

The Blue Letter: 19th March 2021



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for your patience this week with parents evening. If you had booked a meeting via school cloud that didn't happen because of the technical difficulties, your child's teacher will be in touch to find a convenient time to talk to you.

Thank you for your support in wearing masks and keeping a distance from each other at the start and end of the school. It does make such a difference in keeping our community safe. Can I remind you that we are still in lock-down and children shouldn't be out playing with each other in the street or going to each others homes for sleepovers or to play unless they are part of a childcare or support bubble.

The residents of the Almshouses have asked me to remind you that their drive goes across the pavement just before the entrance to school. They are worried that a child may get hurt if they don't notice a car coming out of the drive as they run down the pavement towards school.

It doesn't seem possible that we are a year on from the start of the first lockdown. Marie Curie have put together plans for a National Day of Reflection on Tuesday 23rd March. There are several ways to get involved which can be found on their website <https://www.mariecurie.org.uk/get-involved/day-of-reflection#involved>

Collective Worship



This week we have looked at some of the feelings Jesus showed: His compassion, his anger and amazement. We have used the stories of the feeding of the five thousand, the healing of the centurion's servant and the over turning of the tables in the temple to reflect on the how Jesus' example helps us to understand the emotions we have. Jesus feeling amazed, compassionate and angry gives us permission to feel these things as we experience the world as it is around us. This means that, no matter what, we can bring all the confusion, hurt and pain – as well as joy and wonder – that we feel to Jesus, believing that he understands.

Red Nose Day

Thank you to the families who have donated for Red Nose day, so far we have a total of £103 from 19 families. If you haven't donated yet the link is below

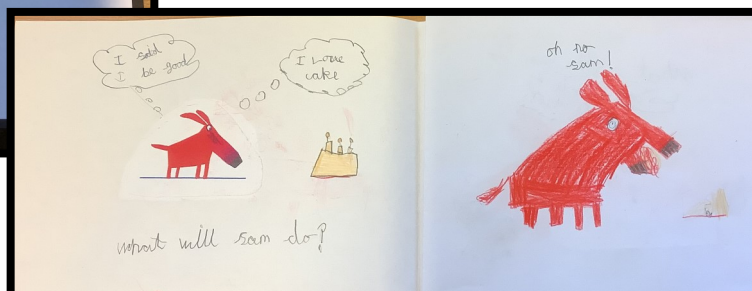
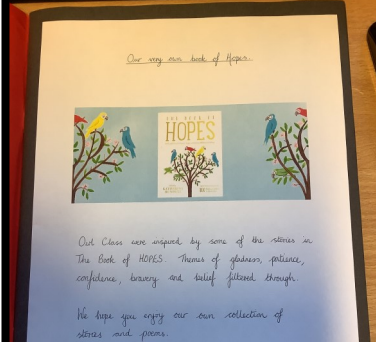
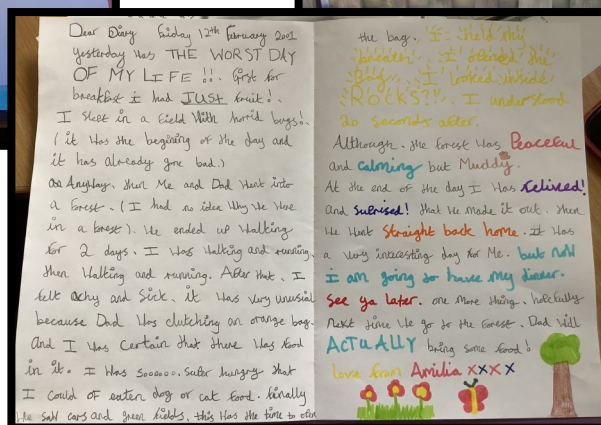
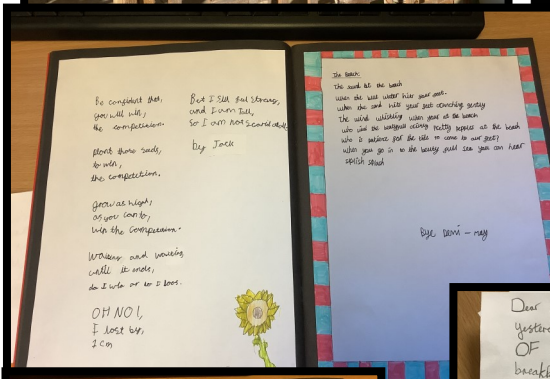
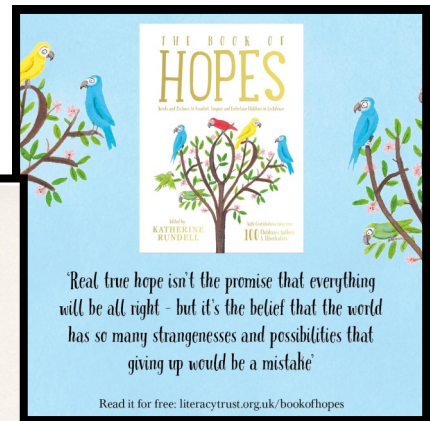
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/boxgrove-school1?newPage=True>



The Book of Hopes

Last week the children's work was linked to the Book of Hopes.

They have created our own Tree of Hopes, created Hope art work and written books linked to the stories and authors.



Achievers

Well done to all our achievers this week:



Squirrel Class: Freya, Darcey, Joey, Alex, Fynnly



Fox Class: Bell and Daniel



Owl Class: Oscar, Eliza and Demi

Boxgrove Easter Egg hunt

Lucas and his family are hosting a community Easter egg hunt for the children of Boxgrove and Boxgrove school.

Eggs will be hidden around the village of Boxgrove, the clue for the first location of eggs will be posted on Facebook at 12.30pm on Easter Sunday and each egg will lead you to the next. The hunt will be out until 4.30pm so you can do at your own leisure and within government guidelines around mixing. Collect all the eggs and bring them to the bunny's base to collect your prize! (an Easter sweet cone). There is a cost to enter of £1.50 per child and they must be booked in to get the prize, this is to ensure there are enough sweet cones! Any left over profit will be given to the local refuge.



There will also be a hidden golden egg somewhere in the village, the person who finds this will win another prize as well as a sweet cone.

To book, parents can click attending on the Facebook page which you can find by searching Boxgrove Easter egg hunt or email Lucas' Mum: georgie.newman1993@gmail.com

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Courses are open to boys and girls aged 5-12 years of age unless stated. The courses must be booked in advance on our website at www.pompeyitc.org.uk or calling 02392728899. Lines are open 9am-5pm Monday to Friday.

All children must wear shin pads and either trainers or football boots. Please bring a packed lunch and plenty to drink. Courses will be outside so please dress your child appropriately for the weather. For more information please call 02392728899.

VENUE	TIME	DATE	COST
WEEK 1			
Chichester College	10:00am - 3pm	Tuesday 6th April - Wednesday 7th April	£16 a day
Storrington Football Club	10:00am - 3pm	Thursday 8th April - Friday 9th April	£16 a day
WEEK 2			
Bognor Arena	10:00am - 3pm	Monday 12th April - Wednesday 14th April	£16 a day
Chichester College	10:00am - 3pm	Thursday 15th April - Friday 16th April	£16 a day

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VENUE	TIME	DATE	COST
YEARS 2-9			
Bognor Arena	5pm - 6pm	Monday 19th April - Monday 24th May (excluding 3rd of May Bank Holiday)	£20 for 5 Weeks
YEARS 3-9			
Chichester College	5pm - 6pm	Monday 19th April - Monday 24th May (excluding 3rd of May Bank Holiday)	£20 for 5 Weeks

Pay and Play Bognor Arena



Starting back Saturday 17th April!

Skills Training - 10-11.30am Ages 5-12

£5.00 to play

TOTS - 10-11am Ages 4-5

£4.00 to play

Every Saturday

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