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Dear Parents and Carers

Well, the school turned red today with everyone dressing up for Comic Relief. This is a fantastic charity who do amazing work all around the UK and the world. Thank you so much for your donations which helps them to carry on with the work.

World Book Day tokens

If you have not yet used your WBD token, make sure you use it soon! It is valid for only 9 more days. It can be exchanged for one of the special books written for this event or used for a £1 reduction in the price of a book of your choice. Who wants to waste a £1 gift!

Readathon

We are heading towards the end of our Readathon. We are hoping that each child can raise at least £1 to help to buy new books for children who have to spend long periods of time in hospital; these children cannot have used books because of the risk of infection. Please encourage your children to reach this target. Thank you!

Northbrook Pool

A reminder of this from last week's newsletter...

We are really keen to keep Northbrook pool used by the local community. For the week of the 27th March, the pool are trialling extended opening hours, so please go along and have a swim! Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday the pool will open 9-5. On Thursday the pool will open 7.30 – 6. On Saturday the pool will open 8-12.

Parents' Evening

Parents Evening will be on Tuesday 28th March and Thursday 30th March. You should have received an email this week with a link to follow and book an appointment. Please be sure to check your junk box if it has not come into your inbox as some emails seem to be going there. The system will close Sunday 26th March at 4pm. If you have any issues, please come into the office and we will assist you.

The Parents Evening for Nursery children is slightly different so please talk to the staff in Nursery at drop off/pick up to book your slot.

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What has each year group been up to this week?

RECEPTION



We have been learning about famous sport athletes this week!
We have also learnt about lots of different sports.

RS's Friday Flyer: Sophia (Maple)

RG's Friday Flyer: Rudy

YEAR 1

We have been adding lengths together in maths. We measured different things around the classroom and then added them together!



1C's Friday Flyer: Riley N

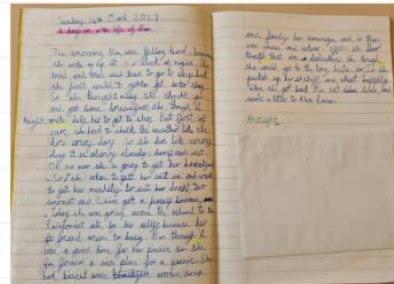
1P's Friday Flyer: Tomas

YEAR 2



In Geography, we were using atlases to locate the cities in Australia. We found that they are all along the coast!

In English, we have done our final write for Nim's Island. We wrote our own adventure chapter.



2S's Friday Flyer: Hayden

2T's Friday Flyer: Ellie

YEAR 3



Year 3, had a fantastic time on their trip to Postbridge in Dartmoor. The children really embraced the adventure. It was so muddy; we had lots of wet feet! We walked through Bellever Forest, saw remains of round houses and a cist (an ancient coffin made out of stone).

3DM's Friday Flyer: Aleeyah

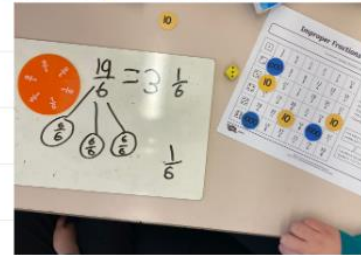
3P's Friday Flyer: Astera

YEAR 4

This week in Year 4, we got to practise playing tennis with the tennis nets up. We have been learning about forehand and backhand, so have put this into practise.

We have been learning about fractions in maths, including converting from improper to mixed fractions.

We have been enjoying gymnastics so far!

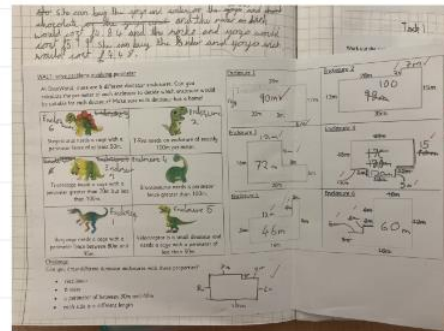
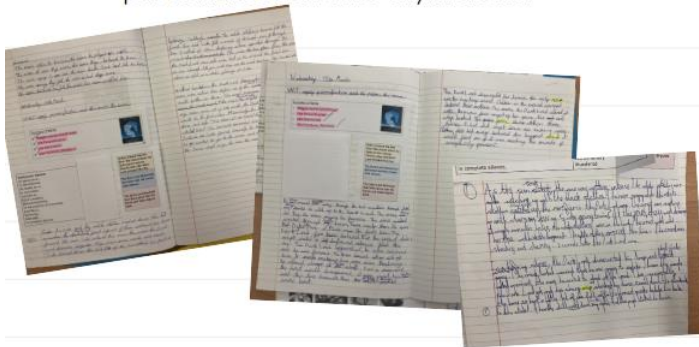


4F's Friday Flyer: Milo

4H's Friday Flyer:

YEAR 5

Year 5 have been producing some brilliant writing based on our class text 'A Story Like the Wind' using personification and oxymorons!



We have also been working hard in maths, solving problems involving perimeter.

5C's Friday Flyer: Frankie (Chestnut)

5W's Friday Flyer: Lexi (Maple)

YEAR 6

DO NOT see yourself because if you do, it would make
a rip in space and time causing lockdown and death.

Monday 13th March
Description setting - the bar

Steadily, Alex entered the road, half way moon. He observed
his surroundings. Above him were hanging precariously from
the centre of the room were two coppery positioned
halogen lights. Sitting on the underside the lights
was a mahogany sign, which was covered in steel.
Who would have enough money to afford that? ?

Also Although Alex was intrigued by the sign he noticed
what he thought was appeared to be a grand aquarium.
Gingerly Alex crept towards the daunting wall of water.
The sheer cut size of the thing drew him towards it.
A swirl of movement, despair and sympathy grasped his attention.
Fluorescent, maybe, hanging from the ceiling told
captives this magical beast? Alex gazed with a
mixture of horror and wonderment. Like people hung
from a tree, the tentacles of a Portuguese Man-of-war

6P's Friday Flyer: Candice
(Chestnut)

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Describe writing - the Lar

Alex steadily walked into the vast, modern room. He glanced around the room, his new environment sitting alone, there was a large desk made of polished wood. Above this, two golden chandeliers ~~shone~~ perfectly on the ceiling. Behind the desk, Alex noticed an antique chair which was covered in an expensive red leather. How could someone afford that?

14.33 As he scanned the rest of the room, he noticed what looked like a giant, deserted aquarium. Curiously, Alex stepped towards the tank with a nervous look on his face. A swirls of movement, mythical and elegant, captured his attention. Mysterious, swift, mysterious - what creature was floating behind the glass? Like jewels hanging from a chandelier, the tendrils of a Portuguese Man-o-war ~~swayed~~ by shimmering and ~~glowing~~, the body of the translucent predator pulsed beneath the thick glass. Alex's pulse soared as the thought of being attacked by the beast raced through his panicked mind.

6BM's Friday Flyer: Jada)

Year 6 have continued to develop their tag rugby skills by learning evasive techniques and how to work as a team to tag an opponent. We have also been busy completing our schema on Hong Kong and have written a secret lair description in English,

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Week 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Main Meal	Main Meal	Main Meal	Main Meal
Margarita Cheese Pizza, Diced Potatoes and Peas	Beef Chilli, Rice and Sweetcorn	Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes, 2 Fresh Vegetables and Gravy	Butchers Sausages, Mash Potato, Carrots and Sweetcorn	Chicken Bites, Chips and Baked Beans
Vegetarian Option	Vegetarian Option	Vegetarian Option	Vegetarian Option	Vegetarian Option
BBQ Beans, Diced Potatoes and Peas	Tomato and Cheese Pasta Bake, Focaccia Bread and Sweetcorn	Red Pepper and Lentil Wellington, Roast Potatoes, 2 Fresh Vegetables and Gravy	Mushroom Biryani, Garlic Focaccia and Sweetcorn or Salad	Vegetable Nuggets, Chips and Baked Beans
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato
With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	With Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo
Dessert	Dessert	Dessert	Dessert	Dessert
Fruit Muffin Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt	Orange Cookie Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt	Flapjack Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt	Jam and Coconut Sponge Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt	Chocolate Crispy Cake Or Fresh Fruit/Yogurt