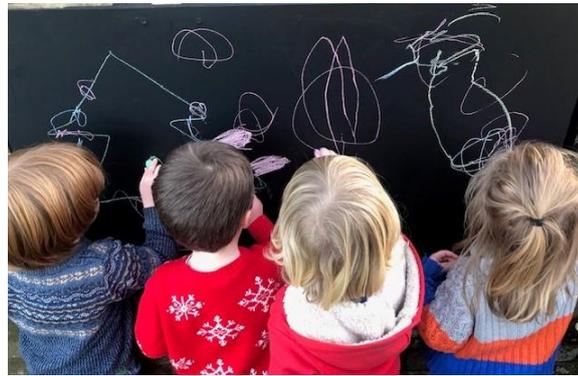




## Grindleford and Eyam Playgroup

Looking back at the Autumn term brings so many lovely memories of the children enjoying all the amazing activities on offer. Puddles have been jumped in, favourite stories have been shared and friendships have been made.

The trim trail at school has proved popular on Mondays and the Tuesday trip to the allotment is always fun as the children dig for worms. On our woodland days we have been exploring new paths and finding exciting places to play.



There has been lots of lovely, imaginative play on the patio and our outdoor blackboard is very popular.



Excitement grew as the end of term approached. The tree was decorated and marshmallows toasted in the woods.

The staff have worked tirelessly throughout the term to ensure the children have had a wonderful time and that our families have been kept safe. We are lucky to have such a fantastic team.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their support and to wish you all a very happy New Year. Stay safe and keep well.



Fundraising remains an important part of our year as we raise money to support running costs, buy new equipment and improve the care of the children.

This term we organised a raffle which raised £340, thank you to everyone who donated prizes or purchased tickets.

We have also sold some gorgeous tea towels decorated with the children's hand prints, we hope everyone who received one on Christmas day was pleased. Get in touch if you would like to purchase one of these lovely items for just £5.



We also have a few of these lovely football tables available for sale, a bargain at £5. They may be a little pre-loved but would still make a great gift for lovers of the beautiful game.

### **Do you shop at your local Co-op?**

By becoming a member and selecting playgroup as your cause you can support us while shopping. The Local Community fund donates 2p for every £1 spent.

<https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/48834>



A reminder that we continue to collect clothes for Recycle4School. We have a box at playgroup, so if you are planning a Spring clean please think of us! Clothes can be brought to the pavilion or get in touch to arrange collection.

We are also collecting printer cartridges so if you have any around or know of a local business who may have some please contact us.

Email [gepsupervisor@hotmail.com](mailto:gepsupervisor@hotmail.com) to get in touch about any of these items

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