CEDARSTIMES 3



CEDARS BAKE OFF

We held a special bake off to raise money for Macmillan Cancer. A great afternoon was held by all.

£500+ Raised

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CANCER SUPPORT





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This term's star bakers have been Rhys J, Paige B, Oliver C-F and Charlie H.



As you are aware, sadly Julia, our beautiful Receptionist from Ivy Lane passed away last month.

In remembrance, we have named a star in her name.

Visit www.star-register.org then type in code: 1469695

Thank you to Ciaran Bell and his family for the kind donation



CLASS EARWORK • TRUST • ACCEPTANCE

Class 12 have had two important visitors coming to their classroom this half term; Josephine and Jack. They're cloth dolls and with the help and guidance of Tom and Martine, they guide and support people with learning disabilities through problematic relationships and issues relating to sex education.

Class 12 have joined in with activities to promote teamwork, trust and acceptance. They have also practiced their communication skills, memory and recall.

CLASS ONE

All of **Class 1** have settled into Cedars extremely well and made a fantastic start to their journey at Cedars! One of our highlights this half term has been our weekly forest school adventures at Thornley Woods. It's been fascinating to observe the changes in the woods during the autumnal period. Everyone has loved collecting acorns, conkers and pine cones which we've put to good use in our Maths and Creative activities. The sculpture trail has also proved to be very popular and a good talking point for the children. All the staff and children in class 1 highly recommend a visit over half term.





Well done to the Primary Students that entered the Young Writers, Little Riddlers Poetry competition during the summer term last year. The people at Young Writers loved the pupil's riddles and a number of the pieces were chosen to be published. The book will be available at the end of November for everyone to share their great work.

Congratulations Elm & Birch Class, we cannot wait to see your work in print!

CLASS FOUR



Class 4 have had an amazing start to the school year! We have all enjoyed our topic, Funnybones and have loved reading and writing our own fantastic stories. We have been learning all about the body and the purpose of the skeleton, as well as how to keep ourselves healthy. We have explored how hospitals and health care have changed over the years and explored the lives of significant people, such as, Florence Nightingale. We were all excited to invite the significant people from our own lives in for afternoon tea. It was so lovely that so many of our parents and carers could join us. We are all looking forward to the next half term.

Class 3 are loving their topic on Superheroes! They particularly enjoy listening to the Supertato stories. They created their own Supertato's and have been planning their own superhero stories. Well done Class 3!



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Class 5 would like to thank North East Koi based on TVTE for allowing them to come and buy goldfish for their new class. They have decorated their corner to make them feel happy and relaxed. Pupils love watching them swim and find it very relaxing.



CLASS TWO

Pupils in **Class 2** have been settling into their new class this half term. We have been designing our class rules and talking lots about how we behave. We have been exploring number and shapes in maths and made some fantastic shape pictures. We have also been reading 'We're Going on A Bear Hunt' by Michael Rosen and went on our own Bear Hunt to help us write our own version. **Class 2** have started looking at Gateshead in our topic and will be exploring this more next half term. We have started off by going on a walk in our local area, mapping what we noticed and also exploring this on Google Maps. We can't wait for next half term to explore new stories, especially about the Fire of Gateshead.







Students have been instigating mental health after World Mental Health Day on 10th October, self evaluating positive feelings that help them deal with anger and their own healthy mind set, drawing inside a huge brain.

The Lawnmower Society have been doing drama taster sessions with Sophie Atkinson and children from **Class 6 and 7**. The pupils have engaged well playing a range of games to enhance their social skills and interacting with one another; they played 'Where's My Radio', 'Opposites' and 'Working At The Office'.





for the disco.

CLASS TEN

Mr Finn and Class 10 were invited down to Oakfield Primary School as part of their 'Diversity Week'. Class 10 students



Class 7 invited parents into school to take part in an afternoon learning about Creative Autumnal Art; parents and children worked together on their chosen design. The children also made everyone feel welcome by offering them homemade cakes and tea/ coffee, it was an enjoyable afternoon.

Thanks to everyone who got involved.





Cedars Parent Council

Cedars Parent Council is a group of parents and carers that get together once a term for a tea and biscuits. We chat about how we as parents / carers can best help our school, with things like fund raising, communication with school, social events, etc. We are hoping to book the Christmas party at the Vault again this year as it was such a success last year, so watch this space.

We would love to see more parents get involved but if you can't make the meetings why not pop along to our new Friday afternoon drop in and chat slot for a cuppa from 1.30pm in the Lodge starting after the half term Friday the 2nd November.

This is a great chance to get involved in your child's school and meet some new friends.

fundraising events

A 'DRY' **ROW THE TYNE**

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WALK THE TYNE THE TYNE

For more information please contact: fundraiser@cedarsacademy.org.uk or you can donate on http://mydonate.bt.com/events/cedarstravelthetyne/475477

Tuesday 6th November **Gateshead Civic Centre**

10am 'til 2pm

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Please come along & support our students

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