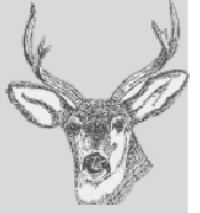


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EMBRACE CHALLENGE!

SOUTH DARLEY C.E.
PRIMARY SCHOOL



Celebrating Our Week

Friday 6th September 2024

Infants looking back at last week

It has been lovely to welcome our new children this week and they have settled in brilliantly - what superstars! We have already done some excellent sorting and counting and exploring of some Judith Kerr stories with familiar settings, deciding on which were our favourite parts. We have thought about what makes each of us special and about what makes the word 'God' so special to Christians. Reception have been learning about Nocturnal animals and enjoyed the story "Bear In The Night" before having fun acting out the story using props. In PE on Friday the children enjoyed playing 'Pirates' running across different points in the playground without being 'tagged' by a 'pirate'. There were lots of fast runners!

Infants Looking forward to next week

Next week, as well as more counting and comparing numbers, we will be working on the story of 'Dogger' and 'Whatever Next!'. We will be thinking about how we have changed since we were babies and about things we are looking forward to be able to do when we are older. As part of our work it would be great if children could bring (on Tuesday) a baby photograph of themselves and their favourite toy to tell us about. Next week Reception will be reading the story "Handa's Surprise". They will be finding out about different cultures and tasting a variety of different kinds of fruit. In Maths Reception will be doing lots of number work and using Numicon finding objects to match a given number.

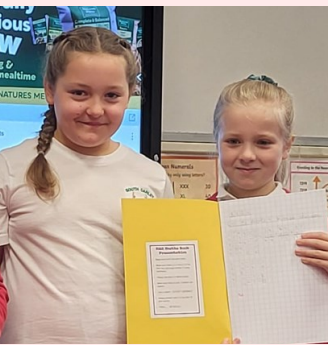
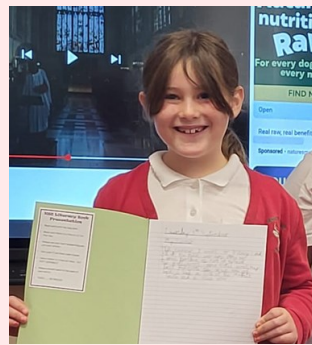
Juniors looking back at last week

It has been great to welcome the juniors back this week and they have made a fantastic start to the year. In the Year 5 and 6 classroom, they have been looking at Roman numerals and completing a variety of activities to help them grasp creating numbers with them. They have also begun some work on place value. As well as this, we have started to read our text for this half term 'Warrior Troll' and we have been thinking about the characteristics of the trolls in the book. In the Year 3 and 4 classroom, they have been writing about their summer holidays, cracking a maths code and playing a variety of Maths games. All of the juniors have done some drama and role play to imagine what it was like to be a monk at Lindisfarne when the Vikings raided and they have started their relationships topic in PSHE.

Juniors looking forward to next week

Next week all the juniors will be recapping their knowledge of Lindisfarne to complete work about the raid as well as finding out about the journey of the Vikings and exploring maps. In the Y5/6 classroom, they will be writing a guide to trolls using the information they know about Hildi and Thom in the Warrior Troll and completing work on Place Value in Maths. They will also be starting their new topic about light in Science, exploring how we see and how light travels. In the Y3/4 classroom, they will also be introduced to the Warrior Troll story, will begin to look at Place Value and will be exploring sound and how it is made. All the children will be learning Spanish this year beginning with greetings.

Best work of the week was awarded to George, Margot, Eliza, Leah, Ava, Ella A and Rosa R.



House Points

Haddon— 13

Riber—12

Chatsworth— 10

House Points Prize winners—
Ella & Libby

What's on next week

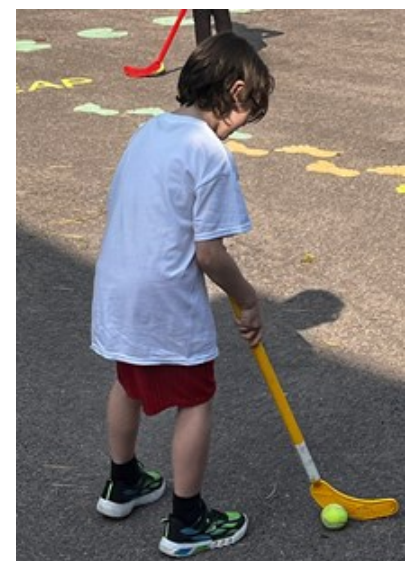
Mon 9th	New Juniors Information Meeting 3.30pm in the middle classroom.
Tues 10th	Family Service at St Mary's 9.10am All welcome.
Weds 11th	Little Darlings Toddler Group 10.30am—12 noon in the infant classroom.
Thurs 12th	
Fri 13th	PE at school in the afternoon.

PE Stars of the Week

George &
Daisy

Arlo &
Edwin

Arnie &
Eliza



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