

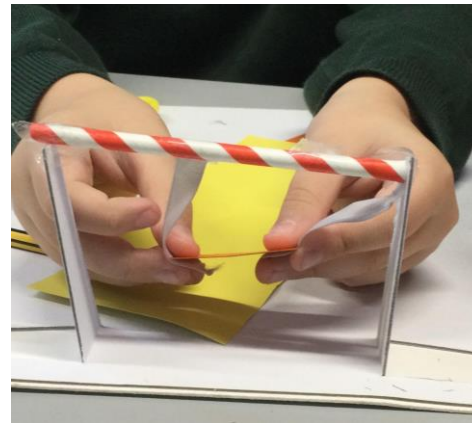


Lostwithiel Primary News

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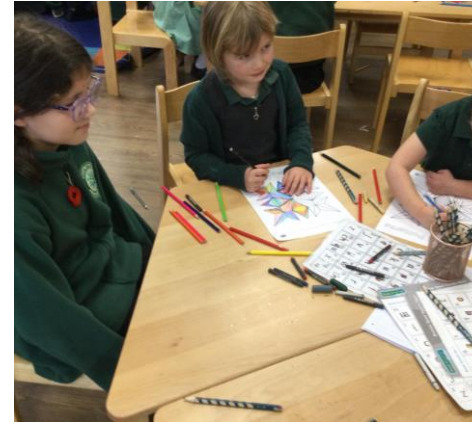
Welcome to the second edition of Lostwithiel Primary News, where we share some of what has been happening across the school in the past two weeks.

We're always so busy that we can't possibly capture everything we do in school in here but please always check your Class Dojo page for announcements and photos as well!



Buddies!

Apple and Conkers classes have been spending time together recently. This is always so lovely to see as all our pupils get such a lot out of playing and learning together. Our Year 6 children really enjoy supporting our younger learners but also relish the opportunity to go back to Apple Class as you can see from the photos!





Oh Christmas Tree!

Harry and Rosie went to Duchy Nursery this week to decorate their 14ft Christmas Tree with the stars that every single one of our pupils made last week. Visitors can buy the decorations for a voluntary contribution and all the money made will come back to our school to be spent on playground equipment. A huge thanks to Vikki at Duchy Nursery for including us in this project.

Growing Learners in Tiny Trees

We love watching our Tiny Trees pupils grow in confidence and our nursery team always provide amazing activities for them to develop their fine and gross motor skills. These skills are key to child development – helping their posture and balance as well as preparing little hands for writing.





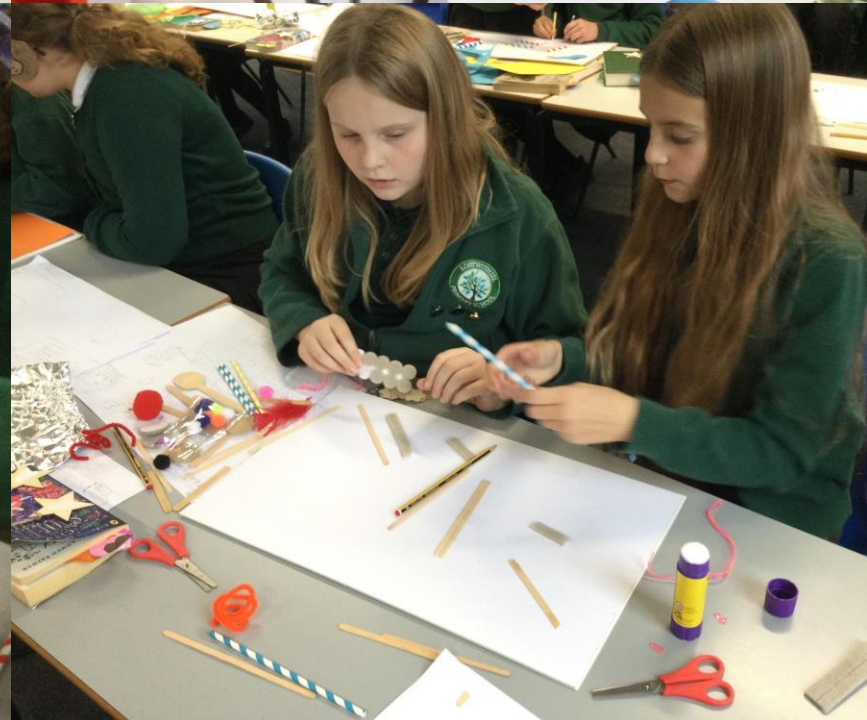
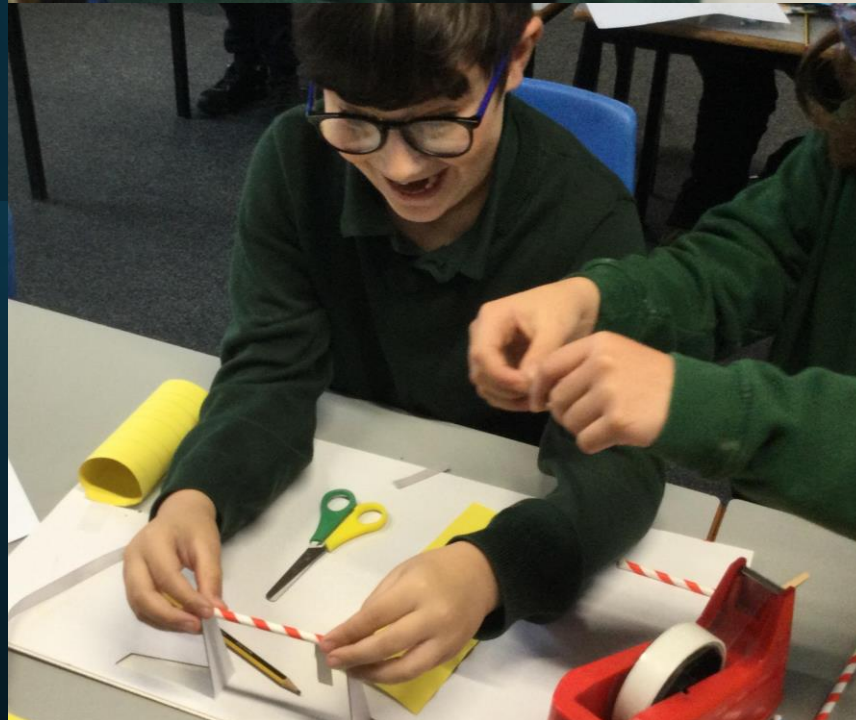
Blooming Marvellous!

Sounds crazy but we're already getting ready for Spring!

In Forest School we have been planting bulbs to bring some colour to the school grounds in the New Year and have also been nurturing cuttings to plant later, to encourage wildlife on our school site.

Adventurous Playgrounds

In Conkers class, pupils
have been designing
their own playgrounds in
DT.





Welcome Myrtle the Turtleand friends

We have added to our collection of animals in the past couple of weeks. As well as our crazy chickens, we now have Myrtle the Turtle and her fishy friends! Their new home is in the 'Rowan Room' which is in the old school building.



Forest School Family Fun!

This half term we have begun to invite parents into school to share our new Forest School curriculum. Cherry and Willow Classes had a lovely time this week. Cherry Class looked for mini beasts and built shelters with some of their adults. Despite the chill in the air, there was lots of fun and laughter and everyone enjoyed a delicious hot chocolate at the end of the session.



Blast Off!

Sadly, Spaceport Cornwall cancelled all school trips at the last moment, but Mrs. Povey was determined that her pupils would still get the 'space' experience. Pupils had a fantastic day, immersing themselves in all things 'out of this world'.



Amazing Artists

We love having visitors in school and recently we have been fortunate to have Jenna and Alice's grandad, Michael, visit Oak and Maple to support them with their artwork.

Oak are currently studying John Dyer and Michael was able to talk to them about his work and the techniques he uses. Pupils were then able to apply what they learnt in their own creations.





Football Update

Another smashing performance from both teams this week in away matches against Fowey Primary School. Our Year 3/4 team had a cracking 4 –1 win! Goals were coming so thick and fast that Mr. Stead missed one going in when he turned around to get a spare shirt from the kit bag!

Our Year 5/6 team battled admirably against great opponents and were leading 3 – 1 for a time. Unfortunately, this lead didn't last, and the result was a 3 – 3 draw - a fair one which was representative of the effort put in on from both teams.

A huge thank you to all the parents and other family members who provided transport and the encouragement from the sideline!



**The next edition of Lostwithiel
Primary News will be on Friday
13th December.**

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