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Dropmore Infant School Weekly Newsletter
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CELEBRATIONS



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◆ Sienna 12th

LUNCH MENU

Please click [here](#) for the lunch menu for the week ahead.

THE WEEK AHEAD SCIENCE WEEK

- ◆ Science week 13th-17th
- ◆ Thursday 16th: Science challenge morning!



Meeting the ponies

The whole school visited South Bucks RDA on Friday which was kindly organised by Miss Tolmie. The children behaved exceptionally well and were very engaged the whole day. They took part in many fun activities including grooming the ponies, taking part in an obstacle course and interviewing a volunteer at the centre. The children also enjoyed a very muddy walk around the woods before coming back to school!

There has also been lots of other great learning going on this week.

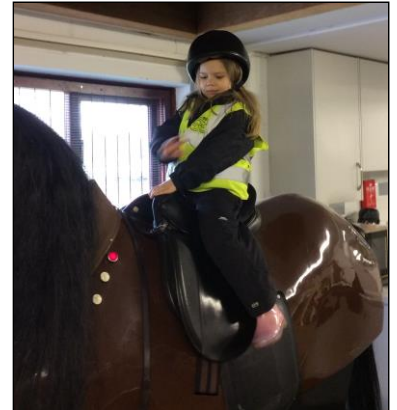
The children in Reception have enjoyed learning about the history of Dropmore Infant School. They looked at photographs and maps and were very excited to learn that there used to be a school dog! They have also been drawing and labelling their own maps based on the story *Martha Maps It Out*. On Wednesday the children had lots of fun playing in the snow. They worked together to build a snowman!

Year 1 wrote their own verse for Michael Rosen's *Down Behind the Dustbins*. They chose a new animal and name, and were challenged to make the verse rhyme. They had fantastically funny results which are now displayed beautifully in the classroom for them to enjoy. In science they explored properties of materials through the story of *The Midas Touch*: imagine a world made of rubber!

Year 2 have been learning about instructions and identifying them in their new book *Instructions* by Neil Gaiman. They have even been writing instructions for playing in the snow. The class have also been learning more of their times tables and division facts and enjoyed some fantastic songs.

We look forward to welcoming many of you to the Science Challenge morning on Thursday and hope you have fun finishing off your entries this weekend!

RDA Trip!



On the mechanical horse



Grooming the ponies



Obstacle course



Woodland walk



Exploring the tack room