

Millwood News



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MILLWOOD'S OPENING CEREMONY

What a wonderful day - thanks to all of you for making it so memorable. The pupils had a fabulous time. Some, sadly, were absent through illness and others didn't make it into the hall because they find it over-stimulating with the high level of auditory and visual input (too much noise and light). Well done to those children who replaced their friends at the last minute! Any child who didn't make it into the hall had a special chance to say hello to Danny Boyle when he visited every class. He managed to say hello to all the children in

every class - what a star!





Nursery 1 In Whitelow nursery this week we have been getting ready for the Queen's Jubilee we have listened to traditional music and looking at crown jewels. We have been very excited to meet Danny Boyle and he was a very kind man and spent a lot of time with us in class saying hello.



Nursery 2 have had a very busy week. In our music lesson we listened to Chinese music and explored different Chinese instruments and foods. We have had lots of fun rehearsing for our opening ceremony.



Whitelow 1 this week have been practising really hard for the opening ceremony and are all really looking forward to meeting Danny Boyle. We have also enjoyed making cakes read for our Jubilee party on Friday.



Whitelow 2 This week in Whitelow 2 we have been getting ready for the opening ceremony. We have also been learning about the Queen and the special Queen's Jubilee party we are having in class today. We have made bunting and crowns.



Redvales 1 This week we have been so busy rehearsing for the opening ceremony - all our hard work paid off as it was amazing and we all looked great in our yellow colours! We also made crowns,



bunting and flags for our Jubilee party.

Redvales 2 Wow! What a super week! We have been working hard on our phonics and counting, making animal masks, making flags for the Jubilee and practising our singing for the Opening Ceremony. Also, we have been to explore the locality, looking at plants and flowers in the environment. We are really looking forward to showing off our beautiful new school on Thursday. Have a fun holiday from all in Redvales 2.



Redvales 3 This week we have been practising our measuring skills. We went on a hunt around school for things that were over 1 metre long, and we had some very imaginative ideas about what we could measure!



Redvales 5 -A fabulous week for 8 fabulous children! We are getting very independent around class and are enjoying doing lots of tasks for ourselves. We have been learning how to take turns with each other whilst playing games. We enjoyed meeting



Danny Boyle and making decorations for the Jubilee fun day. We are ready for a rest now though. Happy holidays everyone!



Redvales 6 have had a very busy week preparing for the opening ceremony and our Jubilee Party. We loved making bunting, flags and crowns. We also made our own fairy cakes. Holly Gentry was selected to be our Jubilee Queen!!



Irwell 1 Everyone in Irwell 1 has been really busy getting ready for our Opening Ceremony and important visitors. All the children have been fantastic in rehearsals, doing their bits calmly and well, and being very patient when it wasn't our turn to perform, sometimes that's tricky! In addition they have enjoyed creating lots of underwater-type paint effects for our display - wave making with rollers, painting seaweed-y palm prints and fabulous bubble printing too. It's been such a creative week.



Irwell 2 have been busy rehearsing for the grand opening this week. We had a double celebration with Jasmine's birthday and a fantastic celebration cake sent into us by Rebecca's Mum- Karen. Thank you very much!



Irwell 4 This week has been very busy for Irwell 4 we have been rehearsing for our very special role in the opening ceremony and have even managed to bake some cherry scones with cream and fit in some work on floating and sinking.



More about our busy week

Irwell 5 and 6 have had a great week at swimming and are soaring through the badges. This week Elliott and Joseph achieved their 50m badge and Tom and Joseph achieved their 25m

Badge.



If you have a brother or sister who comes to Millwood and you would like to join the Siblings' Group use

the diary to let us know - the more the merrier.

SENSORY SUPPORT TEAMS

Welcome to all our colleagues from the sensory support teams who are moving into Irwell wing today and over the next week.

JUBILEE

Photos to follow after half-term.

The Millwood Siblings Group bowling trip was lots of fun - super bowling, lots of chat, play and smiles.



STARS OF THE WEEK



FS/KS 1

Riley for participating in dancing and being very brave and having fun on the play equipment.



KS 1/KS2

Joseph M for improving in all areas and behaving superbly at all times



Best wishes

Helen Chadwick

Headteacher



Boomerang 1st Birthday

We would like to invite you to come and join in our First Birthday Celebrations on Saturday 9th June 2012

Fun Starts at: 10.00 am Finishes at: 4.00 pm

Fun for all the family..... Bouncy castle, stalls, tombola, celebrity guest, games for kids and

Grownups alike!!

Hope you can come 😊

