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Dear Parents

A huge well done to Friends of Cusgarne last week for the terrific cake sale, and a thank you to all who contributed and supported this event. The funds will really help the children access different activities over the course of the year.

A reminder that tomorrow is a fund-raising & non-uniform day for Children in Need. This has been organised by the school council, and they are asking if parents can please send in a cake/cookie donation, as they will be running their own cake sale in the hall tomorrow afternoon to raise funds for Children in Need.

This week at school the highlight has been the continued development of our lower outdoor area for our forest school. Yesterday, the children in Robin class worked hard in the afternoon, showing great teamwork and determination to move the bark mulch pile over to the area where the fire pit will be located. It was such a wonderful sight to see them so focused and contributing to an area that will get used by them and the rest of the school. I would like to say well done to every one of them, and parents if you need help in the garden at any time, I am sure you will find some fab volunteers from within your own households! Well done children, we were very proud of your efforts.

Can I also just say thank you to some of our parents who have responded with contributions of materials for this project, it is much appreciated. I am hoping that some children in KS2 will help at lunchtime to move the remaining pile, as they were volunteering their help yesterday.

Here are some images of the children hard at work...



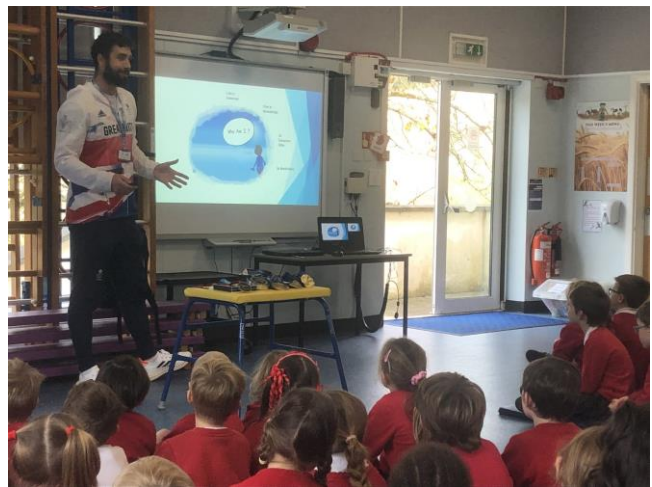
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This week is Anti Bullying week, we have developed the phrase 'one kind word' and the children have had the opportunity to write a message/compliment to another member of our school community. There have been some wonderful messages posted on the display board between the classrooms in celebration and in recognition of others personal qualities. Thank you to Jemma and Ethan for coordinating this across the school.

On Monday we were privileged to have Welsh & GB Olympic swimmer Calum Jarvis come in and visit the children during a special assembly. Calum won gold as part of the 4x200m relay team in this year's Tokyo Olympics, and has also competed in the World Championships, European Championships & the Commonwealth Games. Calum was born in Wales, but moved to Wadebridge at the age of 4, and now trains at Bath University. He brought an array of medals with him (including his Olympic gold!) and these were passed around for all the children to have a look at. Calum said he was here to inspire the children like he'd been inspired by his Paralympic swimming teacher when he was younger. We wish Calum all the luck as he is currently in training for the World & European Championships next year!



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Next week we have Tempest Photography visiting the school (Thursday 25th November), and they will be taking individual as well as school sibling photos.

Lastly, please can I remind you all that Christmas Lunch options for Tuesday 14th December need to be in by tomorrow (Fri 19th).

Have a great weekend.

Yours Sincerely,

Tim Barnard
Head of School

Friends of Cusgarne News

Christmas hampers

Can donations for the hampers please be in school by Tuesday 23rd November - Thank you to all!

Tea towels

The design is lovely, the timing is perfect and the need for tea towels is never-ending: look out for an order form in book bags soon!

Christmas jumpers

The Friends are collecting any unwanted and outgrown Christmas jumpers for a seasonal (and reasonable!) pop-up shop: bring them in and look out for a sale very soon...

Thanks for all your support,

The Friends x



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