

# NEWSLINE

North Primary School and Nursery

A Town Centre School with a Strong Community Ethos

Celebrated our 125th anniversary on 12th November. Visit [www.northschoolcxxv.com](http://www.northschoolcxxv.com)

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## FABULOUS FOUNDATION FIRST WITH FESTIVITIES



Big Brothers and sisters joined the parents and grandparents watch the Nursery children sing and sign their Christmas songs in the garden on the 3rd. It was cold but the children soon warmed everybody up with their bonny smiles and lovely voices. Afterwards hot chocolate and cakes were enjoyed indoors. It was a perfect way to start the Christmas Show Season.



## EVERYBODY LOVES A RECEPTION NATIVITY!



That was the best Reception singing I have ever heard. They were amazing. Judging from the reaction at the end of the show, *Everyone Loves a Baby*, the audience could not have agreed more. The children sang their hearts out and looked absolutely fantastic in their costumes. Imagine what they are going to sound like when they sing their carols in their Christmas Concert in 2025!

Afterwards the children and their families trekked through the school to the junior hall for their "after party". Drinks and nibbles were enjoyed and mementoes of the show were on sale too—raising funds for Free For All. A perfect way to spend the morning. Thank you to all the children and staff for a marvellous morning, making sure everybody is now feeling totally festive.



## Sporting Events with Mrs. Eves



On 27th November, a group of 7 children (pictured right) took part in a Boccia and New Age Kurling event. Both groups improved immensely as they played the games. Our Boccia team came in third place and the New Age Kurling team came second. Well done to all the children who participated

## Boccia and New Age Kurling Festival



### TERM DATES

Friday 6th December	KS1 (9.30 am and 2.00 pm)
Thurs 12th December	Christmas Lunch
Thurs 12th December	Y3 Christmas Play (6.30 pm)
Friday 13th December	Y3 Christmas Play (9.30 am)
Friday 13th December	Y4 Christmas Play (2.00 pm)
Tues 17th December	Y5/6 Evening Carol Concert (7.00 pm)
Thurs 19th December	End of Autumn Term
<b>Tues 7th Jan 2020</b>	<b>First day of Spring Term</b>
Friday 14th February	End of half term
Mon 24th February	Return to School
Friday 3rd April	End of Spring Term
Monday 20th April	First day of Summer Term
Friday 8th May	Bank Holiday
Friday 22nd May	End of half term
Tuesday 2nd June	Return to school
Wednesday 22nd July	End of school year

## Change for Life Festival

On Wednesday 13th October a group of year 3 and 4 children went to Thurstable School in Tiptree to participate in a Change for Life Festival. The children took part in various activities. They started with a Karate lesson learning how to defend themselves. Next they played parachute games and ended up with an athletics circuit, which they all really enjoyed. It was a great afternoon which all the children enjoyed. Pictured below are James and Sonny trying their hand at Karate and Jude taking part in the athletics circuit.

## Valiant Effort from Netball Team

On Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November we played Montgomery School. It was a very close game. For the first two quarters Montgomery went ahead by 1 goal and we managed to keep it that way until the third quarter. Unfortunately, they had a very good shooter who scored 5 goals to put them in front by 6 goals which is how the game remained. All the children played with enthusiasm and enjoyed the game. A special mention to Jack for his outstanding defence and Hannah for great centre court play. Well done to all who played.

## Applying for Reception 2020

Have you a child starting school next September? If so, you will need to apply by 15th January 2020. Applications must be made online at [www.essex.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.essex.gov.uk/admissions). Please note that you will not receive a letter from Essex County Council about making an application and that all of the application information is available on the website above.