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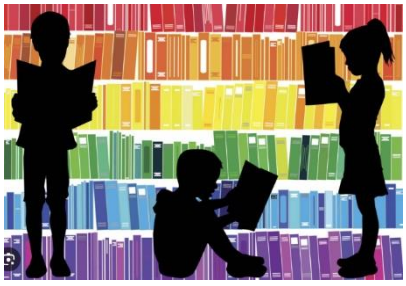
HURST GREEN NEWS
FRIDAY 1st DECEMBER 2023

There is only one thing happening this weekend!
(apart from the lighting of the Christmas tree tonight at 6pm, HG village hall)

JOIN US
FOR A MINCE PIE
MULLED WINE
HOT DOGS
SOUP
CAKES

GAMES
STALLS
TOMBOLA
GIFTS
A TROLLEY (!)
HAMPERS

********* WE ARE SUPER EXCITED TO SEE YOU ALL TOMORROW *********



WHICH CLASS HAS READ THE MOST THIS WEEK?
Willow: 81%
Silver Birch: 73%
Chestnut: 64%
Oak: 93%

Last call for Christmas Gift room slips
Please make sure these are all in on Monday, as we will be doing these throughout next week.

Nursery

The children have been busy making reindeer plants for the Christmas Fair tomorrow, so come along and buy one! We have been talking about shapes and how they are different, we had a go at drawing shapes and finding them around the nursery. Have a go at home - ask your child to find a circle, square or a triangle and see what they find. We have been reading 'The Gruffalo's Child' this week.

Willow

This week we have been learning about the number 4 in Maths. We have discovered different ways to make 4 and can demonstrate how to make 4 using 'Stampoline' patterns. We had a fantastic time making dragons out of clay, creating different textures and sculpting the wings and tail. We are really looking forward to performing our Nativity next week. Please remember that we will be selling something special that we have been working on at the Christmas fair so please come along and support us!

HT Award R: Ava for excellent effort in phonics.

Reader of the week: Ralph M-K

Silver Birch

Money, money, money! We have been playing shops using coins to add up to a pound. Please encourage your children to attend the Christmas fair to put this in to practise tomorrow. Mrs Foster told us all about toys from the sixties – we wrote all our questions and then interviewed her! I am really impressed with the handwriting in class. I hope that when you are writing their Christmas cards with them you will see how well they are doing.

HT Award Yr1: Finley for being a fabulous orator.

HT Award Yr2: Arabella for much improved handwriting.

Reader of the week: Curtis

Chestnut

In English, we have been focusing on direct speech this week, the children wrote an interview with Varjak Paw. In Maths, we have been continuing with our multiplication and division facts, multiplying by 0, 1, the number itself and multiplying three numbers. In RE we learnt about Ramadan and why it is so important for Muslims. In Geography we have been learning about Rainforests around the world and explored why these regions have such a high level of rainfall.

HT Award Yr 3: Teddy for having a positive attitude.

HT Award Yr 4: Callum for making good progress with his times-tables.

Reader of the week: Amelie

Oak

In Maths, Year 6 have been learning the short division method and Year 5 have been multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000. In English, we have written suspense stories based on 'Zelda Claw'. using our 'suspense' toolkit'. We are working on our editing skills and presentation skills, especially concentrating on handwriting and using punctuation correctly. In Science, we have been learning about how shadows are formed and in RE we have been learning about Tawhid in Islam. We have also been finishing our decorations for the Christmas Fayre and hope that you will be able to join us tomorrow!

HT Award: Yr 5: JJ for being very practical and creative when making our Christmas decorations. He also collected a lot of materials for everyone to use.

HT Award Yr 6: Scarlett for taking a great deal of care when making her Christmas decorations.

Reader of the week: Lois for now writing in her reading record!

TONIGHT:	Village lighting of the tree at the village hall: 5.45pm onwards.
TOMORROW:	Christmas Fair 11-2pm.
Monday 4th December:	Christmas Gift room throughout the week.
Wednesday 6th December:	Little Acorns and whole school pantomime at the school.
Thursday 7th December:	Nativity performance at 2pm.
Monday 11th December:	KS2 Carol service at 2pm at the Church.
Wednesday 13th December:	Christmas jumper day and Christmas lunch day.
Friday 15th December:	Last day of term

IF YOUR CHILD HAS ENERGY AT THE WEEKEND, THIS IS A GREAT LOCAL JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB WHO ARE LOOKING FOR PLAYERS.