

## 1<sup>st</sup> Wood Kirk Brownies Report – Spring 2020

It has been another busy year at Woodkirk Brownies

Throughout the summer term 2019 we have continued to explore the new programme, we've had a pajama promise party and an American Independence Day Promise celebration. We made dream catches and had stars and stripes buns!

We ended the term with our annual summer craft night with the Rainbows creating sand art ice-cream, magic carpets and mini-beast scratch art. We also enjoyed making fruit kebabs!

The Autumn term started with our launch of the new Brownie Programme and meetings in the new refurbished Parish Centre. We have invested a lot in the new resources including handbooks for new starters, badge books for all the Brownies and resources used for each part of the programme. The autumn term finished with a fantastic Christmas Craft Night with the Rainbows and the Christmas tree festival in Church.

The new spring term in January 2020 with us looking at resolutions, working on another section of the Brownie programme and a visit to the pantomime. This term we also worked on the 1920s badge, the Brownies really enjoyed working on the badge, we looked at art deco designs and buildings, fashion, Disney and food. The Brownies made Mickey Mouse cookies with oreos and chocolate buttons and mocktails.

In January we increased our subs due to a rise in census from Girlguiding UK (This year we have paid £593.00), plus the cost of new resources and rent.

Spring term 2 has just started. We have celebrated Fairtrade fortnight, we will be making crafts for mother's day and working on our next section of the Brownie Programme "Express Myself". We will finish the term with our Easter Craft night with the rainbows and a visit from the Easter Bunny!

I am leader in charge we also have Charlotte as a leader, Leonie as unit treasurer who works very hard for us behind the scenes and Eve and Katy who are working on their Young Leader Qualification.

Hannah