# Ringsfield – Autumn News

As the autumn term draws to a close, our Christmas preparations are continuing at pace. The children are beyond excited and are working extremely hard to learn their lines and songs for our Christmas extravaganza 'Bah Humbug'! Later in the term Nursery and Reception will be treating us to another performance of the nativity.



## Reception

The Reception children have recently completed a mini project all about Australia. They investigated different Australian animals and produced some lovely drawing and writing. They also looked at Aboriginal art and showed some of their fabulous art work in our sharing assembly.

### Year 1 and 2

This half term Year 1 and 2 have been learning all about toys and games. They had a brilliant time finding out about toys from the past at the Strangers' Hall Museum, in Norwich. The children enjoyed activities such as: handling and sorting old toys; making a prototype moving toy and going on a toy hunt in the amazing toy room at the museum. The children gained a great deal from the experience and if it is possible, they are even more excited about the topic!



#### Year 3 and 4

One of the main highlights for the Year 3 and 4 children this term has been their 'Stone Age Day' at Ringsfield Hall Eco Activity Centre. They had great fun making Stone Age homes, weapons, paintbrushes and paintings. They all came back to school looking very muddy!



## Year 5 and 6

This term Year 5 and 6 joined the same year groups from Bramfield and Brampton to take part in a Science day. With Dr David Button, from the Natural History Museum, the children were able to examine 3D replica models of dinosaur skulls and bones and hypothesize what they might look like. Samuel Roslyn from CEFAS led a session focusing on how animals adapt to different environments. It was wonderful opportunity for the children to be taught by experts in their fields.

