



Press Release

Electric December: How Wishes Work 5 December

Have you ever wondered how wishes work? Does it take seagulls, stars, coins, genie lamps, or just simply friends to grant wishes? Well on Day 5, Yr 2 pupils from Hannah More School in St Philips, Bristol will reveal just how they think wishes work through a series of imaginative animations, made using a variety of creative techniques including Stop Motion, Flash and Pixilation.

The animations were created following a set of workshops facilitated by digital artist Simon Johnson. The children designed the characters, wrote the stories and made the props that are featured in the films. So click on Window 5 and discover a series of fun and creative animations exploring how wishes are really made....

Electric December is Watershed's widely acclaimed online digital advent calendar, which offers a new and totally unique digital present every day from 1 Dec - counting you down to Christmas.

Notes to editors

- The workshops facilitated by Simon Johnson were funded by Creative Partnerships <http://www.creative-partnerships.com/>.
- Electric December is an example of the work contributing to Bristol's bid to The Digital Challenge, which offers a £7m prize to develop a showcase zone for eGovernment and ICT innovation - find out more at <http://www.egovmonitor.com/node/1716>
- Find out more about Electric December, and download images and press releases at <http://www.electricdecember.org/06/press>
- Electric December is a Watershed project supported by Bristol City Council and Bristol Evening Post.
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