

Newsletter

Friday 16th May 2025





Hello Everyone,

I can't believe another week has raced by so fast. This is probably because we have all been focused on all the activity at school. There have been more GCSEs and mock exams for the older secondary students and busy lessons for all the rest.

However, we did get to welcome our new student this week. Byron joined us on Monday from his school in St Helena, and has settled really well, making new friends in Year 1 and 2. We look forward to seeing Byron flourish here and being an asset to Team Dampiers!

Meanwhile, Mrs Maggott has been posting on the TBS Facebook page about her adventures in the UK, attending the COBIS conference. It was an exciting event and we can't wait to hear about the new and inspiring ideas she has picked up from the visit.



Mrs Maggott with Mrs Joanna Povall our COBIS creditor.

Star of the Week house point awards this week go to Oscar Constantine, Isabella Hogg and Dane Snell. The the winning house was Elliots again this week 137 points.







Our assembly this week was from year 3 and 4, which focused on telling us about the wonderful work of Sir David Attenborough. Last term, the class were learning about desert environments



and desert animals and learnt a lot about being a naturalist. As an island that treasures conservation so much, it was brilliant to see the link between the work he has pioneered and our aim to keep our beautiful Ascension Island as preserved as possible. Thanks for the reminder year 3 and 4 and Miss Crowie!

This weekend, as I'm sure you all know, there will be the Charity Marathon event. I hope you will join the rest of the staff in wishing Mrs Allie Pitt all the best in her challenge to do the full 42 km. Please do donate if you can, or take part in one of the various walk/run routes on offer.

The ADF fair is also nearly upon us -31st May. TBS will be well represented with our games stalls and Silent Art Auction, so please do come along and support us by taking part.





That's it for this week.

Jo Smith Deputy Head Teacher



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A warm HELLO from Year 1 & 21

Year 1 & 2 have made a great start to Term 3.

To complete our learning in Term 2B, the children were given a project to complete over the holidays. The theme of the project was 'Let's go on a holiday/ Beside the seaside'. Here are some of the amazing projects that Year 1 & 2 created during their holidays. Great Job Guys!!





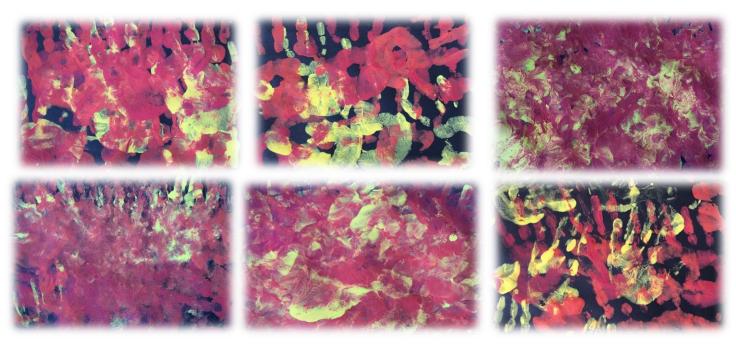






For this half term, Year 1/2 have been busy learning all about the Great Fire of London. They have really enjoyed learning about the events that unfolded on 2nd September 1666, and how the fire started. We moved on by comparing how London was in the past to how London is now. During our Art session we used our hands and fire colours to create a picture that represent fire.

Here are some of our creations.





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During our Maths lessons, we have been busy learning all about money. This has been an exciting topic for Year 1 & 2 which they have enjoyed. We began by identifying coins and notes, we then moved on by making different amounts of money.

Here are some of our learning activities.













We would like to end our newsletter off by welcoming our new Year 1/2 student, Byron Williams -Joshua.

We hope you have enjoyed your first week with us! It's great to have you join us!



