



Two Boats School

# Newsletter

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2025



Hello Everyone,

We are pleased to let you know that NAAFI lunches resumes on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April. Please do look out for an email from school which has the menu attached. If your child would like to order lunch then please send orders and money in by Tuesday's at 9am. Many thanks to the Naafi team for offering this service to us again.

Today we said Farewell to Jackie our cleaner. Thank you Jackie for your hard work and efforts keeping TBS clean, it is very much appreciated. From all of us here at TBS best wishes with your new adventures down south. You will be missed!



Welcome back to Karen who started as our new cleaner on Wednesday. Karen is no stranger to the school as she covered for three weeks earlier in the year. We hope that you settle back in and enjoy being here with us Karen.



Also leaving us today are Charlie and Arthur Boulet. Both students have been here with us for nearly a year and settled very well into the TBS way of life. We all wish you both the very best of luck as you return back home. Best wishes and we hope you will take away some good memories of your time here on Ascension Island.



A reminder that our annual Splash gala for children in Reception to Year 2 will take place at Two Boats Pool at 2.45pm on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> April. This will be followed by our annual Swim gala for the rest of the school at 9am on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April at the Travellers Hill Pool. School will then close for the Easter break at 12.30pm.

### House Points

Cronks retained the weekly house cup this week with 183 points. Well done to all in Cronks.

Our stars of the week this week were Kenzo in primary and Kia and Isabella A in secondary. Congratulations to all three students.



That's it for now!

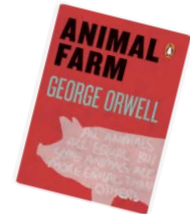
Tania Maggott  
Head Teacher

## *Hello from Year 7!*

We have been in Secondary now for over 6 months, so we would like to tell you a bit about what we have been learning this term.....

### English

For this term we have been reading a book called 'Animal farm' by George Orwell. We have to be able to interpret the different emotions and attitudes that the characters display. This term has been really fun!



### ICT

In ICT, (information, Communication and Technology) we have been learning about the internet and about how things are wired and wireless. I particularly like it when we get to work on the computers.



### Design and Technology

In Design and technology this term we have planning out how to make a novelty pen from Perspex. Last week we started to make it and we will next have to sand and polish it. I enjoy this subject, it is always fun.

*By Kia.*



### Science

This term we have been learning about the skeleton and our muscles We learnt all their names, their function and what they protect. Over the last few weeks we have been measuring our lung capacity, pulse rates before and after exercise and listening to our hearts using a stethoscope.





## Maths

In math we are learning about decimals, fractions and percentages. I enjoy this because the way it is taught makes it easy.



## Art

In art we are learning about the artist Thaneeya Mcardle. I enjoy her art because it has a lot of meaning and it is easy for me to draw too.

*By Ada.*

## Geography

In Geography this term we have been learning about the population and climate change in Asia. Science shows that the population of Asia has grown rapidly since the 1700s. I like Geography because I get to learn about new countries that id like to visit one day!

## PSHE

In PSHE, we have been learning how to take care of our teeth. We have learnt that teeth are very important, they are used for eating, talking, smiling and give shape to our face. We have two sets of teeth, primary which we have as a baby, and secondary teeth which replace the primary when they fall out. There are usually 32 in all, 16 in each jaw.



## History

This term we have been learning all about the Tudor and Stuart period of British history. I liked finding out about Henry VIII and his wives. Did you know he had 6 wives not 8! This is the rhyme to help you remember what happened to them – ‘*divorced, beheaded, died, divorced, beheaded survived.*’ In order they were; 1. *Katherine of Aragon* – (1 child; Queen Mary I), 2. *Anne Boleyn* – (1 child, Queen Elizabeth I), 3. *Jane Seymour* – (1 child; King Edward VI), 4. *Anne of Cleves* – (no children), 5. *Catherine Howard* – ( no children) 6. *Catherine Parr* – (no children).

*By Bernice.*

