## MILLWOOD NEWS

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#### THANKS TO PARENTS AND CARERS

Many thanks to our parents and carers who attended the inspection meeting yesterday in relation to the SEND inspection of the LA.

#### PAGE OF CONDOLENCE

Please do continue to let me have any messages you wish to place on our Condolence page in relation to the Manchester Arena attack.

#### FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

As expected, our exceptional football team won 3 out of 4 of their 'Premier League' matches at the Etihad tournament. We will be awarding their trophy at Monday's assembly and have invited a special guest for Armed Forces Day to present their very well-deserved award. They are very happy!!! Nearly as happy as me!

# VISIT BY BETH TWEDDLE, OLYMPIC GYMNAST

Beth is an exceptionally inspirational person and we were all very impressed by the way she spoke with the children and got them interested. She even showed them her beautiful



bronze medal (2012 Olympic Games). Thank you very much Beth.



Please see Bury Times website for pictures and hopefully a short video of George performing a forward roll - it's a 10 from me, George. Pictures should also be in the Bury Times and/or the Radcliffe Times.





#### LEARNING IS FUN!

Week 2 of our Camerata monster-themed music project. The children are having so much fun. This week they have been: playing music as a group, conducting their friends to stop and start and they have been composing their own musical score based on a journey to monster island.















#### STARS OF THE WEEK





#### FS/KS1

Jacob B for super engagement across the curriculum



#### KS1/2

Shafa H for walking independently for the first time in her walking frame.

Special Award for James D for his weekend news write up.

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Nursery 1 This week has been full of fun activities. We have been focusing on the colour white. The children enjoyed playing in different white foods and mark making with paint. They have also enjoyed going outside.



Whitelow 1 This week in Whitelow 1 we travelled to London. We arrived in style on the train, toured the city on a big red bus. Collected a water taxi at London Bridge and sailed on the Thames to Big Ben. We then cycled





to
Hyde Park. The Linear
maps we made during
our Geography lesson
helped us with our travel plans. We even had
time to bake scones and
enjoy afternoon tea on
our return to Whitelow
1 Class.

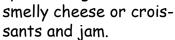
Nursery 2 This week have been busy learning how to play our instruments in Music. We played loud and quiet, fast and slow, stop and start. We enjoyed playing the drum and made lots of musical noise.



Whitelow 2 This week in Whitelow 2 we have worked together to Row Our Boat all over the place, meeting lots of different



animals and making ourselves giggle when we fitted actions to words: especially roaring like a lion and finally falling into the water, with a big wet 'splash!' We also flew our Millwood aeroplane to Paris where we admired the beautiful sights and then ate a very pleasant 'petit repas' of baguettes and

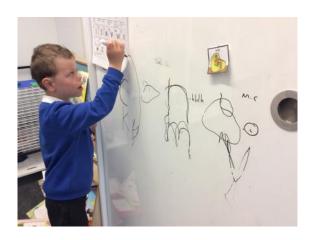




Redvales 1 Have been working extremely hard this week. We have been looking into the past and held our own medieval jousting tournament in History. In ICT we used switches to activate fans and the plasma screen. We continued with the properties of water and the effect it had on dry lentils against cooked lentils in science. We have also worked on "The Hungry Caterpillar" and got up to "On Thursday he ate 4 strawberries". We painted pictures of Strawberries.



Redvales 3 This week in Redvales 3 we have been working on our letter formation, matching phonemes to graphemes and blending letter sounds together to read words. And of course we've been getting ready for Sports Day too!



Redvales 2 We have had a fantastic week! We have been learning about the Hajj and pilgrimage to Mecca. We practised washing our hands, explored a prayer mat, dressed in traditional clothes and walked around the Kaaba stone to a rhyme. We also had a great sports day. Well done Redvales 2!



Redvales 4 have been super explorers this week looking around our school for natural and manmade objects. We have also been little athletes practising and competing in sports day activities. Here is Scarlett on our walk finding natural objects!



Redvales 5 What a lovely week we have had in Redvales 5! We have had so much fun practicing for and taking part in Sports Day. We all tried so hard and were really kind friends, we all cheered and clapped as we did our best!



Irwell 1 We have been doing lots of work on number this week. We have been choosing how many of something we would like by giving the correct symbol to our

grown ups.



Redvales 6 have had another wonderful week! In Maths we loved listening to the story of "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" and

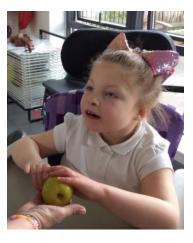


counted all the different food items. In English we continued our fairground theme and created some lovely candyfloss pictures using cotton wool dipped in paint.

Irwell 2 This week Irwell 2 have had a great week we have been working hard on our communication with speech and lanquage sessions and had lots of



fun leaning about Alexander Graham Bell and the inventions of telephones.

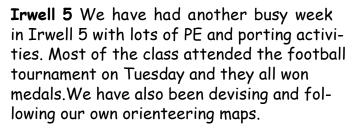




Irwell 3 This week in PE Irwell 3 and 4 worked together with a Rugby coach from Salford Red Devils. We learnt new skills, played some games, worked together as a team and most of all had lots



and lots of fun! We can't wait for next









Irwell 4 We have been learning about Ancient Egypt so we dressed up as mummies and built pyramids out of Duplo. We really enjoyed it.





Irwell 6 We have been working hard on fractions, learning all about halves and guarters. We have been "halving" and "quartering" our home made pizzas.



Best wishes Helen Chadwick Headteacher

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### MILLWOOD DUCKLINGS

The Millwood ducklings have left their nest, not so much flown as happily waddled away to the canal.





