

Tiny TIMES

2023-24 Term 3

Welcome to our newsletter!

Welcome to this term's Tiny Times. We hope you enjoy the interesting news stories from across our school. We have had trips, visitors and competitions, not to mention THREE interviews at the end of this edition!



Our School Vision

Our school vision is let your light shine. People at our school can show this by going to the O2 with the choir, joining in with clubs and expressing who they want to be. All the teachers support our school vision and try to make clubs that suit everyone's interest and capabilities.

By Elizabeth (Y6)



Outdoor Classroom!

We have been lucky enough to see our own outdoor classroom being built this term. We have been to visit it and were so happy with the fresh air and the space to write, read and do lessons in there! Thank you to the builders and Father Rodney for the funding to do it!

By Annie (Y6), Erica (Y5) and Marko (Y4)



Gianna Pollero Competition

Earlier this term, the whole school were able (if they wanted) to make a poster about the author Giana Pollero. So many kids participated in this and all of the pictures were OUTSTANDING! Our librarians [Holly and Quinn] were SO impressed and wanted to give everyone the first prize! But eventually it had to be narrowed down to one 1st place prize in KS1 and KS2. In the end, there were 2 runners up which were: Holly B in Y1 and, Kara in Rainbows! And the lucky 1st place prize went to... Daisy W in Y2! For KS2 Runners up were: Elizabeth P in Y6, Imogen R in Y5, Awa N in Y4, and lastly, but not least Isaac M in Y4! Lastly, the winner for KS2 is... Erica T in Y5! Which is the writer of this paragraph in the NEWSLETTER! Thank you to everyone who participated in this!

By Erica (Y5)

Gianna Pollero Visit

Gianna Pollero is the author of the Monster Doughnuts series of books. We met her this term when she came to visit and she shared her hints and tips for writing a book. We got to ask her questions which helped us find out what her inspiration for becoming a writer was. She even stayed at the end to sign some books for us!

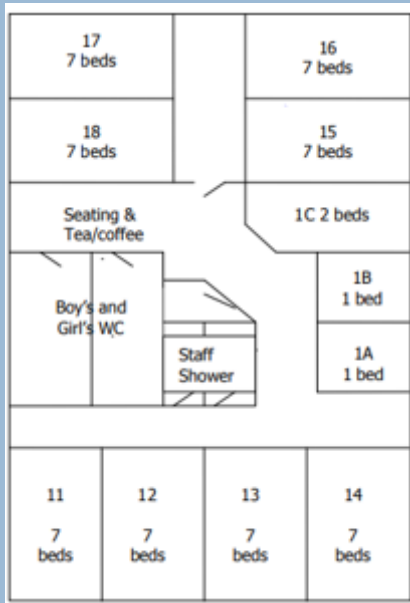
Thank you to everyone who helped organise this for us. We hope for more Monster Doughnut books in the series because we really LOVE them!

By Stevie (Y5)



Y6 Residential Trip

Dorm setup



These are the dorms that the Year 6s slept in for their residential trip. There were 8 dorms for the children and 3 for the teachers.



Residential activities

We did numerous activities such as skiing which some people found easy but others found hard but no matter what it was great fun. We also did: pool kayaking which was very fun, rock climbing you needed to have a good night sleep to do, low ropes and leap of faith to help get over the common fear of heights, archery for self-defence I'm just joking but we did do archery and team activities for team work building.

Food

There was a delicious variety of foods like chicken goujons, chicken casserole, turkey roast, cereal, oranges, pastries and jacket potatoes. The cooks were Nice and they made even nicer food. They were thoughtful of allergies or gluten free.

By Millie (Y6) and Elizabeth (Y6)



Interview with the Librarians

What is your favourite thing to do as a librarian?

Holly: Same

Quinn: We love sorting out books because there are so many books to sort.

Charlie: Same

What does your job include?

Holly: We hide blue tack

Quinn: Find recommendations of books for people

Charlie: Same

What is your favourite lesson?

Holly: PE

Quinn: Maths

Charlie: Maths

Do you like reading, what is your favourite book?

Holly: Yes, Never Evers

Quinn: Graphic novels

Charlie: Yes, don't have a favourite

What's your favourite hobby?

Holly: Lying in bed

Quinn: Reading

Charlie: Basketball

By Millie (Y6)



Interview with Amanda

Is your job easy? **Its nice but not easy**

Do you get lots of notes in the worry box? **Sometimes lots**

Do you like doing Place 2 Be? **I love doing it**

What school did you go to? **Victoria school**

Do you speak about your zone's? **More about children's feelings**

What do you do in the nest? **Doing stuff people feel like doing**

What is your favourite food? **Mexican**

Can you bring friends? **The place to talk, yes**

Did you like school when you were little? **I loved primary school**

What is your favourite sport? **Tennis**

Is this your first job? **No, but it is my first job in primary**

Wats your favourite colour? **Blue**

What was your favourite subject? **Biology**

Do you like chocolate? **I love it**

Wats your favourite film? **Jaws**

Did you name the nest the nest? **No**

By April (Y4) and Alice (Y4)



Interview with Mrs Poland

Is leading choir fun? **Yes, lots of fun, its one of my favourite things to do.**

How long have you been a teacher? **About 24 years-ish.**

Is your job easy? **NO, not easy but I love my job.**

Did you like singing as a child? **Yes, I was in my school choir and was on our local stage by 5 years old.**

What did you want to be as a child? **A teacher or Nurse.**

What is your favourite TV show? **The masked singer.**

What is your favourite food? **Home cooked roast with really good gravy.**

When you started school did you go straight to choir? **No, I didn't it took me a few years to start it up.**

What is your favourite book? – **Laya and the Blue fox.**

How many schools have you worked at? **2, Mark Cross and Hawkhurst.**

Do you enjoy being in the same office with Mrs Paton? **I do.**

Do you like being a SEN teacher? **Yes, I enjoy helping children with their needs.**

Do you enjoy being assistant head? **Yes, I do.**

What is your hobby? **I enjoy dancing singing and reading.**

What primary school did you go to? – **Brabourne CE primary school**

By Annie (Y6) and Alice (Y4)

