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NEWS IN BRIEF...

*Storyteller Daniel Mor-
den visited 6B for a
great workshop after
our trip to the Royal
Exchange*

*6A came face to face
with a WW1 bayonet
during our visit to cen-
tral library last week!*

*Anti bullying week is
coming up soon!*

*Details of our special
show case assembly
and competition to
follow.*

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Welcome!

Welcome to the first
edition of our new
school newsletter!

We hope to bring you
regular updates on
events and infor-
mation from Rolls
Crescent and its all
being put together by
a year 6 team!

Find out about assem-
blies, our school stars
and reports from trips
and visits throughout
the school.

Contact us with any-
thing you think should
be included...your art-
work, photos, stories,
articles and announce-
ments!

With the first half of
the autumn term
under our belts, we
now look forward to
Autumn two and
some exciting learn-
ing through our 'Big
Questions'. See inside
for more details!

Thank you for
reading....



Last Year's year 6 children
enjoying books in our Brand



Children In Need.....

Children in Need is back! This
year the theme is
'Superheroes'...You're all he-
roes if you help raise money
in school for this much loved
fundraiser!

Come into school dressed up
as your favourite, or in a spot-
ty scarf etc!

Here is a list of some of the
Pudsey related items you can

purchase in school
NOW:

Headbands £2.50

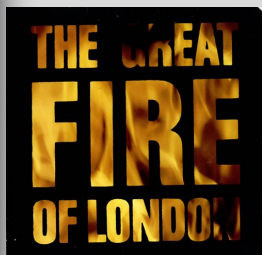
Key Rings £2.00

Multi coloured wrist-
bands £1.50

Single coloured wrist-
bands £1.00

Pudsey wristbands
£1.50





**“Their
first
match
was very
hard”**

What is the **Big** Question?

Children at Rolls Crescent are asking a Big Question each half term to guide our voyage of learning and discovery!

Here is a list, compiled by Louis Andow (6B) letting you know what your child is finding out about from now until the Christmas break:

Nursery asked “What makes me special? “

Reception asked ‘We are all special ,so how do we celebrate?’

Year 1 asked “What is beyond our world? “



Year 2 asked “Why was the great fire of London so great?”

Year 3 asked “How did metal change the early people’s lives? “

Year 4 asked “Is there a

mountain in Alexandra park?”

Year 5 asked “Ancient Greeks : Myths or Legends? “

Year 6 asked “How does a torch work?”

As you can see, there will be a lot of fun involved and the pupils will have to work hard to investigate these problems.

Year 6 busy with maths work:



All to Play for!

On the 16th of October, a team of specially chosen girls went to Whalley Range High school. They played four matches and drew two and lost two. Their first match was very hard. However, they lost 6-2 and the next match they drew 1-1. The next match they

lost 2-0 and the final match was 0-0. They finally accepted defeat and they came in fourth place over five schools. They played very well and details about upcoming matches will be announced as soon as possible.

Well done to everyone

who represented our school so well! Good luck next time. Special thanks to Mr Hossen for the selection trials and making it possible.

Report by

Salmah

Elwerfalli

YEAR 5 TRIP TO THE ZION CENTRE....

On Thursday 16th October, class 5A went to the Z arts to watch a play called “Angel”. This was about caring for the elderly and people with dementia.

There were two main characters: Miriam (elderly lady who was suffering from dementia) and Bill, who put aside his parents divorce and helped the old lady with her condition. The most interesting part was when Miriam acted out “the race” in which her opponent cheated.

Report by Nam Vo

Edited by Chibogum Iheanachor

From the Office.....

- ◆ A reminder that school dinner money is now £2.20 a day = £11.00 per week
- ◆ School uniform is in stock! Jumpers/ Fleece/PE Kit
- ◆ Children in need things available at the office
- ◆ Breakfast club is open from 8.15-9.00am @ 80p

CONFIRMING CLUB TIMES

Yr 3 Brass Band: Thursdays 3pm-4pm

Yr2 Football: Thursdays 3pm-4:15pm

Yr3 Football: Tuesdays 3pm-4:15pm

Steel Band: Wednesdays 3pm-4pm

Lacrosse: Tuesdays 3pm-4pm

Yr5/6 Football Squad meet: Thursdays 3-4:15pm

Yr5/6 Basketball Team: Wednesdays 3:15-4:15

From The Head Of School**Mr Reynolds**

Welcome to the first edition of our school newsletter. I hope you enjoy reading the reports and events that our pupils have taken part in, or are looking forward to. We are hoping to regularly publish a newsletter for you put together by our year 6 news team. They will collect reports from children and staff so you can find out even more about Rolls Crescent Primary –

Happy Reading!

Greeting from the EYFS!

Nursery and Reception

We've had a successful half term in the Foundation Stage. The children have settled well into their new classes.

Nursery enjoyed learning all about their new school, while Reception explored what they would like to be

when they grow up-and found out about different jobs!

We look forward to a busy half term, look out for dates of parent workshops coming soon.



Children in 1-1 Maths puzzling over a number square...or is it?

YEAR 2

Dear parents and careers,

What a great half term we have had in year 2! The children have thoroughly enjoyed our topic, 'What would you find at the ends of the earth?' and have learned so much about the North and South Poles. Our next topic will be 'Why is the Great Fire of London great?' We will be learning the history of the Great Fire of London based on the children's

questions that we have generated in class. This will include where the fire started, how the fire spread, what it destroyed, how it was put out and who wrote about it.

In English we will be writing newspapers and diaries based on our work about the Great Fire of London.

In maths we will be focusing on number facts and calculation. We will be adding and subtracting, learning new methods, trying out new ideas with new equipment and applying this through problem

solving.

We are both available to speak to at the end of the day if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Miss Piotrowski and Miss Campbell

**Attend-
ance target
97%**

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ance 97%**



Elijah and Pharrell (6A) using old fashioned slates in the school room at Quarry Bank Mill

Reporting from Year 4....

In year 4 we have been covering Hinduism in RE and visited the local Hindu temple on Withington road. We learnt a lot about the different gods and the festival of light, 'Diwali'. We are currently in our topic looking at mountains and are going on a trip to a local hill in Ramsbottom. We are going to be finding out more and will be exploring the physical and human features. We are really excited about this!

Contribution for next copy deadline Monday 1st December to:

Lanyon@rolls-crescent.manchester.sch.uk

Roll Of Honour:

Star of the Week!

All the stars of the week are put of our 'Roll of Honour' for their chance to be recognised by everyone and for us all to look up to as role models.

1A: Alissia 1B: Reyann 1C

2A: Ke'Shaun 2B: Salman 3A: Fai 3B: Zakiyo

4A: Bader 4B: Jude 5A: Riahannah 5B: Jason

6A: Le'Shay 6B: Leighton

Well done all of you!



And ONE more thing... Welcome back to a new half term to all year 1 parents and children! Thank you very much if you attended the meeting on Thursday the 7th of November, across all three classes this was very well attended. We will be starting our new activity soon where Parents can help to respond to marking to children's books, when you stay to help with the morning tasks until 9.05.

This half term our big topic question is **WHAT IS BEYOND OUR WORLD?** In this topic we will be learning about space and we will be going on a trip linked to the topic about space.

Thank you for your continued support and as always if there are any questions you would like to ask please do not hesitate to speak to Class teachers.

Miss Lightup, Miss Frankland, Miss Mulholland