



Tilery Times

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YEAR 3 PORTRACK MARSH VISIT

On Tuesday morning we had a visitor from the Tees Valley Wildlife Trust come into our class to talk about rocks and soils which is our topic.

He showed us different stones and we had to pick one and draw it. Then we did some tests on the stone like dropping acid on it and water to see what would happen. Then we scratched it with sandpaper and our nails to see how hard they were.

On the afternoon we walked to Portack Marsh and saw a long tailed tit, some geese and a statue of a bird near the edge of the water.

We also made some art by collecting things from nature such as leaves and seeds. We all had a really great time.

By Tillie & Liam - Year 3



BEHAVIOUR POLICY

We are generally very proud of the behaviour of our pupils and often get compliments from visitors or when we go on school trips.

The behaviour of our children is important as it makes a difference to their readiness for learning. To promote good behaviour we have a school behaviour policy. We have recently been reviewing this policy and would welcome the views of the parents and carers of our children. The policy is on the school website

<http://www.sbcschools.org.uk/tilery/>

Click on the green pencil marked policies. Please have a look at it and if you have any comments you can send them to me on Friday 8th March between 2 and 3pm as there will be an afternoon 'drop in' with tea and coffee and the opportunity to discuss the policy with me or Christine Pratt who is one of our Pupil and Family Support Workers.
Mrs L Johnson - Assistant Headteacher.

LUNCHTIME CLUB

Every day at lunchtime there is a group of children that go to the After School Room for a lunchtime club.

It is fun to go there because we are allowed to play with anything!

On Wednesday we made cookies and it was a competition to see who could make the best cookie and I won! Today I will get a prize but the prize is a secret.

The best thing about the club is that you have fun all of the time and the important thing is to be nice to everyone.

By Zoubaida - Year 3



SWIMMING GALA

On Tuesday, our swimming team which consists of pupils from Years 4, 5 & 6, went to Billingham to take place in a swimming gala at Billingham Forum.

There were lots of other schools there taking place.

We came third after Whitehouse Primary and Crooksbarrow Primary.

In the girls' relay they came second in both and in the boys' relay we came first in both heats!

Some people dove right into the water even though it was absolutely freezing!

Everyone worked really hard and we were all very well behaved. We also had a great time and we are really proud of our results.

By Bayley & Cameron - Year 6

ATTENDANCE

1/02/13 - 15/02/13

Class	%	Position
Miss Shildrick	100%	1st
Mrs McColl	100%	1st
Mrs Fearn	99%	3rd
Mrs Robinson	97.9%	4th
Mrs Pickering	97.5%	5th
Miss Gent	97.1%	6th
Miss Prince	96.4%	7th
Miss Tupling	94.1%	8th
Miss Hunt	93.6%	9th
Mrs Wright	93.3%	10th