### **East Harptree C of E Primary School Newsletter 11**

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022



Congratulations to our Stars of the Week and Head teacher Award Winners. Also this week, we celebrated outside of school achievements including jiu jitsu gradings. Well done everyone!



Finley, Thomas, Charlie, Kayla, Genevieve, Boe, Dotty, Frank, Jack, Faye, Freddie, Barnaby, Ella, William and Ethan

Please come along and show your support for the Christmas market this SATURDAY 11am-3pm at the school organised by our wonderful PTA. We have some lovely activities for the children including Santa's grotto and a beautiful hamper donated by Arthur David



## **HEDGEHOGS GET DOWN TO EARTH**

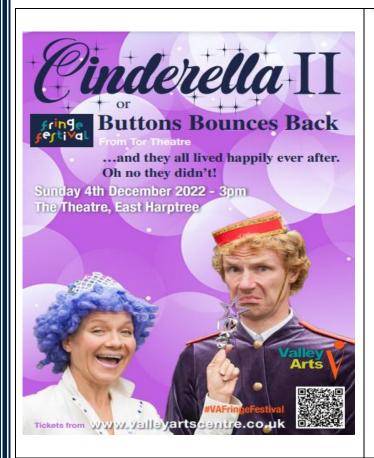
Hedgehogs enjoyed some mindfulness lying on the grass during forest school this week. Physical contact with the earth's surface helps reduce stress hormone, cortisol, in the body, promoting sound sleep. Hope the Hedgehogs enjoyed a good night's rest! ©







In Otters this week, we have been writing our own fairytales and continued working on adding and subtracting mixed numbers. We also had a brilliant question and answer session with Angela yesterday after her assembly all about the Bible story of Jesus turning water into wine!







Presented by Music for Miniatures

### Sunday 11th December 2022 – 11am St Andrew's Church Hall, Chew Magna

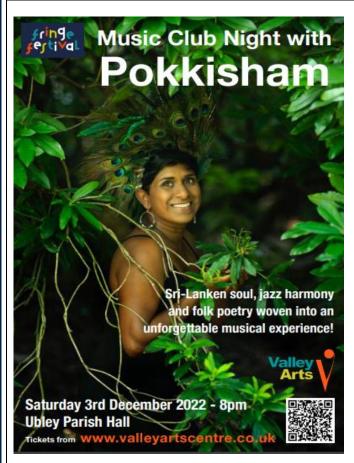
The perfect way to bring the magic of Christmas alive! Puppets, actors and piano perform festive classics, 'Twas the Night Before Christmas and The Snowman.

#### GET YOUR TICKETS AT ANY VALLEY ARTS EVENT

Adult £9, Child £8, Family ticket for 4 £30

Or from www.valleyartscentre.co.uk (booking fees apply)

Suitable for children aged 3-8. PLEASE NOTE, due to the staging of the performance, we can't accommodate crawling babies or wandering toddlers – children must be able to sit and watch for 45 mins. Children of all ages will need a ticket.



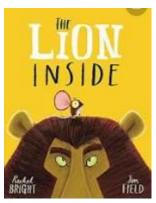




# **READING TOP PICK OF THE WEEK**



This week's book is recommended by Mrs Haskins who says 'One of my favourite picture books for younger children is 'The Lion Inside' about a mouse who wants to feel brave so goes to the lion to try and learn – great twist at the end – made me laugh and has a good moral story for children to understand.' (recommended for YR+)



More recommendations to follow...



Diary Dates	
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Squirrel Class to Chew Valley School PE Festival – please bring a packed lunch.
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Y2 Benchball event at Chew Valley School – need PE Kit in school
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	Tawny Owls "Express yourself" mufti day for winning the house points competition last term!
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	PTA Christmas Market in school, £1 entry. Contact Jody Judd if you would like a stall or to volunteer.
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December 7.30 pm	PTA Wreath Making Event East Harptree theatre. Contact Claire Melton for more details
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December 9am- 12 noon	Community Shop Christmas Tree Sale
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> December 2pm	KS1 Nativity afternoon performance – Village Hall
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December 6pm	KS1 Nativity evening performance – Village Hall
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner in school – book on Aspens and wear a Christmas jumper!
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Mobile library Van visit to school – all classes
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Bristol Christmas Pantomine trip – packed lunch needed
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 2.45 pm	KS2 Christmas Carol Concert, School grass playground
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	School Disco KS1 5.30-6.30pm / KS2 6.45-7.45pm Village Theatre
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January	Inset Day
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January	First Day of Term