



Would a pyjama rave make you read more?

The National Centre for Children's Books in Newcastle called Seven Stories, hosted a pyjama rave for families - allowing parents to rave with their babies and young children.

The rave was part of an exhibition called 'Time to Get Up', which aimed to encourage kids to incorporate reading into their daily routines.

Do you think this type of event would work in your school? Do you think a rave would help children read more? Let us know your thoughts!



Pictured: A young child in pyjamas.

Chinese city gets smartphone walkway!



Pictured: The new walkway in Xi'an, China.

Xi'an, a city in China has created a special lane on one of its roads, especially for smartphone users, as it's thought they often walk slower!

The pavement along the Yanta Road in Xi'an has now got itself a special lane for "phubbers" - people who stare at their phones and ignore everything else around them. The lane is painted red, green and blue, and is 80cm wide and 100m long.



Homelessness could end in 10 years!



Pictured: A homeless man sat on a bench.

The UK could see an end to homelessness within 10 years if the government embraces certain policies, according to the homeless charity Crisis. In a newly-published report, Crisis sets out a comprehensive plan to make homelessness "a thing of the past".

It says 100,500 social homes need to be built each year for the next 15 years. "We must not become a society that simply accepts homelessness as 'a sad fact of life'... it doesn't have to be this way," said Crisis's Jon Sparkes.

Youngest boy scales Old Man of Hoy

8-year-old Edward Mills, has become the youngest person to scale the 140m vertical sea stack, the Old Man of Hoy, in the Orkney Islands, in just under four hours on Friday afternoon!

The record was previously held by 10-year-old Ollie Buckle, from Flax Bourton, near Bristol. The climb was very important as Edward undertook the challenge to raise money for the charity Climbers Against Cancer because his mother, is currently suffering from the condition.



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