



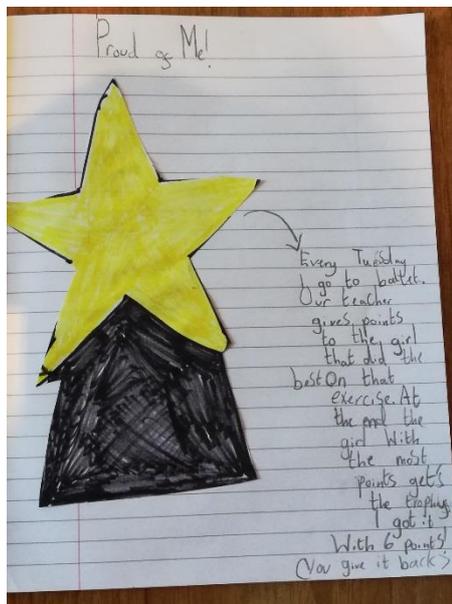
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We have been learning all about Bees in P3. We found out the bees are very important to humans because they pollinate the fruit, vegetables and nuts that we all eat. We also found out that our bees are disappearing fast. We decided that we needed to do something about it. So we made posters to help people 'Bee Aware'. We found out that there are quite a few things that we can all do to help save our bees. Once we had made the posters we went round others classes to tell everyone how they can help the bees. We have put our posters around the school to remind everyone.



P7A really enjoyed sharing their learning with parents/carers this week. They have worked so hard on their projects about WW2 and put on a fantastic performance in their roles. Well done, P7A!



Lydia won a trophy in her ballet class which she kept for a week (she returned it last Tuesday) and wrote about it as a home learning activity. (under Proud of Me).



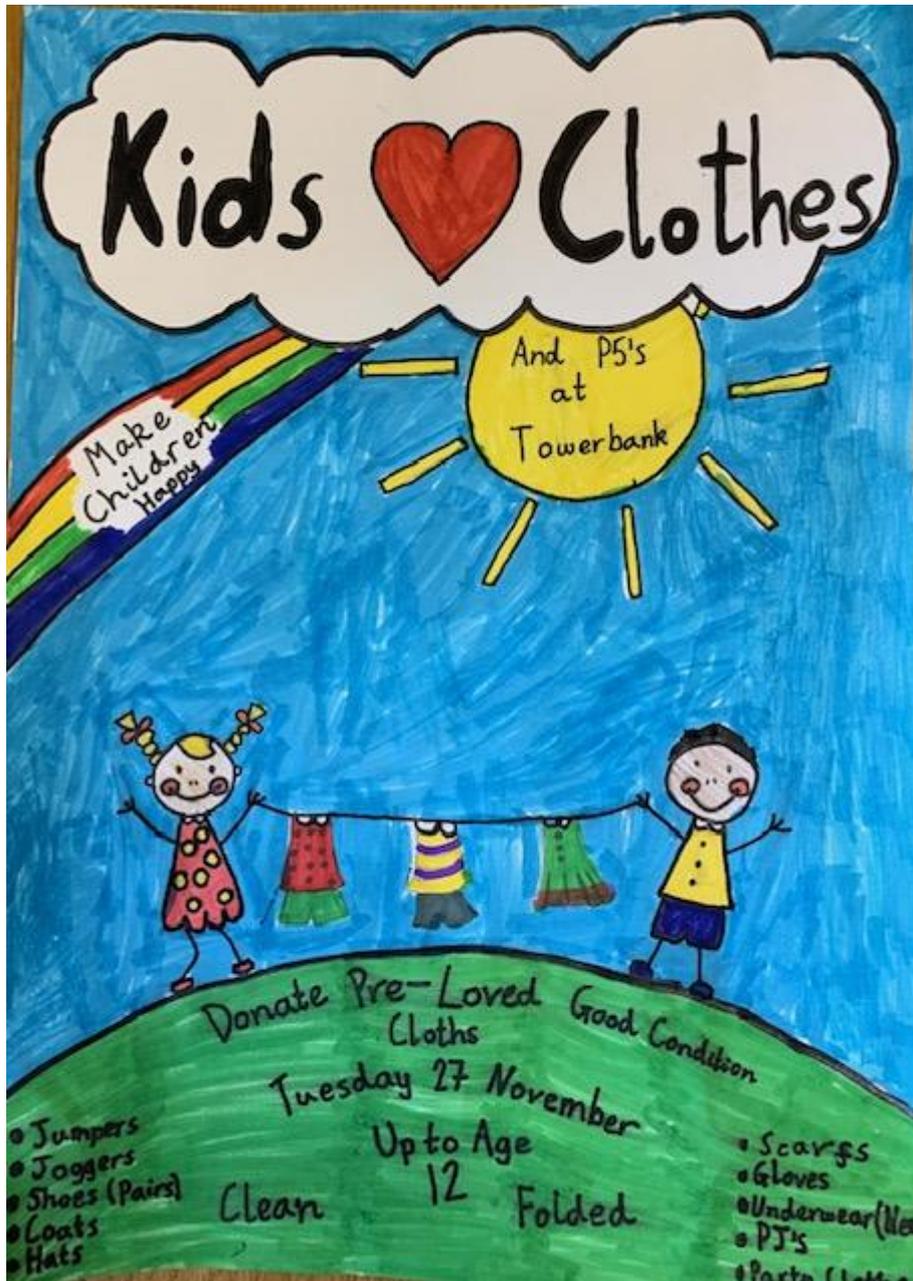
P3 had lots of fun with their buddies this week in the playground. We used the Play pod equipment and worked together to make some wonderful creations.



Last Friday I baked banana muffins for charity. I asked my neighbours Mina (p4) and Cosmo (p1) to help me sell them. We went to the cake stand and we sold every single one and we raised £29.76 for the Rock Trust, for homeless young people. It was fun' Eli MacDonald (P4)



Elsa P7 wrote to Tommy Sheppard MP and received this reply from the House of Commons.



Primary 5 have chosen to learn more about poverty through their Learning for Sustainability work. Some of the P5 classes decided to look for a local charity that they could support. They have picked Kids Love Clothes who collect good quality second hand clothing up to age 12 to redistribute to local families in need. Primary 5 are working really hard to try and make a difference. The children are keen to organise donations and hope that you will support their efforts to try and help others.

The donation date will be Tuesday the 27th of November.

We've been reading the book 'Harry Potter & The Philosopher's Stone', and for our creative home learning we made two eco-friendly models.

I made my Quidditch Pitch out of an old laptop box, lolly sticks, some newspaper, string and conkers. (Emma)

I made Hagrid's Hut out of an old beer box, an egg box, plasticene and lots of acrylic paint. (Evie)





Anna Melvin (P6A) who took bronze in her category at the Meadowbank Karate championships

Portobello Christmas Fair is going to bringing lots of Festive Fun to Bellfield! Showcasing a unique selection of handmade local products, home baking, guess the weight of the cake, face painting, reindeer food, sweetie stall, Christmas Elves, & the Portobello Community Choir will be performing too!

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2146021258742907/?ti=cl>

Well done to everyone in the Towerbank Cricket Team for working hard to improve their bowling, batting and catching skills. Richard, the coach, says great progress has been made! We hope to have some friendly matches against other schools next year.

