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Beat the Street

Manor School was chosen to launch Newham's Beat the Street campaign.

Nine students joined Miss Grant and Miss Dempsey at the Olympic Park for photographs with 2 players from the women's Arsenal football team.

Lots of schools are taking part in the beat the street challenge. Every pupil will be given a card to tap on the special beat boxes around the borough (like using an oyster card) to show how far they have walked. Manor school children also appeared in the Newham Recorder newspaper to promote Beat the Street and encourage children to keep fit and active.

Every class will be taken on a walking trip to use their Beat cards, then its up to you to carry on keeping active and use your cards regularly. Pupils can register their card online to check their scores and add to the Newham target of 250,000 miles!



Viking Visit

Year 4 met a Viking called Eric Ericson. He brought many artefacts; things like animal skins, animal fur, jewellery, tools, weapons and much more. The children took part in this activity as they are learning about Vikings and Saxons. He came to our school on the 28th of September.



These children are helping Eric make Viking coins.

They are also going to the museum of London to learn more about Vikings.

Rizwan from class 5 said, "I learnt interesting things about Vikings and Anglo Saxons." They split into groups and did different activities and found out lots of information. The whole of year 4 enjoyed Viking day a lot.
By Sadia

Cool School Clubs

Manor Primary are offering a variety of after school clubs where everyone can have fun. Some clubs are to do with physical activities and some are to do with arts and crafts.

Some of the clubs that are offered are tag rugby, tennis and cricket run by the sports coach, art with Ms McGill, basketball run by Mr Sam-Franks, jewellery making run by Ms Green and Ms Liu, dance run by Marina, ball skills run by Ms Skinner and library club run by Ms Dempsey. All clubs run for 10 weeks and finish on Friday 11 December 2015. The club times are from 3:15 to 4:15.

There are many clubs everyone can enjoy, but don't worry if you did not get into a club this term you can always try next term.

By Kausar Ahmed

Newsletter Team

This is the Newsletter Team. We interview pupils and staff to bring you the latest news. The children chosen for the Newsletter Team this year are Kausar, Aulona, Noor, Sarah, Ilham, Yasmin, Rafid and Sadia all from Year 5. After we plan for our reports we type them up and then we go back and edit it. Finally it is sent to the printers and given to all the pupils and parents to read, You can also read it on the school website.

We hope you enjoy it! By Noor Hossain

Year five prisoners

Year five went on a trip to visit the Clink Museum. They took part in that trip as they were learning about the Highwayman in literacy.

Classes 3 and 4 went on Friday 25th September. They needed to learn more about Crime and Punishment and what they did in the olden days. A man dressed as a jailor showed one class after the other around giving them information about how they used to treat prisoners in the 17th and 18th centuries.



We saw different types of equipment of how they used to punish prisoners, for example: the rack which was used to stretch people and stocks which were used to hold people's feet so it would stop them from running away, then people would throw rotten fruits at the prisoner.

Yasmin from year five said that she found the trip very interesting, it was underground, dark and very scary, but other than that she enjoyed it a lot!

By Aulona

Grand Greeks!

Year 3 made amazing pottery with their bare hands!

All of year three have made great pottery for their history learning. They have all had a fantastic experience making Greek pottery using clay. All of the children had a terrific time using their bare hands to make replicas of ancient greek pottery. They are also going to the British Museum to learn more about Ancient Greeks. The children from year 3 were given help by Miss McGill.



"It was hard to make but

I made it in the end" stated Yaseen in class 7.

They made thumb pots by making one part then the other part and joined them together.

"It was very interesting. One of the good things is that we were able to use clay for our learning" answered Yasmin from class 7. They learned an incredible amount of information and had a lot of fun!

By Ilham

THE BRITISH MUSEUM

On the 8th October, year 6 visited the British museum to learn about their history topic; Ancient Egypt. They saw solar ships and learnt about what ancient Egyptians took to the afterlife.

Back at school Y6 worked with Ms McGill to make solar ships. In literacy they have been writing about discovering ancient artefacts that have been dug up, and how they get to be in museums. Pupils in classes 1 and 2 said they enjoyed learning about Egyptian mummies and tombs.

By Rafid

Puppy love

Dog trust visited foundation stage classes on the 14th of September as they were learning about health and hygiene.

Mohammed stated "I learnt a lot, I even got to stroke the dog, its fur was soft and healthy because it used special shampoo that made it smell good as well" Teachers from reception told us a lot about caring for dogs, as the dog, Fudge had been abandoned at a young age, fortunately dog trust rescued her and brought her up from that point on. This is an example of the great work that dog trust do every day across the country. Mrs Grant organised the event and with help from the teachers our Manor children may be future dog owners (if they aren't presently!) They now know that dogs need certain food, should be



groomed and have to brush their teeth daily.

Remember to love your dogs!

By Sarah Probert



Crazy Zoo Visit!

The Year 2's have gone to London Zoo to learn about different habitats. The children have taken part in all kinds of activities to understand about where different animals live.

The Year 2's travelled on the 16th of October. The teachers who organised the trip was Ms Parr and Ms Khant.

"I was so scared and worried of all the animals" stated Arif Bircan Class 10.

They were not allowed to touch the animals because of health and safety issues, however it was just as good watching. The teachers added that it was so amusing!

By Yasmin Soleman