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Year 3 Presentation

I thought it was fun when we learnt about the Romans and the Celts. It was great when we did the assembly about the Celts and Romans. I think we were all a bit nervous about it, but it ended up being really good. We all learnt something new. I learned about Boudicca and Caracatus and lots of other things. In the end I think all the parents were very proud of us.

Happy Hours

Many thanks to all our families who supported our Happy Hours. I hope you enjoyed working alongside your children, Please keep an eye out for the next Happy Hour dates.

Internet Safety

We recognised Internet Safety Day on the 6th February. Children took part in sessions where they thought about their own personal use of the internet and how they use it in a safe way, understanding the dangers that it can pose.

Come along to our Fairtrade Breakfast

As it is Fairtrade Fortnight when we come back after the half term holidays we would like to invite you to a family breakfast on Tuesday 6th March. Breakfast Club will run as normal, but then at 8.45am you are welcome to come into the hall (with or without children) to enjoy some breakfast with us or just have a cup of tea or coffee. The food will be Fairtrade and we will only ask for donations towards the cost. We hope you will be able to enjoy us.

Pancake Day

We celebrated Shrove Tuesday at school as the children cooked up stacks of pancakes to share with their classmates.





Road Safety

Our younger children took part in Road Safety training last week. This training is so important as children are reminded of how to cross roads safely, looking for safe places to cross roads and how to reduce the risks when out and about.

Forbidden Planet

On Thursday 8th February, year 6 class went to Whitcliffe Mount high school to watch their stunning play, Return to the Forbidden Planet. As Whitcliffe had a new school, Year 6 experienced a great, high quality show and got front seat action. Before the show though, they already had some action as they had a surprise visit by the firemen just as they were sitting down. So can we please say a huge thank you to Whitcliffe for letting us watch their performance and a great well done to all the: cast, dancers and set builders of Return to the Forbidden Planet.

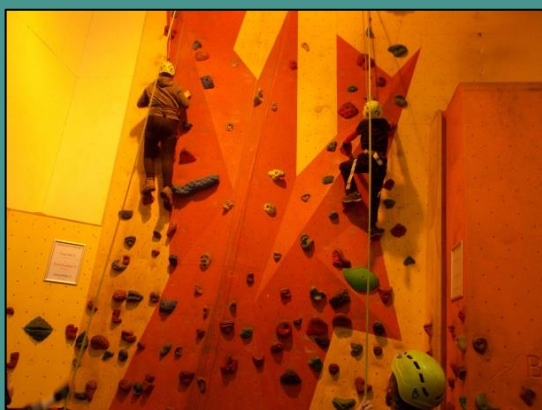
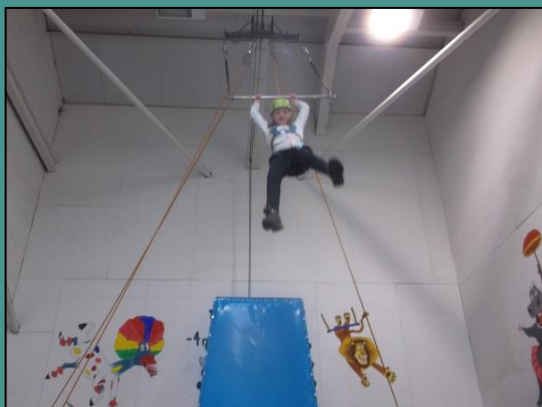
Stamp collecting for charity

We have a stamp collecting box in the shared area. The stamps will then be sent to the RSPB to support their efforts in saving the albatross.

Robinwood

Last week pupils from years 5 and 6 went to Robinwood. It certainly was a chilly weekend, but we all had a great time, enjoying activities such as the giant swing, zip wire, climbing, canoeing, archery and many more. The children tried really hard at everything and made us very proud of their attitude and behaviour. Well done to everyone and a huge thank you to all the staff that gave up their weekend to make the trip possible for the children.

Look out for information about next year's Robinwood trip which will be coming out after half term.



Lent Appeal

This year we will again be supporting the Food Bank for our Lent Appeal. We will be having a non-uniform day on Friday 9th March. If your child wears non uniform then they must provide an item to be taken to the Food Bank. These will be collected at the school gate as the children enter school. If a child wears non uniform, but does not bring an item then their name will be noted so an item can be provided the following week.

World Book Day

We will be celebrating World Book Day this year by recognising a local Cleckheaton author, Roger Hargreaves. Therefore we are asking the children to dress up as a Mr Man/Little Miss character for the day. There will be a prize for each class for the best costume, with a focus on the home made! Children can choose to dress up as an existing character, or make up one of their own. We look forward to seeing how imaginative they can be.

