

Friday, 6th December 2019

The Mill ** Messenger



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Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

Please have a read through our latest news and all the exciting things happening at the Mill.

PTA Christmas Fair

The Christmas Fair last Friday was once again a huge success and the PTA and all of us at the Mill would just like to thank everyone for their support. It was a very busy event which has raised an amazing total profit of £1490.36.

A special thanks goes to the children who made items to sell and our Year 6s who helped run the stalls. Getting children involved with community activities encourages them to develop skills in communication, organisation and co-operation – all vital skills as they move forward to the new challenges.

Reminder - Christmas Performances

Please see below for our Christmas Performance schedule.

EYFSMonday 9th December1.30 pmYear 1 and 2Monday 9th December2.15 pmYear 3 and 4Tuesday 10th December1.30 pmYear 5 and 6Tuesday 10th December2.15 pm

Tickets have now been sent home with your child and we look forward to seeing you next week!

Sports Games Events at The Mill

Yesterday our Year 5 & 6 boys football team represented the Mill in the Crawley Schools League at the 3G Pitch at K2. They have won one

game and drew another three, only letting in one single goal in total! Well done boys, what a brilliant result!

Room 13

We had another busy and productive day in Room 13 – one of our activities was working with a Gelli printing plate to create some lovely textured fish that will be added to upcoming sea themed wall display.

The committee excelled themselves at the Christmas Fair and have voted to spend the profits made on delivering a workshop to children who benefit from Children In Need.

Homework Hero

Our Homework Hero this week is Robin from Year 4 Frida Kahlo class. He made a mechanic lift out of old bits of wood, motor, controls and a battery pack.

We are very impressed with his great work!



Kind Regards

Sophie Gosden Headteacher

Mathletics & Times Table Rock Stars

Please remind your children to practice their maths on our apps.

Login details for your child can be found on the inside of their reading journal.

Absence Reminder

Please leave a message on our absence line with your child's name, class and reason for their absence each day your child is not attending school.

Emails are not monitored for this purpose.

Attendance Cup Winners

Congratulations to our winners, Goldsworthy class in Year 2 had a great 97.8% attendance this week. Well done!



Forever Proud

Every week a child from each class receives a Forever Proud badge, certificate and a photo of themselves to take home.

Congratulations this week to Emily T, David M, Pippa G, Harry C, Antonia F, Mia T, Reed B, Rylan R, Ellis F, Dhruv K, Kerrie R, Saray R, Olly R, Enzo K, Logan D, Ruby W, Teddy T and Mehrin U.



Well done to all of you!

Diary Dates

School CLOSED for Polling Thursday 12th December 2019

Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch Friday 13th December 2019

School Holidays

Monday 23rd December 2019 to Friday 3rd January 2020, back on Monday 6th January.

Inset Day - CHANGED Friday 28th February 2020 (Please note: this replaces the Inset on 6th January 2020)



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