



Two Boats School

# Newsletter

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2021



Hello everyone,

Staffing and recruitment update:

I am sure you are all eagerly awaiting news of the staffing situation for September, especially if you have been reading some of the Facebook posts on the Ascension Island page. We have made offers to 5 candidates (Deputy Head/ Primary teacher, 2 primary teachers, Assistant Head/Maths teacher, English/French teacher) who have accepted. At this stage the offers are still subject to successful references, DBS checks and medicals. Once these have all been confirmed we will share with you their names. There are still 2 posts to be filled and interviews for these are in hand. Please be assured that we are doing all we can to have a full team for the start of the new school year.

Today we officially said goodbye to our Year 11 students. Their exams are now completed and the wait for exam results on August 12th begins. It is fitting at this time to thank all our invigilators and readers: Lina, Marina, Jenny, Lucy, Gareth, Jolene and Angela. Scheduling, downloading, printing and organising the exams has been a great challenge but with a team effort its mission accomplished. Thanks are also extended to SURE, to Francesca who gave up her lunch hour to help us download a paper and to Kerry for making sure our office printer held up to finish the printing of papers.

I am hopeful that the hard work they have put in will pay off. In the coming weeks they will be working on applications and CV's for A'level studies and Youth Training placements.

From all of us here at TBS goodbye and good luck Year 11. There is no doubt you will be missed. Your future is in your hands (make it great!).

Mrs Maggott





*Jaiden: "I BBQ the chicken & peeled potatoes."*



*Shontay: "I helped Mr D prepare the BBQ for lighting."*



*Cohen: "I cooked the sausages."*

Last week we told you about Year 9 preparing a wonderful BBQ lunch, during their HE lesson. Well here is the evidence of their culinary skills and team work which were required to get the meal ready on time. Thank you Year 9, it was delicious!

Mrs Millard.



*Shyann: "I seasoned and BBQ the chicken."*



*Adele: "I cooked veggie burgers and sausages and prepared the salad."*



## The TBS Cabaret Show - Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June 7pm.

Entrance is by monetary donation and there will be a Raffle on the night @ £1 per ticket.

All money taken on the night will go to school funds.

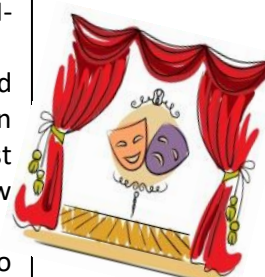
Please remember to bring a dish to share and your own NON-alcoholic drinks (sorry no alcohol on school premises).

Please come along and support the performers. The dancers and singers have chosen their own music, the violinists have been hard at work practicing and the Drama Club.....well let's just say they had a lot of Wacky Weird Ideas that have somehow made into a sketch!

Should be a fun night so please encourage friends and family to come along.

## Book Amnesty!

If you have any school text books or library books at home, which are no longer being used, please return them to the school office as soon as possible.



**Reminder** - students with outstanding Award Vouchers please send your orders to the school office as soon as possible. Thank you.

***“I liked the part when we were at the museum and looked at different things back in the day”  
Shyann***



***“Cool, looking at the stuff in the museum.”  
Jaiden***



***“It was fun learning about all the rocks & the eruptions” Adele***



***“I liked it when we went up to Ash pit to look at Weatherpost. It was really cold!”  
Shon-tay***

## Year 9 & 10 Volcano Trip.

On Wednesday 2nd June Year 9 & 10 visited the museum at Georgetown. Lucy Rodwell gave us a very interesting talk about rocks, volcanoes & the history of the island. We then looked at all the artefacts. Back onto the bus and we were off to look at ‘the real thing’: Sisters (the last volcanic eruption on Ascension), all the different colours and what they were. Our journey continued with a visit out to Ash Pit, stopping along the way to look at the formations of lava and rocks. Our task here was to draw what we saw i.e. Weather Post, but the mist came in and made it all disappear!

Mrs Millard & Miss Austwick