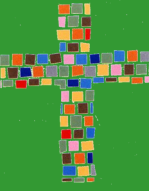




Thursday
1st April 2021

Newsletter



HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS

EASTER - TRACK AND TRACE

Please contact us via the headteacher email address asr-headteacher@asr.jtmatt.co.uk to inform school of a positive case where covid symptoms have developed within 48 hours of being in school.

Hebrews 11:6

"And without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is and that He is a rewarder of those who seek Him."



Quote
the Week

"Hope is the thing with feathers
That perches in the soul
And sings the tune
without the words
And never stops at all."
Emily Dickinson

Easter spells out beauty,
the rare beauty of new
life.

Wishing you a special,
hopeful and beautiful
Easter and spring!
S.D. Gordon

Billy, Andrew,

Red Oscar, Ella A, Joseph H,

Bronze

**Silver
Simran**

Gold

Bronze Cup



Silver Cup

Gold Cup



Bronze Medal



OF THE WEEK



Morgan for showing a willingness and ability to work independently in all areas of learning.



Harvey for concentrating so hard this week on your work and have had a really focussed attitude towards everything we have learned about. You have mastered our maths work on fractions and have worked really hard to show your understanding of this. Well done!



Ferdy for the huge increase in his self-motivation and independence during lessons this week. His enthusiasm for learning has brightened up our classroom and his effort to improve his handwriting hasn't gone unnoticed! Well done

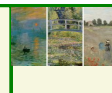


Josh for sharing an excellent sense of humour in addition to an incredibly high standard of work in every lesson.

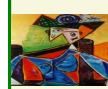
OF THE TERM



Ella B for being showing being consistent and calm in her approach to her learning. You are also a really good friend!!!



Lewis for his consistently outstanding behaviour and engagement with everything we have done this term. You have been an excellent role model to all of the children in class and always make the right choices and are a helpful and genuine member of our class.



Zack, for never giving up when the going gets tough! He completed every single task independently during lockdown and always went above and beyond to improve his work using the feedback he was given. This continued when he returned to the classroom, where he works hard, stays positive, giggles daily and acts as a role model for others by never being afraid to ask for help when its needed.



Jacob for consistently showing exceptional learning skills, in a term where we have learnt at home and at school and faced challenges. Throughout all this you have made fabulous progress because you have tried your best, asked lots of questions, shared your thoughts and opinions and completed an amazing amount of work. Your IT skills shone when you were working from home and it has been excellent to see you work collaboratively since we came back together. Super learning attitudes to take forward, well done!

WEEK COMMENCING 19.04.2021

Monday

CLASS 3 - RETURN GOGGLES PERMISSION FORM

Tuesday

PARENT FORUM 9.30 AM (TIME CHANGE)

Wednesday

PTA MEETING - HORSESHOE 7.00 PM

Thursday

CLASS 3 - SWIMMING

Friday



JOY - Theo P



LOVE - Caitlin



PEACE - Joseph H



GOODNESS - Jessica N



FAITHFULNESS -



PATIENCE -



KINDNESS - David



SELF CONTROL - Peter



GENTLENESS - Ray

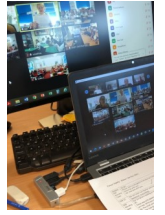
THIS WEEK IN FOCUS

It's been a truly fantastic week which saw our Easter service, Ralph's birthday and our final worship which included a large number of awards! We've had a superb term, children have been so settled and hard working and our schools have been exceptional places to learn, play and work.

We had a special Easter service too, children shared readings, songs which were pre-recorded outside, prayers and some wonderful artwork too - the Easter tree looked beautiful. It was fabulous to see so many families. Well done everyone.



Ralph was 4 this week and, as he is such a lucky dog, the children thought it would be great to make him some cards and donate food, toys and blankets to Crowfoot Kennels. We thank the families for being so generous. <https://www.crowfootkennels.co.uk>



We hope that you have an excellent Easter, time to reflect and rest. I hope that you enjoy family time without home learning - well just a bit of reading and arithmetic.
Happy Easter.



Mrs Gethin and Ralph

PARENT FORUM

Due to a Trust meeting clash, I am sorry but I need to move the All Saints Parent forum slot.

It is moving to Tuesday 20th April at 9.30am.

It's been a while and it dawned on me that, we do everything else on zoom, why not our parent forum? I propose a meeting for each school and, am happy for it to be any parent who wishes to attend. Usually we have representatives from each class who take discussion points and ideas from the parent body and feed this back to me prior to the meeting to formulate an agenda. It sounds formal but it's not and it's a time to celebrate what is good and raise questions which often lead to school improvement. It isn't a time to bring up concerns which are current at the time of the meeting, it's more strategic than that although it's a time where I often get to know a few things if there are any difficulties and is helpful to support parents in our decisions and actions.

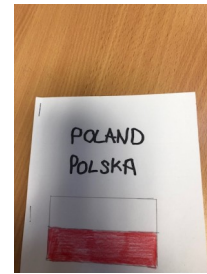
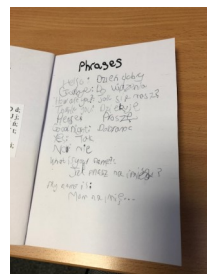
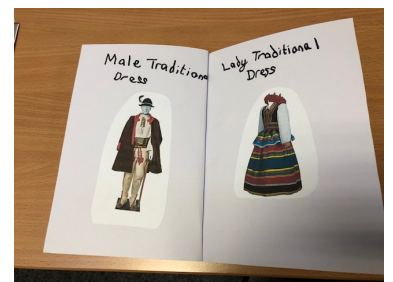
If you have any agenda items which you know of prior to the meeting, please let me know. I shall post the zoom link on Dojo when we return after Easter.
Do come along if you want to and can.

See you then!

POLISH PROJECT WINNER

The winner of the language of the half term project this half term is

Joseph Lewis.
Well done!



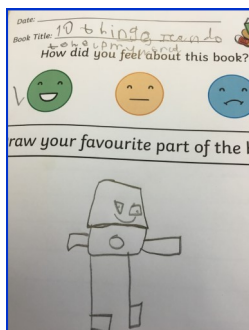
WORLD BOOK DAY COMPETITION

Well done to everyone who contributed to world book day. Here are our highly commended winners for world book day and, the overall winner is Sophie (Class 3) who will receive a book token from our amazing Trust, JTMAT. Well done.



Class 1 - Haadi

for his independent book review



Class 2 - Jack

for his Captain America character.



Class 3 - Jorgie

for her 'Trash to Treasure' story

Trash to treasure

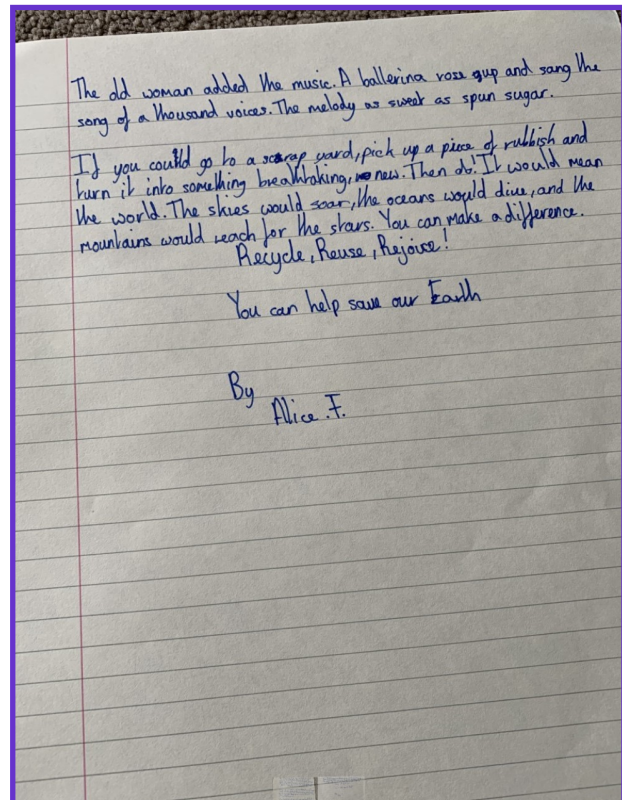
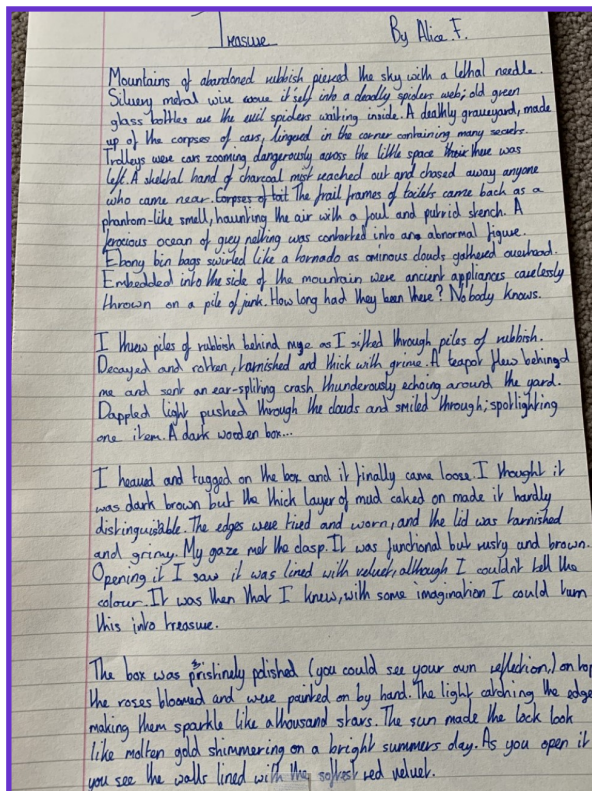
The terrible, wet and soggy junkyard was sitting there with a large gate around it. Old cars just lying there in the distance. Jeeps, Range Rovers and all sorts of cars were all crumpled in the corner. Brown and broken boxes piled on top of each other like children doing cheerleading and I could smell the putrid ground from the top of my nose! Wet and thick mud squelched with every step I took. There was a heap of tyres out of breath, unused and they had lots of holes in them. There were also sharp edges on a microwave catching things as they passed by.

I was frantically searching for something good but then I saw a glimpse of colour catching the sunlight. 'Bottle tops!' I thought, so I walked over and picked one up. YUCK! It had small, silver scratches with jagged outlines on it. Probably ancient. Gross, dreadful, terrible and nasty! They were grubby with their colour fading away. I think there were about 9,000 of them. As soon as I turned around, the tower of bottle tops fell on the floor with a... CRASH!

I stepped back and thought for a second what I could turn the bottle tops into... When they were finally scattered across the floor, I thought of what they could be... A toy tower, eyes for a craft project. Oh and they could become beautiful decorations on a Queen's chandelier hanging from the high ceiling up above" WOW! There were so many colours. Rose pink, sky blue, lime green and loads more...

If you could recycle your plastic you could save a wonderful animals life. Why don't you try it out?

Class 4 - Alice F



OVERALL WINNER - Sophie H - (Class 3)

Turning Trash to Treasure

I could see rusty silver handcuffs peppered all around the junkyard. They felt as rusty as an ancient piece of iron and the air smelt as mouldy as a rotten banana. Plastic bags danced on the wind, pyramids of microwaves stood tall and proud and every now and then, one would collapse, forcing me to retreat behind piles of junk to not get covered with putrid mud. An old plank of wood was stuck to the ground with a single piece of chewed caramel on it. I could taste soot in the dusty air. Diseases hung onto towers of junk waiting to jump onto an animal or human. In the North East corner, Alhambra's piled up and up waiting to be crushed into neat little cubes.

As the sun twinkled down on the junkyard, it caused coloured bottle tops to make a rainbow light all around the junkyard. They were ancient and smelt of awful, stale milk. They had sharp, rough edges and as I kicked them over, they clinked and clanked together. The musky, iron bottle tops looked as if they had been in good use before they came to this place but now, they looked as if they had been here for a million years! Well, at least older than my great grandma [she is 90 years old]! These rusty, decayed bottle tops felt as spiky as hedgehog spikes and they were DISGUSTING!

But I knew with some imagination I could turn these bottle tops into something magnificent... They could perhaps become the tiles on a fish ornament. With a pinch of skill, these bottle tops could be the wheels on a toy car for a child to play with or precious rocks to go in a rockery. Maybe they could even be reused as bottle tops! As rusty as they are, I could make them into a disco ball which could make people dance and feel excited. If I were to put all of the bottle tops into a box, I would see the colours emerald, sky blue and plum purple.

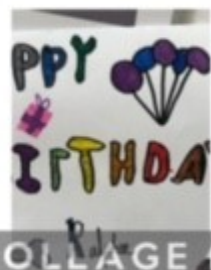
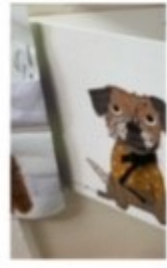
If everyone started upcycling, our world would be a much better place. Don't you think? Could you help the planet by simply making something old all new again?

JT MAT STORIES

All Stories from all schools: <https://jtmatalovesreading.co.uk/>.

Our direct links: <http://jtmatalovesreading.co.uk/category/school/all-saints-rangemore>

GALLERY



PIC-COLLAGE



FOREST SCHOOL - REQUEST

As it is spring cleaning time of year, we wondered whether anyone had any old, spare pots and pans for our younger children to use in our mud kitchens.

We are specifically looking for the following -

Old saucepans, metal pots
Cooking utensils, big spoons
Old rope and string

Thank you for your support, I am sure our children will really enjoy playing in the mud kitchens during Forest School next term.



ENTRUST MUSIC SPRING FESTIVAL

You may be interested to view this, some children are involved in taking part in this concert. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v4_e5A3ezmk



We were thrilled to see a class 3 child enjoy the event and sing brilliantly

AUTISM SURVEY

The local Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) have been awarded funding to test a Community Keyworking programme for children and young people who are autistic, have a learning disability or both. The CCGs are keen that the support offered reflects the needs of these children, young people and families. They are asking you about the type of support these children and young people would like and need from a Keyworker. SCVYS is working with the local CCGs to understand how a new Keyworker role can support children and young people who are autistic, have a learning disability or both.

They are offering a short online survey which should take no longer than 15-20 minutes to complete, or the option to be interviewed either over the phone or on video call to listen to their views and needs.

The survey is live and they will be able to offer phone and video interviews until Sunday 18 April 2021.

<https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/secure/Schools/School-bag/2021/03-March/26-March/04-Consultation-for-children-and-young-people-who-are-autistic-have-a-learning-disability-or-both.aspx>



CHURCH/COMMUNITY

JUNIOR PLAYERS WANTED at DRAYCOTT & HANBURY CRICKET CLUB

Draycott & Hanbury Cricket Club are keen to get children back playing cricket. Weekly training starts on Tuesday 13th April with Kwik cricket matches on Fridays evenings, u11 matches on a Monday evening, u13 matches on a Sunday morning and u15 on Thursday evenings. All abilities welcome so why not try something new.

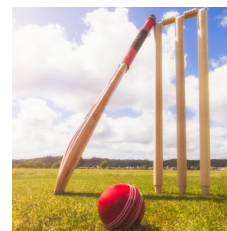
Current charge is £3.00 per training session/match.

We also have teams for adults so why not bring along a sibling parent or friend

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask.

email: rstride.dhcc@hotmail.com, pleppington@hotmail.co.uk (club captain) or message in facebook.

Rosie Stride
Club Safeguarding Officer



1ST BRANSTON BROWNIES

1st Branston Brownies
Wants To Welcome You!

1st Branston Brownies is an all girls group for 7-11year olds that meet once a week on a Monday 6-7:15pm in Tatenhill Village Hall.

We aim to create the perfect environment to nurture each girls blossoming individuality, creativity, leadership and communication skills and most importantly have lots of fun filled adventures with great friends.

If you are interested in finding out more then you can drop us an email to firstbranstonbrownies@hotmail.com

or you can register your interest on the Girl Guiding website. You can also find us on Facebook and Instagram.



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School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille.
Please speak to Mrs. Gethin if you have a particular requirement.

