

Newsletter

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May we take this opportunity to wish all of our Heamoor family 'a very Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy New Year'.

2021 has been a bit closer to 'normal' but still a challenge in lots of

ways and we are so grateful for all of the support, care and understanding everyone has shown in our school community. We are very lucky.

Enjoy the break with your families and we look forward to welcoming you all back on 5th January 2022



Christmas Performances

We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who has supported our Christmas performances this year. We appreciate all of your help with costumes and following the guidance we put in place to make the performances as safe as possible. We were very proud that the children and staff worked so hard to be able to put the performances on, and ${
m I}$ am sure you will agree that they lifted our Christmas spirit!



CHRUSTMAS LUNCH





Red Class





Red class performed some Christmas classics for their parents last week. They practiced the songs and learned all of the actions. We are so proud of you!



We have been learning about shapes over the last few weeks. We made our own triangles and decorated them like Christmas trees.

We enjoyed making our own Christmas hats for Christmas dinner day. Here we are enjoying a festive lunch...











We have been busy decorating our classroom for Christmas. We had to stay steady and balance well to reach the top of our tree!

We designed our own wrapping paper thinking about patterns. Here is one with Santa and Rudolph on.





Orange Class





I am so proud of Orange Class! They have thoroughly enjoyed performing for you this week and getting all dressed up for their performance. A huge thank you to all of you for your support.



This week, Orange Class worked with Violet Class as part of their sports leadership training. They took part in various sports games which we can use on the playground at lunchtime.



Yellow Class



Stone Henge Sketches

As part of our 'Stone Age' project, we studied Stone Henge carefully, creating detailed sketches focusing on shape and shading. We learnt about the history and how this links to the Stone Age period.











We were also able to compare The Merry Maidens and Stone Henge in groups!

<u>Yellow Class</u>

Christmas fun!

We have had so much fun decorating our tree. Making Christmas hats for Christmas dinner and practising our amazing performance. All of us in Yellow Class wish you all a very

magical Christmas with your families!





Green





This week, Green Class brought our Bronze Age project to a close. We spent time researching craftsmen and the process of making jewellery, before designing our own Bronze Age jewellery. Although our creations were not made using precious metals, they still looked very luxurious!

Over the last couple of weeks, Green Class have been really getting into the Christmas spirit. We created our own cinema, and greatly enjoyed our private viewing of The Grinch! We have also been doing lots of different Christmas craft bits, which have helped brighten up our classroom.





We have adopted a mountain gorilla for Blue Class, and his name is **Blue**. We will have updates over the next year to find out how our money is helping the gorillas.

Blue Class





Christmas Yogal





Blue Class have had a lovely couple of weeks. And are starting to feel very Christmassy.



They loved the School Christmas dinner with all their friends.



They have also made Christmas

Cards and mini tree

decorations for friends and

family.











Indigo Class



Decking the Halls!

Indigo Class looks incredibly festive. The children have helped to decorate the classroom by putting up our class Christmas tree and have even created their own decorations. The snowflakes look cracking. Well done everyone!





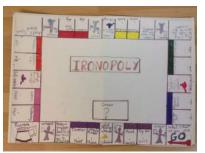














We have come to end of this term's project which has taught us lots about the Iron Age. We completed the project by learning all about Iron Age religion and the religious festivals of Imbolc, Beltane, Lugnassad and Samhain. We then wrote 'party' invitations, inviting our neighbouring tribes to join us in our festival celebrations.

Have a look at some of the fabulous work that the children have created this term.

Violet Class

Last week, Violet Class made Christmas hats for their special Christmas lunch! They were all so different and looked fantastic with the children's Christmas jumpers! Violet Class have discussed Christian and secular imagery at Christmas time and designed several different decorations. They made two of their designs from clay and painted them before adding a ribbon to hang them from their trees at home! As well as this, they also practised the Christmas performance - working hard to ensure they knew all their lines and cues as well as singing some beautiful solos and ensemble performances! The Tech Team have worked on lining up all the music accurately and ensuring the whole school know when to come onto stage! A brilliant (and tricky!) job so well done, Tech Team!

It has been a very busy and very fun end to the term! Merry Christmas!





The children have worked so hard to learn their lines! Thank you to our understudies who have also learned the parts too! So proud!

Two of our lovely Tech Team! Thank you to Neve, Evelyn and Finn!





Super Fundraising

You may have met Elliott who is in Year 5. He has been raising money for local charities for a few years now and is just finishing his Christmas toy appeal, so far having raised over £5,500 for poorly children in hospital at Christmas.

Elliott has also, so far, raised £5,050 for Penlee Lifeboat - you may have seen his epic sponsored walk in the local paper earlier this year and just last week he donated £1000 worth of Lego to West Cornwall Women's Aid. On top of this Elliott has, in the past, raised the money to be able to donate £1000 of IT equipment to a local school during lockdown and already has plans for his next big fundraising projects.

Elliott has been nominated for a Pride of Britain Award and was a finalist in the Brave Briton Awards. We are very happy to have Elliott as part of our Heamoor family and extremely proud of his amazing achievements so far.

If you would like to support Elliott's fundraising efforts please visit his JustGiving page: https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/elliott-toy-appeal













SATURDAY 18TH DEC

CHRISTMAS IN PENZANCE

HUMPHRY DAYY
LANTERN PARADE
JOIN THE PARADE 4:15PM CAUSEWAYHEAD

Christmas Market LOCAL GIFTS, FOOD TREATS AND MORE

BIG DANCE CO.

START AND END OF PARADE

SILENT DISCO

5:30PM - MARKET PLACE

Pive Music FROM 12 - MARKET PLACE & POPPING UP AROUND TOWN COAS

STORMTROOPERS
WATCHING THE STREET OF PZ

sssilent Street Entertainment Cisco

Penzance

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ON SALE NOW!!!



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All proceeds will help fund printing costs for the "Heamoor Herald" free community magazine



CHRISTMAS SOCCER CAMP

Festive Football Fun at MBFDC







Date Monday 20th December 2021

Soccer Tots, 3 - 6 Year Olds School Years Reception & Year 1 10:00am - 12:00pm £6.00

Soccer Pros, 7 - 13 Year Olds School Years 2 - 8 10:00am - 3:30pm £15.00

Venue

Mounts Bay Football Development Centre

Mounts Bay Academy Sports Centre, Heamoor, Penzance, Cornwall, TR18 3JT

Other Info

All children are welcome to attend from any school or club
The MBFDC coaching staff are UEFA / FA qualified & DBS checked
Pre-booking only, register & book online
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