



The Buzz

What's on
at school
this
Christmas?



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WORKING TOGETHER TO BE THE BEST WE CAN BE



We loved this night to the moon and back...

There was a brilliant turnout to support our 'after dark' family learning event last week. Infants and their families had a fun evening travelling 'To the Moon and Back', where they enjoyed star gazing, an innovative constellation hunt, rocket launching, moon art and a chance to create an alien biscuit washed down with some rocket fuel! It was lovely to see so many imaginative costumes in the torchlight parade. Many thanks to all parents for supporting their children with their learning, and to everyone involved in making the event a success. We were thankful that the weather was kind to us all!

'One small step'... This intrepid young spaceman sets out on his mission to infinity and beyond. Not surprisingly, his amazingly detailed costume and the brilliant umbrella spaceship won the two best costume prizes on the night. Top marks for effort to the parents and families!



Sofa, so good! Nursery children make themselves at home with new donation from the PTA...



The Nursery reading corner has become even more welcoming with the addition of a new sofa, courtesy of funds raised by the PTA. A big thumbs up and thanks from all the children!



Parent Council meeting

Please come along to the Parent Council meeting at 6pm this Wednesday (27th) as we review progress to date and plan how best to continue to support the school in our development journey.

It's on the cards...

If you've ordered Christmas cards and artwork through apfs, the dispatch date back to the school is November 28th. Orders will be sent out as soon as possible after that via your child's class.



It's business as usual for staff as we all enjoyed our long weekend

In-service days allow our staff and senior team to work together to develop plans to help improve outcomes for our children.

Last Thursday and Friday, our staff were very productive and can be seen here preparing resources for outdoor learning activities...



A fantastic visit to our partners in Camphill

We visited Camphill School and took part in workshops including pottery, cycle repair, candle making, wood turning and cooking.



Don't miss out on your chance to win these great raffle prizes for our school!

£1.00 per strip

Dec P.T.A Raffle Prizes

- James Dunn House Gift Voucher
- Sonya Angus Gift Voucher
- The Dolls House Gift Voucher
- Boutique Beauty Gift Voucher
- The DOG Shed Grooming Voucher
- Balanced Soul Reflexology Voucher
- Cardhu Gold Reserve Single Malt
(Thank you to the boys!)
- Jills smell a like Inspired By Tom Ford Black Orchid 50ml

Even if you can't manage along to our Black Tie dinner on December 7th, please support the school by buying raffle tickets, just £1 a strip! Visit the Milltimber PTA Facebook page, and leave a message. Thank you!



Our Digital Skills Life and Ethos Group have been sharing their understanding and skills linked to @texthelp with children across the senior area.

Jess will fly the flag!

Well done to Jess Freeland in S3 @ Cults who has been selected for the U15 Scotland Girls Hockey squad!

Our collection for Poppy Scotland has raised £129.65.

Santa fun run

Join in the 2K Santa Family Fun Run this Saturday (30th) from 12.45pm at Cults Primary School. We also need helpers to be marshals or serve refreshments. Please support Cults and Milltimber PTAs.



P5/6 and P6 have been creating short films using green screen and developing digital skills...

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- November 27th – Parent Council AGM, 6pm, staff room. All welcome.
- November 28th – Cinderella Panto 9.30am for Nursery–P6 children, kindly funded by the PTA
- Monday December 2nd – ‘Christmas Cracker’ event for children 1.30 - 3pm
- Friday December 6th – Supporting Learners Coffee afternoon, 2.15 – 3pm in Mrs Smiths Room. Family Learning Event.
- Thursday December 12th – Whole School Christmas Celebration, Nursery → P7. 2 performances 9.30 – 10.30 approximately and 1.45 – 2.45 approximately in the Hall. All families welcome
- Friday December 13th – Christmas Jumper Day. Children are encouraged to bring a pound for charity
- Tuesday December 17th – Christmas Parties for all children. Children can come to Nursery/School in their party clothes
- Wednesday December 18th – Christmas Lunch
- Thursday December 19th – Carols around the Christmas Tree 2.30 – 3pm in Hall. All families welcome to come along and join us
- Friday December 20th – Christmas Service, Deeside Church, 1.45pm. Please collect Nursery pm children at Church at 3pm. All families welcome
- Friday December 20th – School closes 3.15pm for the holidays!



Thank you for reading The Buzz this week. We'd love to know what you think about it! Please let us know your news and views by contacting kay@marblesccc.com. See you next week.