



Cherry

Spring Half Term

Newsletter

February 2012

Dear Parents/Carers,

I cannot believe how quickly the end of the term has come! We seemed to have packed so much in so short a space of time.

The children have worked hard throughout the term, and continue to be a polite, cheerful and enthusiastic team. They are a credit to the class!

Read on below to see what we have been up to!

Clubs, sports and events

In this term there have been a lot of sports happening throughout the school. The rugby teams faced Monkfield at Cambourne. The teams did extremely well and both the A and B team won. The A team dramatically won 11-4 while the B team did just as well winning 7-5. Everyone had a great time there and will be looking forward to the next stages.

The year 2s and 3s have been very sporty competing in intra school football competitions.

In school we have now got a cricket strip and 18 mountain bikes. Some older children have been teaching the year 2s and 3s cricket. We are very lucky to have lots of amazing teachers in Bourn, including Mrs Field. She has made PE and sport a massive part of school life and now we have got lots of things that has helped us improve our skills.

Everyone hopes we can keep doing well in tournaments and keep winning trophies because they look good in the entrance hall!

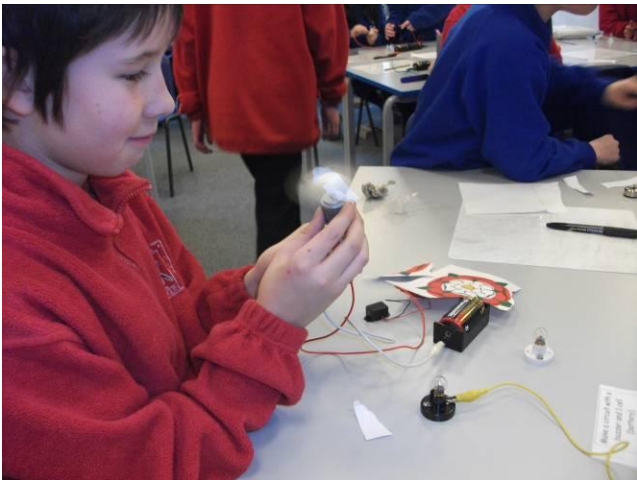
By Ben J

PE

In PE we have been doing rugby and gym. In gym we had to make a routine in groups. In our routine we need to have a jump, roll and a travelling movement. We may use equipment or just the mats.

In rugby we learned how to tag people by pulling the tag out of their waist band, shout 'tag' and then give it back. Some children play rugby outside of school and they get to lead the teams.

By Nourhan



Science

In science we have been learning about electricity and how circuits work. We learnt that electrons are tiny microscopic atoms that travel from the negative end of a battery to the positive end. We built circuits using different components and different numbers of batteries. We found out that the more bulbs in a circuit, the dimmer they will shine, and the more batteries in a circuit, the brighter they will shine. But if we put too many batteries in and only one bulb in a circuit, the bulb will blow. In our circuits we used switchers, bulbs, buzzers and motors.

By Lottie Footman

Maths

In maths this term, Cherry have been working on angles and finding the missing angles in triangles. Cherry have also been working on negative numbers and subtracting negative numbers from negative numbers. We have also been learning how to add them. Recently we have been focussing on graphs: line graphs and pie charts.

By Ben C



Doctor Who

This term we took part in a Doctor Who Script Writing Competition. Primary schools across the country have been writing scripts as well. We worked in groups of 2 or 3 to write a 3 minute scene. One script will be chosen to be sent off.

The prize is to have your scene filmed and we get to watch!

By Alec

Hope you all have a restful break over the half term, and I look forward to seeing everyone very soon!

Class Cherry's assembly is on the first Friday back!

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