

Friday, 13th November 2020

The Mill ** Messenger

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

We hope this finds you all well and safe.

Children in Need Pudsey Day

We were blown away by the huge response to our Pudsey Appeal and non-uniform day today, thank you so much for giving generously despite the current situation. We have not finished counting up yet, so we will let you know the final result in next week's newsletter. Also a big thank you to the PTA for helping us to collect the donations this morning.



Room 13



This week in Room 13 we had twelve Year 4 and three Year 6 children. The progress on the Christmas stockings for Key Workers is full steam ahead! We screen printed fabric with a drawing made by one of the children in Year 3 and sewed up some lovely lined

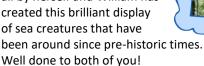
stockings using our sewing machine. The stockings are a way for the children to say thank you to the adults who have helped care for us during this challenging time. The children find this beneficial to their mental health as it helps them to feel connected and useful to the situation that is going on around them.

Polite Reminder - Parking and School Runs

We would like to remind you all to be mindful of our neighbours and other families on the school runs, especially when arriving by car. We will be sending a letter about this to all families in the next week, thank you for your continued support.

Homework Heroes

This week we even have two amazing homework heroes from Hepworth class in Year 1. Emily has wowed us by working very neatly on her spellings all by herself and William has created this brilliant display of sea creatures that have





Kind Regards

Sophie Gosden
Headteacher

Diary Dates

Nasal Flu Vaccination Wednesday 18th November 2020



Forever Proud

Despite not being able to get together for school assemblies, we do have virtual assemblies where each class joins in online from their rooms and Miss Plant and myself can speak to everyone from the office. We



all miss being together but that doesn't mean we can't celebrate: on Fridays, each class still nominates their 'Forever Proud' award winner that is announced in the online assembly, and then Miss Plant go and myself deliver the children their badges. This week's winners from Reception to Year 6 and reasons from their teachers were:

Picasso Saad for always being a wonderful pair of helping hands around the class. You have the most infectious smile and love of life, we adore having you in Picasso Class.

Matisse Aria for showing determination and an eye for detail when writing about our story characters.

Kandinsky Layla for persevering with her writing and using the sound mats to help her. What wonderful writing!

Hepworth Matthew for working so hard this week and putting in 100% effort.

Hockney Amir - He is thinking carefully about his writing and starting to use finger spaces.

Monet Nevaeh - Great work applying your increasing phonics knowledge to your writing. You've wowed me with your hard work this week, thank you.

Goldsworthy Holly for great contributions to class discussions and being on the ball with her grammar knowledge.

O'Keeffe Joshua E for participating well in class and trying his best.

Lichtenstein Lindsay for knowing her toolkit skills and why we use them in our writing.

Mondrian Jensen's worked really hard with his reading, moving up this week into the next reading group. Well done Jensen!

Kahlo Imogen for being just you as well as for showing fantastic progress and improved confidence in your writing and maths.

Miro Noah for being such an inspiration to us all in Miro class. You are always contributing your brilliant ideas and gently helping others. Plus you blew us away with your maths this week. Well deserved, Noah.

Moore Chloe for her hard work in maths and writing. She always has a positive attitude and is ready to overcome any challenge thrown her way.

Rousseau Sofia for producing some magnificent multiplication work in maths. Well done!

Van Gogh Lola for an amazing improvement in your confidence since the start of year 5. I am so proud of how far you have come and how keen you are to contribute to learning and take on challenges!

Egonu Billy for being a brilliant 'all rounder'. He always works his hardest and always shows a huge amount of kindness and consideration towards others.

Riley Hugo for his outstanding effort in all subjects this year but particularly in reading. He is already above 2,000,000 words read this year. Mind blowing! Well done.

Da Vinci Yusuf for his positive attitude to learning! So proud of himself when he shows he is learning new maths skills.

Attendance Cup Winners

Congratulations to this week's winners, our Reception Year had the highest attendance this week!

Well done everyone!

