HOT LUNCHES

After half term we will be having one bubble per day in the hall for a hot lunch. The same menus will be served all week so the children are all treated the same. We will start with Pre-School and Reception, Year 1 and year 2, Year 3 and 4 and Year 5 and 6. More information will follow next week.

RECEPTION ART WORK

Reception have been thinking about our faces. We collected lots of natural objects from the field and used them to make our clay faces.

