



Tilery Times

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WHAT'S ON

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

Every Tuesday 9.45am – 11am at Stockton Central Library – Free
Join in this Parent and Toddler Group which is free of charge every Tuesday.

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Every Wednesday 12.30pm – 2.30pm

Sunrise Children's Centre - Yarm Road Stockton – Free
A weekly session to help you understand and manage the behaviour of children aged 2 – 12 years of age.

If you require any further information on these courses, please contact Stockton Borough Council on 01642 393939 or go to <http://events.stockton.gov.uk> where more details are available.

STOCKTON SPARKLES MAZE

From Saturday 6th December – Sunday 14th December

There is a snow covered maze full of Christmas surprises in which to get lost! The opening times are:

10.30am – 12 noon
12.30pm – 2.00pm
2.30pm – 3.30pm

No booking required and all completely free!

CHRISTMAS FAMILY BREAKFAST

We are having a Christmas Family Breakfast on Friday 19th December which all parents and carers are invited to. It will take place in the main hall during Breakfast club which runs from 7.30am -9.00am.

There will be a small charge of 50p each and there will be toast, cereal, bagels and fruit available.

Please let the school office know if you would like to attend.

HEADTEACHER'S NEWS

Dear parent, carer, pupil, friend of our school,

I am delighted to give you the brilliant news that our Christmas Fayre made just over £1000! This is our best Fayre ever so a massive thank you to everyone who came to the Fayre, contributed items, brought raffle tickets and those families who entered the Great Tilery Bake Off. All the money raised will be used to support our Holiday Clubs throughout the Christmas Holiday and 2015.

Many thanks to Maxine Turner and her team of Supervisory Assistants who worked so hard in preparing for the Fayre.

I hope all our pupils enjoy their Christmas parties and Christmas Dinner next week and I hope to see lots of parents /carers at the Christingle Service next Thursday.

I hope you all have a good weekend and all the best with the Christmas shopping.
Best wishes,
J.P.Repton

RAFFLE PRIZES

The Raffle Prizes were as follows:
Television – Caitlyn Robinson
Tablet – Jessie Trotter
Nintendo DS (Donated by Keep Moat) – Brandon Bowes Leonard
£20 Smyths Toy Voucher – Still to be drawn

ATTENDANCE - 01/12/14 –05/12/14

Class	%	Position
Miss Gent	99.1%	1st
Miss Prince	98.8%	2nd
Mrs Pickering	97.8%	3rd
Mrs Fender	96.8%	4th
Mrs Fearn	96.5%	5th
Mrs McColl	96%	6th
Mrs Robinson	95.4%	7th
Miss Shildrick	94.7%	8th
Miss Hunt	93%	9th
Miss Latham	87.6%	10th
Mrs Roberts	85.5%	11th

CHRISTINGLE DATE

The 2014 Christingle Service will take place on Thursday 18th December 2014 at 9.45am at Stockton Parish Church.

All children will be attending and we would love to see you there!

Year 5 will be performing their nativity, Year 6 will lead the Christingle procession, the choir will perform, and all children be joining in with singing carols. Please join us for this festive occasion.

Mrs Fearn – R.E. Co-ordinator

CHRISTMAS AT

Portrack Baptist Church
St Ann's Terrace, TS18 2HT

Mon 15 Dec 7pm Memorial Carol Service

An opportunity to remember those loved ones we've lost.

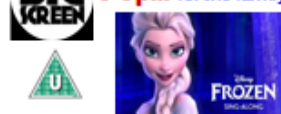
Sun 21 Dec 6.30pm Carols by Candlelight for all ages.

Tea, coffee, mince pies and cake for afters!



Mon 22 Dec £1

BIG GREEN 1-3pm for adults
6-8pm for the family



Refreshments at 'half-time'
Under 10s to be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Christmas Day 10-30am



"Happy Birthday", Jesus!
- An 'All-Age' Celebration

CLASS CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR SALE

Class Christmas card photographs for are now up for sale for parent/carers to buy. Samples of the photographs are going to be put outside each classroom for people to preview.

We are selling them in packs of 5 prints for £1.00.

The cards will be available to buy at the school office. Thank you.

YEAR 3-4 VISIT TO STEWART PARK

On Wednesday we went to Captain Cook Museum in Middlesbrough. We entered the big museum. When we got in we met someone called Jenny.

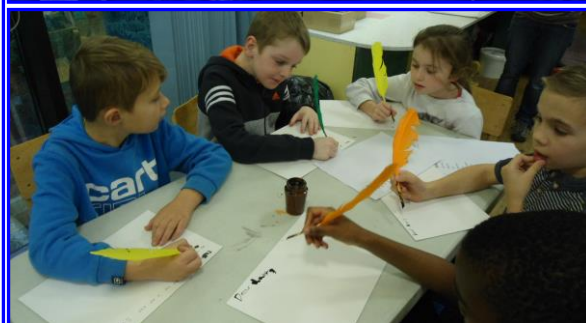
Tired, we went to the woods to look for scary, hairy mini beasts. We got into groups of 5 and 4's. I was with Owen, Layton, Dylan and CJ. Quickly, we saw a hairy, huge, brown spider. It was HORRENDOUS! Later on we saw a shell with a slimy snail in it.

After that, Mrs Baker said we could go to the wonderful park. Next we went into the museum to learn about Captain Cook. Did you know James Cook Hospital is named after Captain Cook? They called polar bears white bears and walrus sea horses.

Then we went into a very small room to learn more about him. Did you know in the olden days people slept in a hammock?

Soon we had lunch. After that we done some colouring and some word searches. Finally, we went back to school and we arrived there 3:05pm. We all had a great day.

By Felix - Year 4



Year 4 enjoying their visit to Stewart Park and the Captain Cook Museum.

CHRISTMAS DATES

Monday 15th – Year 5 Party

Tuesday 16th – Choir to perform at Asda Portrack 10am – 10.45am

Tuesday 16th – KS1 Party (pm)

Tuesday 16th – Year 3 & 4 Party (pm)

Wednesday 17th – Christmas Lunch

Thursday 18th – Christingle Service at Stockton Parish Church 9.30am

Thursday 18th – FS1 Party (am)

Thursday 18th – Year 6 Party (2pm)

Friday 19th – FS2 Party

Friday 19th – Toy Day (not a games console please)

Friday 19th – Reward Day for Termly Contribution money/School Disco