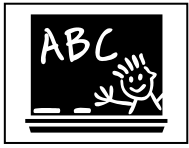


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YEAR 6 BREAD MAKING

On Thursday 1st December, Year 6 attended a bread making class with two members of Mellors (the school caterers.) Before making any bread, we had to learn the steps to become successful bakers. The steps were: mix the water with the flour; knead the dough; mix the sultanas (and chocolate for some lucky children) with the dough; knead the dough once more to spread the sultanas around; roll the dough out into a sausage shape; finally, cut the dough into small sections and carefully place into a tin.



The morning was great. We all enjoyed every minute of it, but sadly for us the time was up. We handed our bread to Rick – our bread making teacher – and went back to class to finish our work for the day.



Once the bread was baked, we got to taste it and it was really delicious. We think children in Y6 would definitely like to try making bread at home now.

By Jed B and Greg J (6P)

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Monday 12th December is Bags2School collection. This is a great way to earn extra funds for school and if you are having a pre-Christmas clear out we would be thankful for your support. Bags to be brought to the junior school by 9.30am on this morning. Please see list below of items accepted. Money raised is being split 50/50 with TRISPTA. Thank you.

We accept the following 'good quality' items for RE-USE:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Belts
- Soft toys

We do not accept:

- Duvets, bedding, blankets and household linen
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Curtains
- Towels
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing*
- School uniforms
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

Wednesday 14th December. You are warmly invited to join us after the Church Carol Service for a hot drink and mince pie / cake back at Thomas Russell Junior School. Infant and JTHS children are also welcome. Any remaining TRJS 2017 School Calendars will also be available to purchase. Anybody willing to help set up before the church and serve after church please speak to Jayne, Steph or contact friends@trjs.co.uk **Mince Pie / Christmas themed cakes (homemade or shop bought) will be gratefully received on the morning of this date.** Thank you.



Junior Winter Tennis Coaching Programme 2017

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FABULOUS FRIDAY - Barton Tennis Club - 13th Jan - 6 weeks

**5-6pm Under 10's 6-7pm Over 10's
Cost £40**

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**Over 10's/Teens 3 - 4pm NEW touch tennis!
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Bake Sale - Thursday 1st December

Well done to Tessa and Lucy and their friends (with some great parental support) for running a super bake sale last night. They raised £188.71! Thank you to everyone who made cake donations or supported by buying something on the night. Funds raised will be passed to the Red Cross.

Best wishes, Mrs Sharpe