

# The Pilgrims' Post



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## Farewell Ma'am

By Adam K, Year 7

Two editions ago, The Pilgrims' Post reported on the joyous occasion of HM Queen Elizabeth II's Platinum Jubilee. However, just 5 months later, we are sorry to announce the news of Elizabeth II's death. Queen Elizabeth II was a shining beacon of hope through the darkest of times. She was THE ultimate morale booster and has seen Britain through many different ages and eras.

Queen Elizabeth II was THE QUEEN of 15 countries and is the head of the commonwealth of nations. She was a woman of great dignity, pride and strength. Even from a young age, Elizabeth II (who wasn't meant to even be Queen) knew what her duty was and joined the AFS for the war effort. She always put her service and her country before herself and she stuck to that even in her darkest moments. She ruled for so long that many of us can't remember a time where she wasn't ruling. She reigned through wars, scandals, deaths, attacks even times when it seemed as though all was lost for the monarchy. She survived.

She has worked and advised 15 Prime Ministers and has certainly



Figure 1 Queen Elizabeth II, 1926-2022

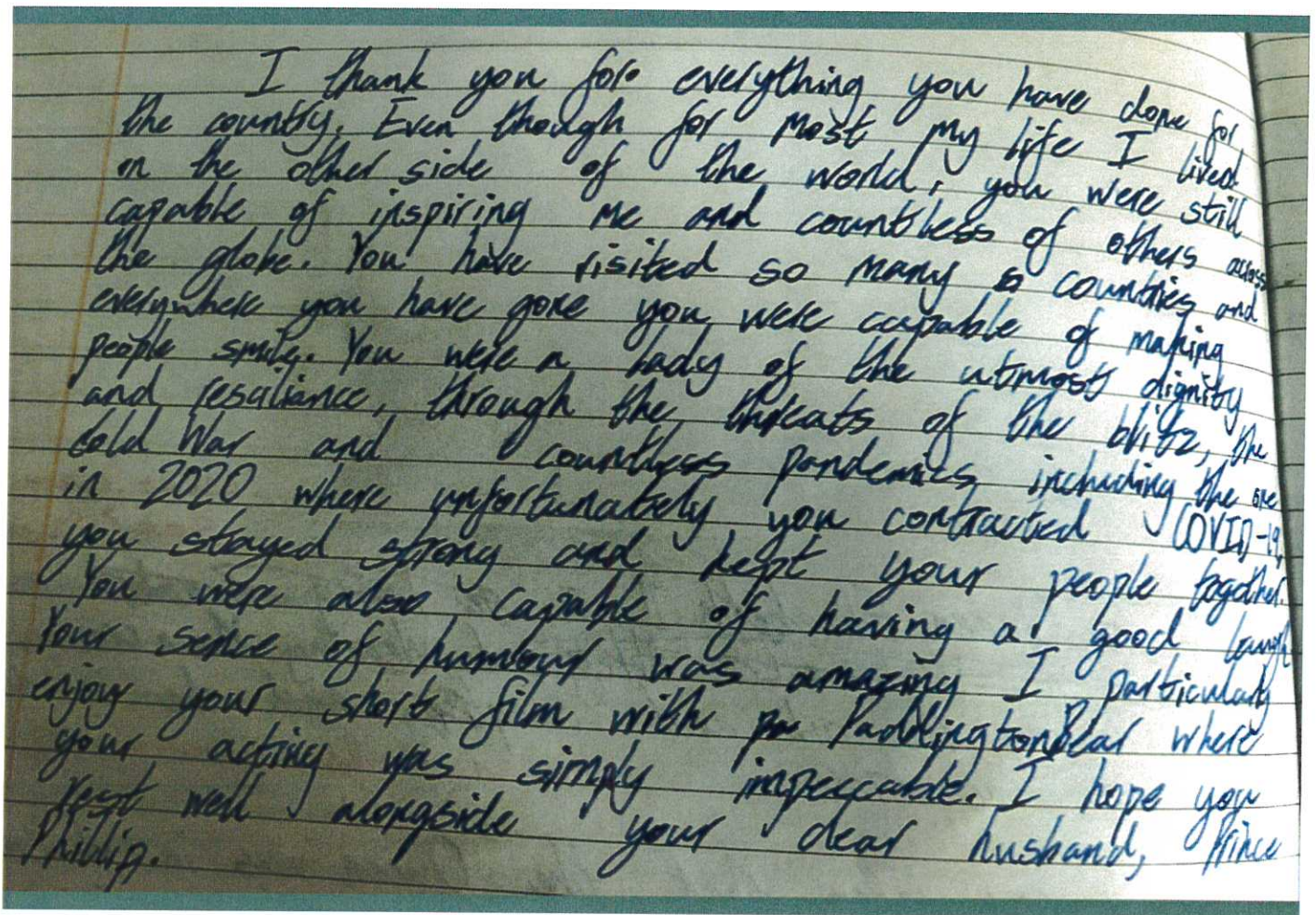


The whole school together for a moment of reflection and commemoration.

made her mark in history. She has done so much for everyone and has made such a difference. She has

guided Britain through its colonial past to be one of the most modern and successful countries of all time.

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The pupils all had an opportunity to write their own letters of gratitude.

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We have so much to thank her for. We all watched when her coffin was transported down to London. We all respected the people who waited hours to see the Queen. And we all watched the heart-breaking moment her coffin was transported to Westminster Abbey and we all watched her funeral and her procession to Windsor where she lay next to her father, her mother and her husband. She was a remarkable woman by all standards and will doubtlessly be remembered as one of the great monarchs of the UK. May she rest in peace. And God Save King Charles III.



## Long Live the King!

By George Si, Year 7

On September 8<sup>th</sup>, Queen Elizabeth died at the age of 96. We were all sad and we have talked about it quite a lot over the past few days and about the Funeral, which was especially beautiful, but we haven't really talked about King Charles yet so here is an article on Who is King Charles, what has he done in his life and what will he do as the new King?

Charles Phillip Arthur George Mountbatten-Windsor, prince of Wales now the King was born on November 14<sup>th</sup>, 1948, son of Phillip and Elizabeth. His grandfather George VI died when he was three and his mother ascended to the throne. He then became the duke of Cornwall, Duke of Rothesay, Earl of Carrick, Baron

of Renfrew, Lord of the isles and prince and great steward of Scotland at only age three. He also became the 21st Prince of Wales in 1958. He founded the prince's trust in 1976 and he is a patron, president, or member of 400 other charities. Charles is also an environmentalist and continues to raise awareness of climate change and organic farming. Also, since 1993, Charles has been behind the creation of Poundbury, an experimental new town based on his ideas.



# Boarder's Business

By George Si, Year 7

Hi guys, and welcome back. My name is George S, and I will be writing Boarder's Business for this term, so here we go. We have had a great start of Boarding term with the boarders arriving on Wednesday and starting school excited on Thursday. Also, I really hope that our new boarders settle in well and now onto the thing that I know you are all dying to hear about.....our trip to Paulton's Park!



We travelled in the morning on Sunday with the Choristers arriving after lunch and Quiristers before and we all had a wonderful time! We split up in groups with different teachers and went on rides like the Cyclinator, a ride that went up so high as to lift you to the sight of a Cyclone, travelling in an almost perfect circle going upside down for a few seconds then swinging back down again amidst extreme G-Forces and cries of fright and joy depending on the person! There was also the Stormchaser a short ride that swerves violently sideways and nearly upside down and at some points also nearly hitting the rocks below before you pull into the start again excited and breathless!

There was also a 4D cinema which was amazing when the words lifted off the screen when you put the special glasses on. Also, when in the movie it started to rain, water was sprayed from the ceiling at us, lucky people did not have their technology out! It was amazing and so enjoyable for all the boarders so I and I am sure all the other boarders would like to give a huge thanks to all the teachers who helped to make that trip possible for all of us!

Also, afterwards, the catering team and Mr Cuyler made us a barbeque which was so delicious and an excellent end to an exciting day of fun and enjoyment. Now back to a fresh full week of school...

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Hello again, just been back from an amazing exeat and I hope you had an amazing one as well, now another week of school. Good luck!

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Hi readers, now for information on another boarder's trip. On Sunday we went to the chorister Eucharist, and I know this is not a chorister news or music article, but they are incredible singers. Then we came back, had our amazing roast, thank you to the catering team, and then we set

off to Golden Gecko climbing, which is a climbing centre.....hence the name. We had lots of fun climbing up walls like Spiderman and then slowly abseiling down to the floor. We played a game called 'King of the hill' which was a game involving racing to the top of a climbing wall and seeing whose 'reign' would last the longest. Surprisingly, I won this game but purely by fluke and I think that anyone could have won this game, so well done to everyone who participated. We then went on the minibus back and we stopped at a forest on the way and played a 'wide' game. It involved a 'seeker' counting ten and everyone hiding and then going through various rounds where the seeker would have a chance to catch the hiders but there was one catch, the seeker was not allowed to move. This game was great fun and an excellent end to a fantastic trip.

But the fun did not stop there, afterwards we had domino's pizza. What more could you want? Now to school....

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Hello guys and welcome back. I did not stay at school this weekend, but I hear from some other boys who did stay in that the boarders played golf in the morning around the school led by Mr Armstrong and then they went to the hawk conservatory where they watched lots of owl shows and they had birds flying over their head. Sounds like great fun! Now another week of school.

# HARVEST FESTIVAL

*BY: TOBI O, Year 7 & WILLIAM N, Year 7*

The Harvest Festival is the time of the year when crops are ready for the picking before winter. It is a tradition when people get food from their homes and give it away to a charities. On Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> of October 10:45 we had a celebration where we gathered together for a Harvest Service in the Cathedral.

When went to the cathedral we sung some hymns and Seb N, Hector W and Cyrus T quoted parts of the Bible. Then the priest said a few words about the food crisis and God. Then we stood and listened to the chamber choir sing then we all sang a hymn then listened to Mr. Duncan then said a prayer then we left.

We also collected food for the local food bank. The harvest festival was first started in the pagan era when crops were grown, but today it is an opportunity for us to give thanks for what we have and support our communities. Patrick C, as head of charities, lead the operation, along with the food committee. They dropped off the food last week at and learnt a little bit about food bank in the process.

## **Why are Foodbanks important?**

Food banks are particularly important as they are used to donate food to people who need the food, because they are struggling to feed themselves and their families, perhaps do not have jobs, or are unemployed due to a disability

they have. So how can you help those in need well first you could ask Patrick as he is the school leading prefect in charge of charities and today.

As a school we have donated all the food us students have donated to Winchester Basic Food bank. And if you are willing to donate Patrick recommends you should donate canned meat, canned vegs or canned fruit.

## **So how does a food bank work?**

Food is distributed across to various charities that need the food. But also, if you want some of the food first you tell them whether it is one or two servings and then they give you a sheet on what they recommend for you. So, think of those in need and donate today!



# Going to the Winchester Basics Bank

By Patrick C, Year 8

With the cost of living dramatically increasing, we as a school decided to try and help out, so last Friday, the Charities and Food Committees went to the Winchester Basics Bank to donate all the food you as the school gave to us. We went to their warehouse, and then offloaded all the food and even sorted it out for them.

There we learned the basics of how a food bank works. When someone walks into a food bank, the food bank will give them a sheet that tells them the recommended portions and amounts for one person, two people, and so on. Usually the serving isn't simply doubled for two people compared to one, as two people can typically share. Unfortunately, due to the severity of the cost

of living crisis, more and more people are relying on food banks, to the point where around 500-600 people go to one of the four Winchester Basics Bank sites scattered all over Winchester.

Now, if you want to help out with the situation, firstly it would really help the food bank if you would donate tinned fruits and vegetables and drinks like instant coffee and milk.

Secondly, the bank also appreciates clothing donated to them such new pants and socks, large clothing and men's shoes sized 10 and 11. (Further information will be linked down below with their website.)

Finally, to further help with the cost of living crisis, we have chosen to endorse two local charities: Street Reach a charities that helps

young children do extra-curricular activities that they may not afford to do, and No Limits, a charity that gives advice and counselling to anyone under 26.

Thank you for all the help you have done, people in need have been really helped by you.

**Winchester Basics Bank:**  
[Winchester Basics Bank – Provides emergency food and clothes to individuals and families in need](#)

**Street Reach:**  
[Homepage - Winchester Street Reach](#)

**No Limits:**  
[No Limits \(Southampton Charity Supporting Young People\) \(nolimitshelp.org.uk\)](#)



# COP27

by Rohan T, Year 8

This November 2022, Egypt will host the 27th UN Conference on Climate Change, and how countries will tackle it. This is called COP 27.

90 UN Member countries have confirmed attendance. COP27 will cover a range of topics across the two weeks. Some of the key themes will be: Climate Finance; Net Zero and Carbon Emission Reduction; Education and Youth; and The Ocean.

One of the topics is Climate Technology, which means using technologies to reduce Greenhouse House Gases (GHGs). For example, using renewable energies such as wind, solar and hydropower.

This year's event might be controversial because Coca Cola is a key sponsor. Coca Cola produces 200,000 plastic bottles every minute!

I also discovered that more than half of all UK litter is made up of these brands:

- Coca-Cola
- McDonald's
- Cadbury
- Red Bull
- Walkers
- Lucozade
- Tesco

Coca-Cola says "We're committed to reducing plastic waste and we don't want to see any of our packaging end up where it shouldn't.

# School Council

By Rohan T, Year 8

This term on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October Student Council had their first meeting. Many suggestions were discussed with the matter of the heated pool being given lots of thought. Many matters were discussed with a lot generally being agreed on. A quick remainder to everybody that should they have a suggestion all they need to do is to take it up with their representatives.

# Cricket: It's Kohli Hour?

By Rohan T, Year 8

In the Asia Cup, Former Indian Captain Virat Kohli scored his 71<sup>st</sup> ton after 1021 days. Coming of the back of 2 Half Centuries Kohli struck an unbeaten 122 which included 12 fours and 6 sixes.

# THE POUND

By William N, Year 7

The pound has been around for generations but recently it has seen a steadily declined and as I am writing this it has the same value as the dollar.

## Beginnings

The pound was made in 1694 it was back then worth way more in today's money like even pennies were worth lots of pounds in today's money the estimated worth of the pound when it was made was worth £115! That's so much! While the shilling was used by most people because the pound at the time was way too expensive.

## 1700-1900

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## 1900-2022

But after that increase in the 19<sup>th</sup> century it went back on track to slowly decline until now it has gone its lowest. I hope you liked this.

# PILGRIMS' SPORTS

Your half-termly review: news, matches, opinions

## FESTIVAL OF FOOTBALL

By Toby O, Year 7

On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September here at pilgrims' school children both juniors and seniors were given the chance to show their skill and talents. It was action packed and just a wonderful day. Even though some boys did not receive what they had wanted that did not bring down the mood and as someone who saw this spectacular event, I can say it was a spectacle to watch.

## THE INTER SET FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

NOW this is going to get our viewers pumped up in the upcoming week: the inter set football tournament. It's going to be action packed, dramatic and a spectacle to watch as no one knows who will come on top, Wrens, Romans, Monks, Saxons or Normans. Get ready Chaps!

And to end this section let's look at sport both around at the Pilgrim's school.

The biggest news is the sack of former Chelsea coach Thomas Tuchel and below we'll look at sport around pilgrims.



1<sup>st</sup> team- 1<sup>st</sup> game -lost 5

2<sup>nd</sup> game -won 6-1

3<sup>rd</sup> game -lost 4-1

4<sup>th</sup> game -lost 3-1

5<sup>th</sup> game - won 7-1

2<sup>nd</sup> team-1<sup>st</sup> game -won 8-0

2<sup>nd</sup> game lost 2-0

3<sup>rd</sup> game lost 5-0

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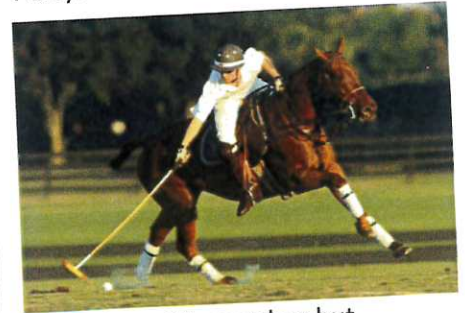
## ALL ABOUT POLO

By Anthony C, Year 3



I love polo because it an incredibly fun sport, I like when they put a lot of effort in it, I love watching matches and polo is horse + football but with stick and its one of the coolest sports I

have seen. I had a match with Oscar, Lucas, Felix, and my brother. My favourite horse is Zook. The best horse for me is Perry.



Sometimes it's matches but sometimes it's lessons. The difference is horse riding has 2 reins and polo has 4 reins. It could be dangerous because when you fall the polo stick might poke you sometimes but if you are lucky, it could barely miss you. When I checked it said prince Harry falling off this horse. My brother missed out a lesson because he was boarding at this school. I fell off a horse yesterday when I was getting prepared for the match, so this is what happened. I was cantering and I went too fast and then she stopped but I did not know when he would stop, I fell off the top right-hand side I landed on the side of my ribs, and it really hurts but I carried on. When I fell my horse waited until I got back on perry, but I lost a bit of confidence. And my teacher said it would take 3 lessons to gain my confidence back.

AND THAT'S IT!

# THE YEAR 6 TRIP TO NORMANDY- NORTH-WEST FRANCE

by George K-W, Year 5

On the 22<sup>nd</sup> of September, 2022 the whole of year 6 travelled to Normandy- France on a History trip to study the Norman conquest. We stayed for 3 days and certainly had a lot of fun. We saw the Bayeux tapestry-a 70-metre-long woven marvel showing the Norman conquest (though it isn't exactly true because it has blue horses in it) in its own museum (because it is over 700 years old).



*In this picture the Normans are on horseback*

We also went to see a chocolate factory called Drakkar's chocolate factory! We had up to 25 euros so we could buy stuff from the markets and the ferry and gift shops. We also visited the gift shops in the museums and ordered food from a real French restaurant.

We visited a castle, mount St Michel, and tons more epic fun.

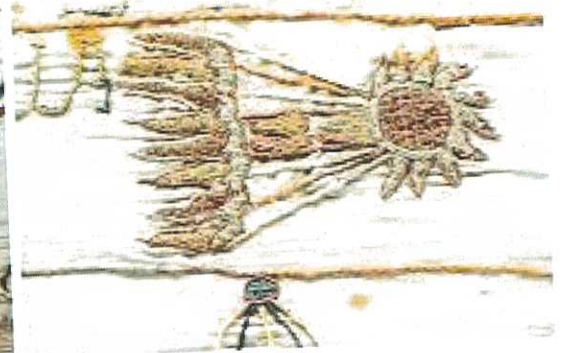


*In the Bayeux tapestry try to look out for the comet we call Halley's comet!*

## Châteaux de Falaise.

Now this is the castle I said about earlier in this article. It is William the conqueror's birthplace! It used to be a royal residence for Henry II.

It has 8500 inhabitants, and it overlooks the cool statue of William the conqueror.



*Here William the conquer is in armour and is ready to mount his war horse: a scene from the visited Bayeux tapestry.*

## Mont St Michel and our epic hotel!

Now it is time for our last stop: Mont St Michel. It is a massive monastery and massively populated (about 100000 a day!) it was nice and cool, and we bought stuff at the end but when

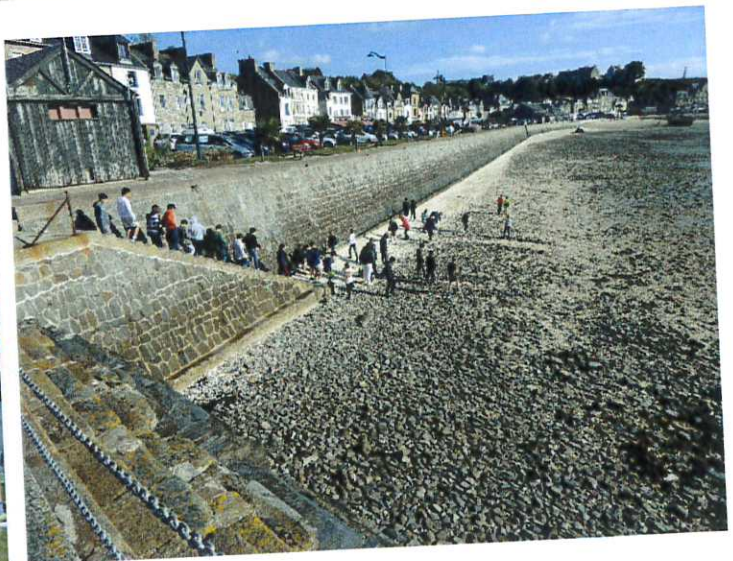
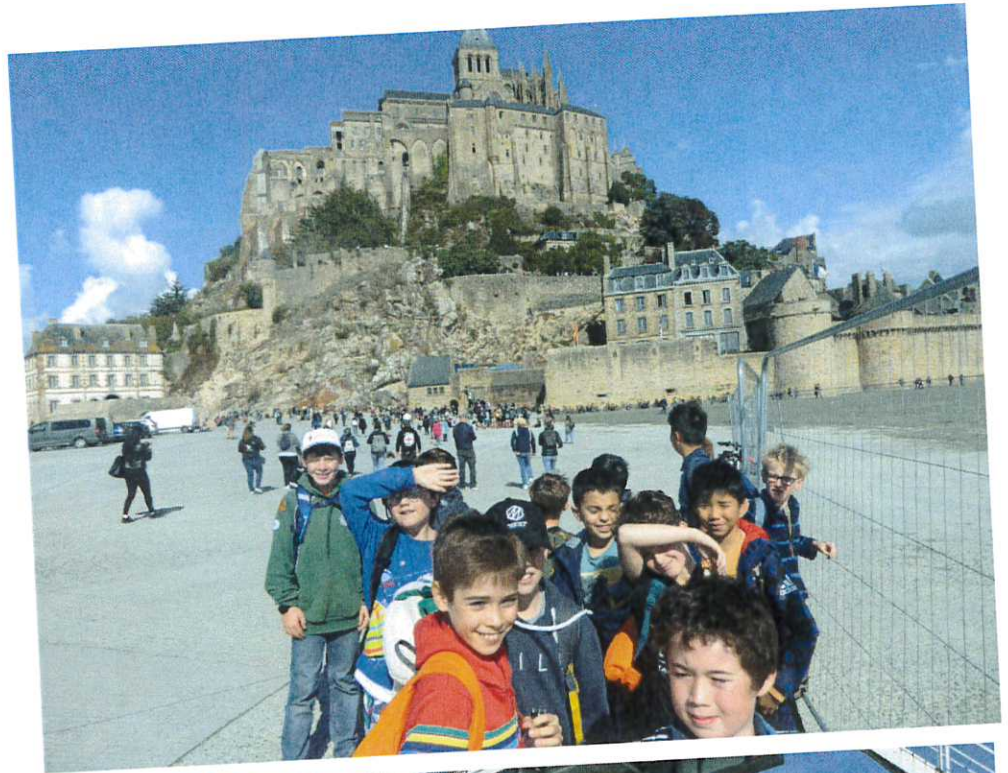


we were allowed to go shopping in small groups along the narrow-overpopulated streets, it just went crazy!! Suddenly, a bagpiper along with soldiers just marched straight into the mountain-city-abbey for no reason! It was amazing!

### THE HOTEL

We stayed in a 2/3-star hotel called the best hotel. We had lovely breakfasts and some comfortable beds. We really wished you were here! It was one of the most fun and exciting adventure ever! (Can't wait for the year 7 trip to France!)

Thank you for reading and I hope the year 5s will be incredibly excited for the 22nd of September 2023.



# Teacher Interview

By George Si, Year 7



This half term I interview Miss Adkin and we aimed to get to know our Editor-in-Chief from The Pilgrims' Post a little better...

## What is your favourite book and why?

Miss Adkin said that her favourite book would be the shadow of the wind by Carlos Ruiz Zafon. Miss Adkin really likes this book because it is a historical fiction and a thriller set around a cemetery of forgotten books. It involves magic, intrigue and mystery around one particular book where all other copies of the book have been destroyed. Miss Adkin also likes this book because it is a translation from Spanish and it's been done really well.

## Thinking of Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, what is your one item you would take with you when you had to evacuate Earth?

The answer to this question would be Miss Adkin's travel paint set, which she takes everywhere in her bag so that she can paint wherever she goes. It's also

a really good way of meeting people when they come to talk to you about what you're doing, and is a great way to get a little bit of headspace when you feel overwhelmed.

## What is something that has influenced your life?

In 2015, Miss Adkin Camino da Santiago (the French Way) from St Jean Pied de Port in France to Santiago da Compostella in Spain – 500 miles in 28 days! This was a personal journey, but you don't have to be religious to do it. She met lots of interesting people along the way and made lots of new friends.

## Is this the most challenging thing that you have done?

Mentally, it might have been, but physically, definitely not because a few years ago Miss Adkin kayaked from Gill's Bay near John O Groates (the very top of Scotland) to the Orkneys across a very challenging bit of water – she doesn't recommend this unless you are a very experienced kayaker! She also climbed a few of the mountains in the Alps in some very challenging conditions, across glaciers, snow, ice and rock.

## If you could live anywhere in the world, where would it be?

Miss Adkin has actually just bought a house in a village nearby and she's really enjoying it there (she even bought some pigs last year!), but if she had to move she would move to Norway because she went to Norway this summer and says it is absolutely beautiful and the people are really friendly.

## If you could own a robot for a day, what would you ask it to do?

I had already guessed this answer, so no surprises here, Miss Adkin said she would make the robot do her marking for her.

## I know you're an English teacher, but if you had to teach any other subject, what would it be?

Miss Adkin said she would really like to teach Art because in university (along with English Literature) she read History of Art. She also loves being creative... but, she says, Mr Walters is doing a great job and she's happy in English for now!

# Weird but true(somehow) 2

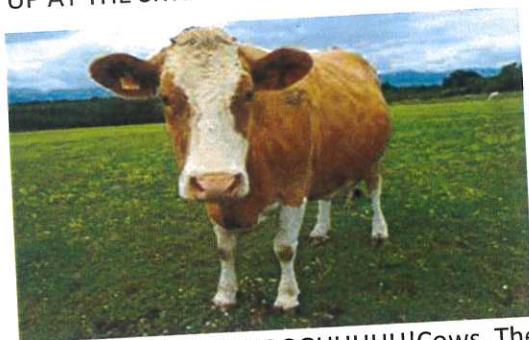
By Arthur M :D

Wow. I've got a sequel. That's fantastic.

If you're reading this, then you probably read the one from last edition or you just found this page and have no idea what I'm talking about. Anyway, please read my page or else I'll be sad.: C.



HOW DARE THEY! THIS IS CLICKBAIT! IT IS PHYSICALLY IMPOSSIBLE FOR A PIG TO LOOK UP AT THE SKY.



AAAAAAAAAARRRGGGGHHHHH! Cows. There are people in the world who would see this as their kind. Boanthropy. If you have that you think you're a cow and you act like one.



\*sigh\*. Crocodiles having a tongue is kind of pointless giving the fact it's impossible for them to stick it out.



It is true we need water to survive. But don't drink too much or it will kill you.



An astronaut was allergic to the moon! It happened during the Apollo 17 mission, when astronaut Harrison Schmit went to the moon. He seemed to be having a reaction to the moon dust. WHO WOULD BELIEVE IT? WHY AREN'T SCIENTISTS TALKING ABOUT IT TODAY?



Stop signs use to be yellow. I genuinely don't know what's a good joke for this one :/. Just a quick fun fact.

# Very Fun Facts 2

By: Hobart Y, Year 7

Here are some interesting facts about the world which you might not have heard about, the purpose of this article, or list is just to provide you with some added information :).

1. When we talk about pyramids, what would you think of? I would imagine you will be going for Egypt, right? But what if I told you that the country with the most pyramids are Sudan? It has got a massive 2000 Kushite pyramids, 10 times as many as Egypt with approximately 200.
2. Humans can only use an exceedingly small fraction of the Earth's water. Although about 70% of Earth is covered in water, only 2.5% of that is freshwater and only about 1% is accessible. Most of that 1% makes up glaciers and snowfields and only 0.007% is usable by humans. That explains why we should save water!
3. The current American flag is designed by a high school student! It started as a school project for Bob Heft's junior-year History

class, and it only earned him a B-minus. His design had 50 stars, although Hawaii and Alaska were not states yet. After the design was selected for the actual flag, Heft's teacher changed his grade to an A.

4. That tiny pocket where barely anything can fit into on your jeans was originally designed to store pocket watches. The original jeans had only 4 pockets: The tiny pocket, 2 on the front and only 1 on the back.
5. There is enough gold inside Earth to coat the entire planet. It turns out that there is quite a bit of gold in our planet. In fact, 99 percent of this precious metal can be discovered in the Earth's core and is enough to coat the whole planet in 1.5 feet of gold. Imagine that!
6. Mercedes invented a car controlled by a joystick! The joystick in the 1966 Mercedes F200 display car-controlled speed and direction, replacing both the steering wheels and the pedals. The car is also able to sense which seat the driver was sitting in, so

someone could control it in the passenger seat (bit dangerous). I wish they continued that design; it would be so fun!

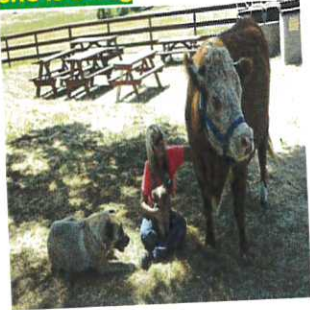
7. Beethoven never learned how to multiply or divide. The famous composer went to a Latin school named Tirocinium, where he was taught a bit of maths but never learned multiplication and division-only addition. Once, he needed to multiply 62 by 50. Quite simple maths, isn't it? Guess what he did? He wrote 62 down 50 times and added them all up. Amazing.
8. A woman called the police when her ice cream did not have enough sprinkles. The West Midlands police in England released a recording of a woman who called 999 because there were 'bits on one side but none on the other,' she says in the recording. She was even more upset when the ice cream truck man did not want to give her money back.

I hope you have all enjoyed it, happy half term! (I am running out of ideas...)

# ANIMALS NEWS

By Albert T, Year 5

## 6. Adorable rescue cow believes she is a dog



A cow who was rescued from an animal hoarder never knew what open fields, green grass, and freedom were until she arrived at The Grace Foundation's 600-acre state-of-the-art facility. Quickly falling in with a pack of 10 dogs, Milkshake loves to run and play — and she even tried to jump in the back seat of a car (just like her canine pals).

## 5. Man caught on video ditching dog at shelter



Dog ownership requires a lot of responsibility, time, and sacrifice. Despite the best of intentions, some people adopt, realize they aren't up for the challenge, and surrender the animal. But return protocol was completely lost on Daniel Sohn, who walked into a Colorado shelter with his dog, refused to fill-out the required paperwork, and then abruptly left — with surveillance cameras capturing heart breaking images of Sohn's German Shepherd mix Bronson chasing his owner's speeding vehicle...but what happened next was worse.

## 4. Dog missing before Superstorm Sandy reunites with family



Natural disasters don't only destroy property, they shatter families, too — as was the case of the Cruz family in New Jersey. They lost their 4-year-old Labrador Retriever, Wesley, when the dog ran away from home moments before Superstorm Sandy struck. After missing for 17 months, the Cruzes began to lose hope; on April 1st, however, they got some surprising news (and it wasn't a joke).

## 3. Senior Doxie found outside shelter with heart-breaking note



A cash-strapped elderly couple decided to leave their ailing 13-year-old Dachshund with a local shelter so, the animal could get the necessary medical care. But the topper was a heart-breaking handwritten note — scrawled on a piece of notebook paper — that requested the animal be put down. Turns out the dog's condition wasn't so dire, and the pooch was eventually reunited with his owners.

## 2. Disabled Border Collie gets wheelchair with skis



Kadee Mae returned to her Wisconsin home one day dragging the back half of her body, suffering from a damaged spine. Unable to use her rear legs, the Border Collie's owner purchased a special doggie wheelchair. The device was great on solid surfaces, but snow? Thanks to volunteers from Friends of Jonah rescue, skis were created that fastened to the carriage's wheels, allowing the dog needed mobility during the winter months.

## 1. Latest canine trend in China: Panda Dogs



The latest grooming trend in China took the southwest Sichuan Province by storm: Chow Chow's (or similar dogs) with their fur coloured and shaped to give the appearance of a panda bear. The pricey procedure takes two hours, and the effect lasts for an average of six weeks before touch-up work is required. According to one pet shop owner, "there are no chemicals or cruelty involved."

# The Gaming Page

by Arthur M Owo

Firstly, the game Minecraft has a new game coming out. The game is called Minecraft Legends and is said to be coming out the first half of next year 2023. The game is going to be an action strategy game about the overworld facing an invasion from the Piglins in the nether. The game will be like Minecraft Dungeons in a way with its fighting mechanics, but it'll be more like the actual Minecraft with its crafting, building, community mechanics etc. This is old news really. This bit is more like an "everything you need to know" thing.



Secondly, Nintendo, the creator of Super Mario, Legend of Zelda and more, recently bought a film studio. The studio is called Dynamo pictures. Dynamo focuses on CG animation and motion capture. Obviously, this is really big. And also, kind of weird, giving the fact that the last time Nintendo lent their IP to someone was when making the live action Super Mario Movie. \*SPOILER ALERT it was awful, insultingly awful\*. So, Nintendo hasn't lent anyone their IP in the chance that they will embarrass them

again. But Nintendo has let Illumination studios make an animated movie for it coming up, so times are probably changing (but Illumination created the Minions, so don't get your hopes up too high). So, Nintendo seems to be getting into the film business, which could either be really good or really bad.



Finally, some quick-fire fun facts about Gaming:

**Nintendo's biggest game is Mario Kart 8 Deluxe**

**Nintendo's least successful console was the Wii U**

**The most bought game ever is Minecraft**

**The most best-selling console made is the PlayStation 2 with 157.68 million units sold**

**The least sold game ever made was Okami**

Thank you for reading the page : D.

## How not to be bored



by Arthur M : D

1. Make up your own game... If you just use your imagination, you can make your own game really easily.
2. Play other people's game... Other boys are always playing other games. If you're bored, try joining in.
3. Pretend to be a superhero... I know it sounds weird, but it's actually kind of fun.
4. Bounce a basketball... For me it makes me mindful, and I find it fun, try and give it go!
5. Talk with your friends... If you just talk with your friends for a bit, you'll find it brings all kinds of fun!
6. Make new friends... At this school, there is always a few people who you can be friends with. Play with others and you could make some really good friends.

The Technology Topic This Week Is...

# All About Samsung Phones.

By Louis B, Year 7



## Latest News



The Latest Product That Samsung Have Released, Is The Galaxy Z Flip 4\* And The Z Fold 4\*, The Difference Between Is That The Flip Opens Like A Good Old Nokia, Top To Bottom, Or Portrait, The Fold Opens Side To Side, Or Landscape, They Both Are Compatible With 5G, The Flip Or "Clamshell" Will Survive 1.5 Meters In Water For About 30 Seconds, And It's the Same For

SAMSUNG

Galaxy Z Fold4 Z Flip4



The Fold, The Flip Has 2 Cameras One Has 10 Megapixels, The Ultrawide Has 12 Megapixel, The Fold Has Three, One Has 50MP, The Second Telephoto Offers 10MP, And Lastly The Ultra-



Wide, Its Better Than The Flip, But Is Still Not Up To Scratch With The S22 Ultra, But Still An Improvement From The Z Fold 3,

Their Latest Main Phone, The S22 Ultra\*, Is Nearly A Challenger To The iPhone 13, But When The 14 Was Released... Back To The S22 Though, Because This Is Still The Samsung Section, The 4 Cameras, (You Might Think There Are 5 But One Is A Laser Autofocus, Which Uses A Laser To Determine Distance of The Object) The Ultrawide Has 12MP, The Main 108MP Wide Camera, The Telephoto Camera 1, 10MP With 3X Optical Zoom, Telephoto Camera 2, 10MP With 10X Optical Zoom, Oh And Did I Mention It Has An Embedded Stylus? And A Note On Earbuds, Of Course You'd be Thinking They Have Got Nothing On iPods, Right?



But The Galaxy Buds Are Actually Quite Good, They're Comfortable, They've Got A Higher Water Resistant Rating (IPX7), And Block Out More Ambient Sound, Which Is Hard To Pull Off Because All This Is Crammed In To A Device The Size Of One Pence Coin! Back To The Phones, A Negative Note, Some Of The Heavy Duty Collectors

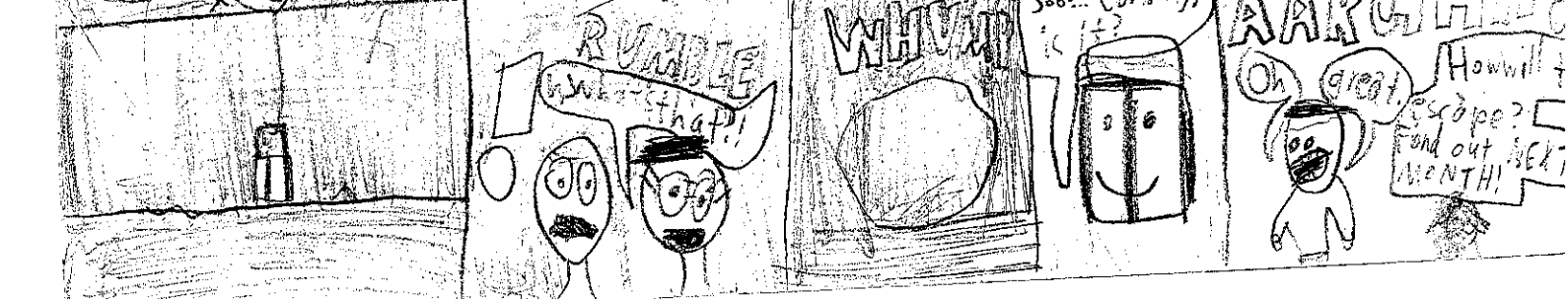
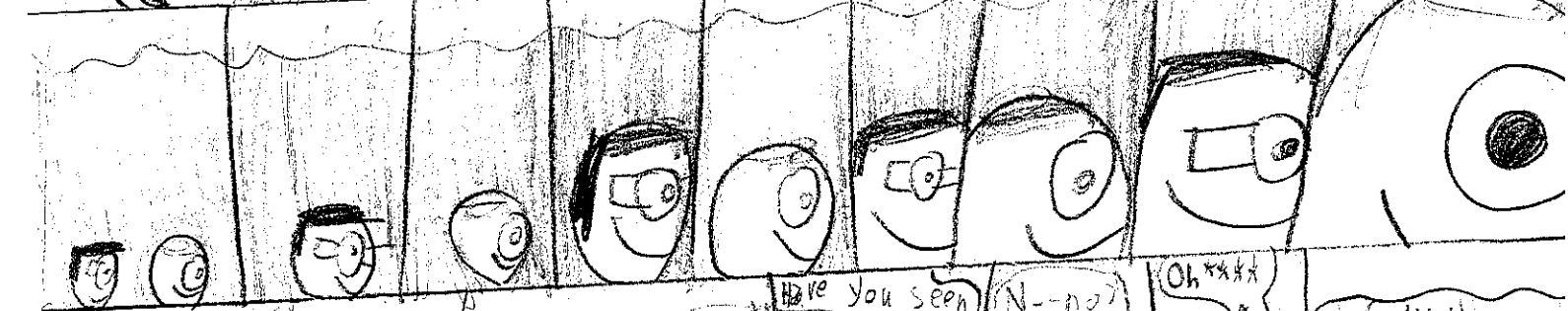
Who Have Collected Mobile Phones In Bulk, Some Of The Older Samsungs Have Been Exploding, And Some Of You Might Be Thinking Well That's Galaxy Note 7s, Right? But No, It's All Different Models, When I Heard This News I Quickly Checked My Phone (Galaxy A6+ For Anyone Who's Interested), Just In Case, It Was Fine, But For Some People, It Wasn't, I Mean They're Not Going KABOOM! And Causing A Massive Explosion, But The Battery Pack Was Expanding Too A Point Where The Back Was Slowly Splitting From The Front, Revealing The Battery Which Looked A Bit Like An Airbag, And What Samsung Did Was Collect The Phones And Go Silent, So It's Obviously A Major Problem Which They Need To Solve, But An Possible Reason Is Just A Coincident That Involves Temperature And Storage Conditions, It Even Happened To The More Recent Z Flip 2, But It Was Just Samsung With This Issue...

**And On That Happy Note Its Time To End! Come Back Next Week For All About **

# Bob and the Phil Lantern of Cheese

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PART 1





Bob & Phil

AND

# The LANTERN OF CHEESE!

OF  
PART 2.

Last time in Bob & Phil...

We're going to a cave today readers!

Hey what's here?

Boony! So... company, is it?

AAAAA

Sorry this took me half an hour...

So now...

AGH!

AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH!

AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH! AGH!

OK, I'll get it!

AGH!

So... you're talking lantern?

Made of cheese?

WHAT? THE? AGH!

So lemme get this straight. You're a lantern made of cheese-

THAT TALKS?!

Something's going on here.

Some-thing

OOO!

How do we get out of here?

I don't get where did the fish come from?

Oh, I press this button

That's where the fish came from?

Wait All of a sudden you're gone!

Yes.

But-FISH!

The Fish is Fishy.

Which button?

Er.

Stop with the ANOTHER 10... WHY don't ever BEHAVE?

5 SECONDS LATER

JUST SPAM ALL THE BUTTONS!!!

BOOM

I thought this was a volcano!

COO I did too!



THE EN

# PUZZLE PAGE

Every number corresponds to a different letter—try to fill in the grid and deduce the words to crack the code! We've filled in the letters you won't be using in the puzzle.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
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16	23	1	1	2	5	15	25	5		25	13	5	15	12
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## Words in the Puzzle:

adhere  
amp  
bet  
bowl  
earth  
ever

exhibit  
exploration  
fear  
fourth  
handicap  
ignored

images  
mention  
more  
novelty  
quoting  
recognition

shouting  
supporter  
tidy  
timing  
tree

DOODLE BOX