

P4 & Mrs McGlynn Class Newsletter

Busy! Busy ! Busy!

Lots of activity since our last newsletter! We had an excellent visit to Tesco in October which resulted in all the children tasting and handling food they had never tried before.

The children have been perfecting their performing skills through our St Andrews assembly. They worked well with other classes and gave us lots of information on our patron saint. The children also took part in our school Christmas concert and played the ocarina beautifully. Their performance (with P5/4) of Jingle Bells and Rudolph the red nose Reindeer was excellent. Wonderful singing of Christmas songs and excellent reciting of Christmas poems completed a great performance. Well done!

Of course, our Christmas party was enjoyed by all with lots of games and dancing! The whole school Christmas panto was well received with all the children participating well.

The Gruffalo's child in Scots!

This month we had a trip to the Filmhouse in Edinburgh to see a film version of "The Gruffalo's Child" followed by readings in Scots of "The Gruffalo's Wean" by the first Scots Scribe Hamish MacDonald, and a reading in Shetland dialect by Edinburgh Makar, Christine De Luca. It was also screened live on the Glow website and was watched by other primary schools around Scotland!

We had a great time watching the film, hearing the different dialects and asking lots of questions. On our return we wrote a review using as many Scots language words as we could.



A very intense game of pass the parcel...



Gym

Days are Monday and Tuesday

☺ **Dates for your Diary.**

Dress in Tartan to support nursery pupils who will be leading our assembly on Thursday 28th Jan - Dress in Red £1 with all donations to British Heart Foundation on Friday 12th