

# class news

## **Ruby Class**

have discovered a mysterious key and other woodland items. They have been reading about the 'Enchanted Forest' and even received a bag of magic beans! They have more questions than answers but what an exciting week!

# Emerald Class

have been busy exploring what life was like for a child in the Victorian times. The children experienced an afternoon in a Victorian school room and they very much enjoyed the role play! They have also been learning about what plants need in order to grow and they have planted some sweet peas!

#### Sapphire Class

have been focusing on reported speech to write a newspaper report about John and James Veitch and their inspirational ideas of recruiting plant hunters. They have been thinking about language and tone of voice to lure readers into their article

### Diamond Class

have produced play scripts based on imagined conversatioons between John Veitch and his eight your old son James. They have also sketched and painted portraits of the most prominent Veitch family members, mixing different shades of grey to help recreate how the original Victorian photographs actually looked.

**Our Christian Values** 

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# Friday Fly

17th January 2020

# **KS1** Dance Workshop

This week KS1 enjoyed two fabulous dance workshops with our visiting dance teacher Miss Murray. Ruby class went on a musical Bear hunt and enjoyed moving and shaking through a familiar story, whilst Emerald class enjoyed a 'Funny Bones' adventure of their own. Both classes really enjoyed their sessions and we look forward to welcoming Miss Murray back next week to lead KS2 in some street dance sessions.

We are pleased to welcome Mr Barr to the staff team in Emerald class. Mr Barr is a trainee teacher from Plymouth University; he will be working with Mrs Bojang for the Spring term to plan and

deliver all aspects the curriculum.

am sure you will join me in wishing him a

**Exeter Children's Orchestra** All levels welcomed

Open rehearsal on 18th January at 10am-St Leonard's Primary School, Exeter

> Taming Gaming Wednesday 4th March 7pm

> > **Belmont Chapel**

This event is aimed at Parents or Youth Workers who

have a concerns about video gaming or want to use it

for positive interaction with the young people and

children around them.

Please call Emily 01392 410530 for further information

£4 in advance or £5 on the door

successful school based experience.



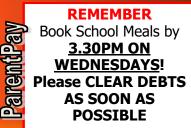
Feb Half Term Break up Friday 14th February

Return to school Monday 24th February **Easter Holidays** Break up Fri 27th March Return to school Tuesday 14th April May Bank Holiday Friday 8th May May Half Term reakup Fri 22nd May Return to school Tuesday 2nd June Summer Holidays Break up on Wednesday 22nd July Return to school Tuesday 8th S eptember



Valentine Disco Wednesday 12th February

**Bikability** <u> 3rd –</u>7th Feb—Year 6 10th—14th Feb— Year 5 (limited to 6 spaces per year group-first come first serve)



Justice

Trust

Mothers in Mind Group (free) Mum's that are either pregnant or recently had a child

Friendship

and suffer from anxiety, depression, low-mood or loneliness are invited to attend a free in Mind Group Exeter-Monday 10.30-12.00 Crediton-10.30-12.00 Call 07926621855

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#### Ruby

Reception: **Wiktor**—because he has really impressed his teachers with how much his vocabulary has grown. He is learning English as a second language and his speech is becoming much clearer each week. This week he has worked hard during all his phonic lessons and can now write his name on his own correctly forming each letter. Well done Wiktor!

#### Sapphire

Year 3: **Talin** — is a delightful member of the class. She is a keen and responsible learner. She helps others whenever she can and she is a joy to have in Sapphire class. Well done Talin!.

Year 4: **Oliwia**— is a delightful member of Sapphire class. She is a keen learner, always eager to try her best. Oliwia is doing a fabulous job with learning her times tables, developing speed and accuracy. Well done Oliwia!

#### Emerald

Year 1: **Stuti**—because she has completed some brilliant story writing this week. We are so proud of her independent writing and her beautiful handwriting!

Year 2: **Ruby-Mae**—for her fantastic maths work! She is able to count so confidently now in steps of 2's, 5's and 10's! Well done Ruby-Mae!

#### Diamond

Year 5: **Stephi**— is really growing in confidence as a writer, and she is now using a greater range of punctuation than she was last term. Well done and thank you Stephi!

Year 6: **Evie**—has worked exceptionally hard in all subject areas this week, producing a lovely Veitch script and scoring highly in her reading and spag papers too. Well done and thank you Evie!!

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