



PTFA UPDATE

Pop Up Cafe - Wednesday 25th March, Infants Canteen: 3-4.30pm

As we're getting so close to Easter we're having an Easter themed craft session so come along, let the children do some making and sit back with a cake and cuppa!

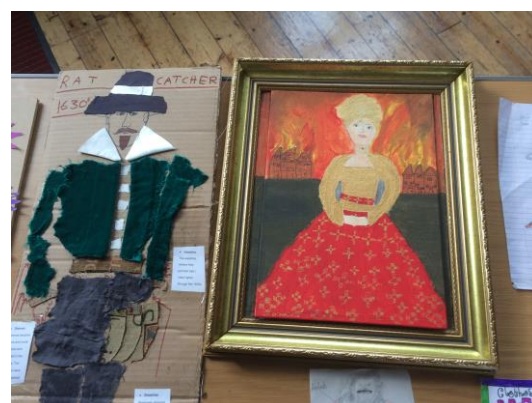
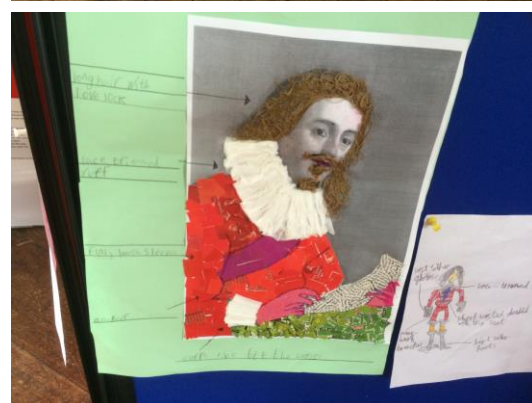
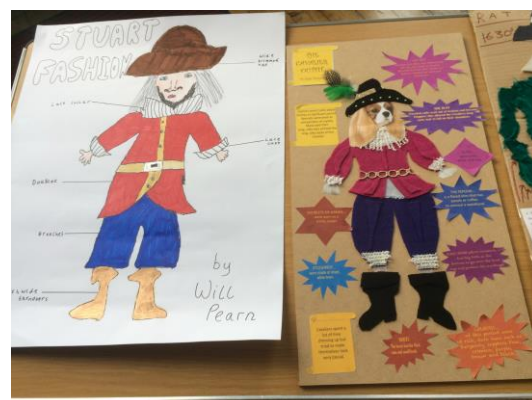
We are delighted that the University of Exeter students are coming back to help, as they did such a great job at the last cafe.

It's the turn of **Year 1** to bake so reminders and plates will be going out in book bags on Monday.

There will also be a chance to buy **second hand uniform**.

Look forward to seeing you next week!

Ladysmith PTFA FUNdraisers



Year 5 Homework Exhibition

We were all really impressed with the Y5 homework exhibition. Thank you for your support in completing the tasks and in coming along to view their lovely work.

Red Nose Day

We raised £247.63 for Red Nose Day

Thank you!





Whisper

We have added the Whisper button to our school website. This allows anyone to report issues directly to the school even if they want to do so anonymously. You can use this service if:

- You or someone else is being bullied
- Something is happening online that you don't feel comfortable with and might need some advice
- If you feel somebody at the school is at risk
- If you have a problem that you need to talk about to somebody

You can find out more about the service here:

<https://www.swgflwhisper.org.uk/About/FAQs>



Something's been burrowing up by the new hedge – any ideas? Is it a rabbit, a cat, a fox or a badger? The pound coin is to show you how big the footprints are!

This week's E-Safety Top Tip for Parents

Google apps before your child downloads them to make sure their content is appropriate.

For more help and advice visit

www.nspcc.org.uk/online-safety or www.childnet.com where there are further resources for families

We received this lovely letter from David Norrish following the visit last week from the Exeter Symphony Orchestra:

We were so pleased that our visit to Ladysmith Junior School last Wednesday afternoon was so well received. From our point of view we were made to feel very welcome by both staff and pupils alike. We were impressed by the way in which the children came into the hall, their attention and concentration and the enthusiasm with which they participated.

They had obviously been well prepared and interacted keenly with the music being played and responded really well to questions with thoughtful answers and observations. For some of the children it was probably the first time they had heard a live string quartet, or heard a double bass or oboe being played live, or seen and held historic musical instruments and it was rewarding to see such interest.

We were further impressed by the pupils' own performance of the 'body percussion' piece - a great way of showing them that everyone has the ability to perform.

The feedback concerning our visit has been extremely rewarding for us and it is heartening to think that in some small way we may have encouraged the children to become actively involved in making music for themselves.



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