

Wed 2 September

Lessons/Potter Around

After "school" yesterday Kira went to the dentist with bad toothache, got some antibiotics, but she was in bright and happy today and took her medicine well. Today was another great day with the children. They had lessons in the morning, including some English, so we will start hearing them say the odd word. Since many of the children do not drink our milk Kenny suggested we add Nesquik chocolate and strawberry powder to the milk - this went down VERY well indeed and is a great way to increase their calcium intake.

After lunch we visited Potter Around in Kirknewton - it was a BIG hit. They made beaded necklaces and bracelets so hopefully some may make their way home as family gifts. They then had the opportunity to paint a pottery mug, animal, princess or pencil jar. It was amazing to see their concentration and attention to detail during this task with some very unique designs - including those by both Yuliya and Lena ! These will be 'fired' and returned to the children in the next week or so.

The children finished by giving a special thank you card and saying "Thank you very much" to the staff at Potter Around- their first English phrase, which went down very well. The staff made our afternoon a great fun experience, so don't be surprised if the children ask to go back - they are open at the weekend by the way.



