



Living the Olympic and Paralympic Values



To raise money for Sport Relief, Manor school children performed in a music concert on the 23rd March.

Years 5 and year 6 played djembe as well as samba. Year 3 played xylophones, and the year 4s played recorders. I loved it because it was original. Year 1 & 2 did some beautiful singing. Year 6 ended the concert with an amazing performance playing drums with their teacher. The concert was amazing!



"It was very interactive and very loud" a pupil said after the performance. Parents were also there and very impressed with how much their children have learnt and how much effort they put into it. I think teachers were as impressed and as blown away as the parents and families. Tickets cost £1 with all the money going to the Sport Relief charity.

Thank you to all the parents who came to support us. **By Nicko**

## Manor Zoo



On the 22nd of March, Year 1 and Reception had a visit from London zoo. They were learning about habitats, different types of animals

and what they do in their day to day life. There were different species of animals such as dogs, frogs, parrots, snakes, hedgehogs, chameleons and rabbits. All the students had a chance to stroke the animals and learn about their habitats. The children played with the animals and even got to pick them up. Some children even got to wear a snake around their neck!



**By Yasmin & Berket**

## WORLD BOOK DAY

On Thursday 1st of March, it was World Book Day. Some children came to school dressed up in their favourite book characters such as Horrid Henry, Harry Potter, Crayons, and Little Red Riding Hood. Our school celebrated WBD by having a Roald Dahl themed menu for lunch. We ate a scrumdiddlyumptious BFG lunch.

Also at the end of the day we had reading buddies, which is when each Year group is partnered up to read with another year group. Year 6 and Reception, Year 5 with Year 3 and Year 4 with Year 2, all shared books with each other.



Children took it in turns to read to each other. This worked so well that we are going to continue reading buddies this year. Also look out for Reading Bounce coming soon and make sure you take part in the Extreme Reading Challenge. **By Ryan**



## **SATURDAY SCHOOL**

Saturday school is not just for Manor pupils, but for children all around the area, and is held in Manor Primary School.

It helps support learning and helps improve children's understanding. The lessons in Saturday school are: Maths, English, Spelling and Computing. Different teachers teach different subjects.

"It helps me comprehend what's going on in class a lot more," Dont'e explained. "It's really fun for children, but it also supports their learning as well".

If you want to join Saturday school, please ask in the school office. **By Tasnim**

## **EXTENDED SCHOOL**

Did you know that Year 6 are going to be doing their SATS next half term? Well the students in Year 6 have been going to extended school for extra tuition. They are doing extra lessons with their teachers after school such as; GPS (Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling) Maths and Reading. They have also been using computers to do Mathletics, which is an online maths website which you can all use at home. The teachers are working very hard to make sure the children do the best they can and get impressive results. **By Yasmin**

## **Fabulous Florence**

**On Friday the 9th March, year 2 had an exciting visit from Florence Nightingale. This was a surprise for them.**

They learnt all kind of things from the visitor, like when Florence was born, when she died and what she did to become a famous nurse. If you don't know who she is, ask a year 2 student!

The children got to ask questions and answer questions that the visitors asked. Also they

dressed up as nurses. I interviewed two children from year 2, Janelle and Saasje. They said, "We learnt lots of facts about Florence Nightingale and our favourite parts were when we got to touch objects from a long time ago." **By Macey**



## **Snow Play**

**On the last week of February it was snowing. Many schools were closed, but not Manor!**

We started break time early and finished later so that we could play in the snow with the adults and teachers. We also had an afternoon play so the children could have more snow fun. **By Berket**



## **Mission X** On the 23rd of February, year 5 had a brilliant day they went to Eastlea School for Mission X [astronaut training]!

On this exciting day, these intrigued children did several activities. One of these activities was making succulent cupcakes such as rocket



cupcakes and cornflake cupcakes. Luckily they even got to eat them [which was surprisingly yummy]. Then, they even got to go inside a spherical like dome, where a man was teaching us about planets in the solar system. Every child had loads of fun and they learnt

lots of fun, interesting information. "It was a good experience, I really enjoyed shooting rockets into the sky and trampolining" explained Macey. **By Khalid**

## **Terrific Tournament**

**There was a golf tournament at the Newham Leisure Centre on Tuesday 13th March and children from year 5 and Year 6 took part.**

Eight children went to the tournament and they were chosen by Mr Archer (our sports teacher).

There were different activities that they got to do like; hit the ball on the cones and see how many cones they could hit. They got very good scores. Out of the whole competition who ever got the highest amount of points in the top 5 could go to the next round of the golf tournament. We didn't make it to the next round but did extremely well for our first golf tournament.

**Well done to all of you who competed in the competition, thanks to our wonderful sports teacher Mr Archer. **By Macey****



## **DIGITAL LEADERS**

**Ever thought about the future of technology being controlled by pupils? Or have Computer Safety made by children?**

Manor has its new pupil leadership group consisting of some lucky Year 4s and 5s and Mr Buckley. These Digital Leaders have been given the role of making technology safe and fun for everyone.

The first stage was that they had to pass was the application. They were each given an application form which they had to fill out. If they passed then they moved on to the interview round and were sat in Mr Buckley's room and were asked questions about things they would have to do and give examples of when they have used technology well.

The chosen pupils will receive a safe educational Google account so they can work on things for you while at home. The team for the next two years are: Sufyan (me), Ryan, Yaseen, Reyan, Samiul, Eshal, Mohammad, Casey, Maisey and more. In my opinion, this is an amazing chance for children to have control over something as important as ICT. Look out for more info about the digital leaders soon! **By Sufyan**