

The Link – November for December 2016

We are coming to the end of another busy term during which our children have been following the curriculum but with a number of brilliant opportunities to enrich their learning. We had a visit from Theatre Alibi, a chance to watch James and the Giant Peach, a trip to EDDC, sporting activities run by HCC and many other wonderful experiences.

One curriculum subject not mentioned often is Design and Technology. Towards the end of term all our classes will be doing a number of craft activities as they make



things to celebrate Christmas. Two classes have already undertaken some exciting D&T work. Beech Class (age 7 to 9) have done a series of cookery workshops run by their teacher, Mr Thomas, with the extremely generous support of one of the parents (conveniently owners of The Railway Inn in Honiton). They have made soup, appetisers with dips and individual Christmas cakes. Chocolate truffles are the final flurry!

Oak Class, age 9 to 11, were studying the Anglo Saxons and as part of their homework they were asked to create an Anglo-Saxon hut. When combined all these creations made a very realistic village. Mr Dunning, class teacher, filmed the village from the viewpoint of someone walking through to make it come alive. Hopefully we will put this film on the website.



If you go on our website and look under Classes and Learning and then Offcast you can see a lovely little film entitled 'Friends' about children at Offwell. This stars 4 children in Year 5/6 and was created by 4 of our girls of the same age.

It only remains for us to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

