



Stonehouse Park
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Monday 13th - Friday 17th January 2020



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The Greatest Music Show
Whole School Show

We are very excited to be holding another Music day on **Wednesday 29th January**.

Practise their talents at home

The children have been asked if anyone would like to:

Sing their favourite song, **perform** their favourite rap or poem, share a **dance** to their favourite piece of music or **play** an instrument.

They will share their talents with their class. A few acts will be chosen to perform in front of the whole school in our Greatest Show at the end of the day.

Non-School Uniform to raise money for instruments

Children can make a voluntary donation of £1 to come to school in non-school uniform. They can dress in whatever they like ready for the show.

Make an instrument

We are also asking children to make an instrument to bring to school. This can be as simple as a metal lid and wooden spoon for a drum, make shaker filling plastic cartons with rice or other things. Have a look on google for ideas if you get stuck. The children will use the instruments they make to perform altogether in the Show.

Grown-ups share their musical talents!!

We want this to be a real celebration of all things musical. If any parents or family members have hidden musical or dance talents they would like to share then let Mrs Barz or the school office know!!
Don't be shy!!

Apple Class

This week we had a delivery from Iceberg 122 Antarctica. It was Percy the Penguin. We talked about what we knew about penguins and labelled the parts of a penguin.

In Maths, we did one less using numbers up to 20.
In Forest School, we made mud faces using clay and adding resources found in the outdoor area.

Next week we are still in Antarctica.
What do we need to take on our trip? What will the weather be? Will we need to pack anything special?

In Maths, can we count and identify numbers 0-5, 0-10, 0-20.

Thank you to all the parents that came and joined us for breakfast in our time to share session today.

Many thanks to those who could stay behind to help tidy up. The children really enjoyed their leisurely breakfast time.

Please can you continue to practise zipping up your child's coat with them as they are finding it very tricky!

Oak & Willow Class

This week we have been learning all about polar bears. In Art we have been making models of polar bears out of clay and in Maths we have been looking at place value.

Next week we will be writing about polar bears in Literacy and in maths we will be focussing on addition.

In Art we will be salt painting and we will also be practising for The Greatest Show

Please remember to send book bags in every day and read with your child at home.

Willow Class will be walking around the local area on Monday afternoon. If you have any concerns please see the class teacher.

Birch & Lime Class

This week we have been learning about multiplication and using arrays to help us work out the answer.

We have talked about different punctuation used in our text 'The Tin Forest' and thought of adjectives to describe the pictures.

We have started creating our art project.

Next week we will be learning the story and creating story maps.

In Maths we will be introducing division.

We will be continuing our art project and we will be locating the 7 continents of the world.



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Celebrate Christingle with us

*Join us and help give young
people a brighter future!*

*St Cyr's Church
Sunday 2nd February 2020
at 3 p.m.*

Assemblies

Birch Class Assembly - Thursday 30th January

Lime Class Assembly - Thursday 6th February

*All parents are welcome to attend our class
assemblies at 9.15 a.m. in the School Hall.*

We look forward to seeing you all.

Nursery News

Conkers

This week we have continued with our Winter Theme.

The children have participated in a number of activities to support their development and learning:-

Making winter weather wheels

Winter Stories

*Explore play with Artic & Antarctic animals, playdough, sharing foam & ice play
& shredded paper.*

Acorns

We have continued this week to think about cold weather.

We have explored ice and artic animals.

*Our story has talked about warm clothing and keeping warm, slippery roads, ice
and dark mornings.*

The new children are starting to become familiar with the routine.

*Please remember to send your children with a change of warm clothes as we get very messy
and wet in our play.*

*Congratulations to Willow Class this week for their 97% attendance!!
Well Done to all our 'Star Learners' this week!*

