



Two Boats School

Newsletter

Monday 6th November 2023



Hello Everyone,

The first week of term has flown by and we are now already into November.



We welcomed to the team this week Mrs Allison Pitt (Left) who is here with us on temporary cover in the Year 1 and 2 classroom and Mrs Debra Lawrence (Right) who will be with us for four weeks as a temporary TA. Both ladies have had a good week and I am sure you will all join me in wishing them well.



Joining us this week were two new students, Scott and Oscar Constantine. Welcome to TBS boys and we hope that you settle in and enjoy your time here with us on Ascension Island.

On Thursday evening the Year 2 – 9 children put on a short concert with songs and readings from the Hagbane’s Doom production. It was a tremendous performance from the students, a testament to their resilience and teamwork! Well done to you all, I am super proud of you. Thank you to Ms Smith for all the hard work and effort too. From the comments on the evening I know Parents and invited guests had a great time.

To the PTA, thank you to all who baked and contributed cakes, to Marion for giving up her afternoon to help with preparing the food and to all who helped with tea/coffee making and setting up and clearing away.



We now look forward to the Nativity and Christmas performance on Thursday 7th December.

Friday we had our celebration assembly which started with Lorna presenting the John Muir certificates to some of the YMPA students. Well done to you all!



Students from across the school were then awarded star of the term (1A) certificates. Well done all!



We also awarded some Black belt numeracy ninjas certificates and GCSE Biology certificates to the girls. Congratulations all!



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Star of the week: Primary – Tanzi Beard, Secondary – Savannah Lutman and Aijsa Beard Joshua. Well done Girls.



House Points:

This year we introduced some new Gold, Silver, Bronze house point awards for those with the highest number of house points across the term in each sector:

Well done to all students!

It certainly was a morning of celebration.



Weekly winners of the house cup this week were Elliot's with 102 points.

There are some plates and bowls here at school from harvest assembly, if you are missing any then please let us know and we will check for you. Also please could you let us know if you are planning to go on overseas leave soon.

Photos from Kelly:

School Photos will be issued in mid-November. We will be in touch.

That's it for this week.

Tania Maggott
Head Teacher



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Year 7 and 8 Newsletter



We've welcomed a lot of new members to our class this year – in fact we have doubled in size from 4 to 8 students! We'd like to tell you all a bit about ourselves and what we have been up to.

Our new Year 7 students:



Hello, my name is Savannah. I'm 11 and I've been on this island for six and a half years now. I have just joined Secondary and so far I am enjoying it. I enjoy Maths because it is straightforward yet challenging. I am known for being loud and competitive!

Hi, my name is Mitchell. I'm 11, turning 12 next year and so far enjoying Secondary and ready to take on new challenges.



And in year 8:



My name is Matteu and I'm 12 years old. I'm new to Ascension Island and I've settled down here well – everyone is kind and nice. My favourite subjects are Maths and English because they are challenging and fun. I enjoy spending time with my new friends and talking about stuff at break since we have a lot in common.

My name is Dane and I have been here for five and a half years. I am 12 and in year eight and my second year of Secondary. My favourite subject is Maths because it doesn't involve writing and because it's fun.



Hi I'm Kaya. I am 12 years old. I have been at Two Boats School for 2 months now and I am enjoying it so far. My favourite subjects are English and French. I am really enjoying it here on Ascension – I love the beach.



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Riley – I'm on overseas leave right now but here is a picture of my nice smiling face!



Hi I'm Aisja. I've been here 8 years and counting. My favourite subject is English. This is my second year in seniors and it's been OK. Better than year 7 so far!

Hi I'm Isabella but most people know me as Bella. I've lived on the island for 2 years now and I'm still enjoying myself. Art is my hobby and I love it! 😊 My favourite subject is Art because I am good at it.



We enjoyed Fire Safety Day. Here we are learning some knots and all about the tools fire fighters use.



We also performed in the Harvest Assembly.