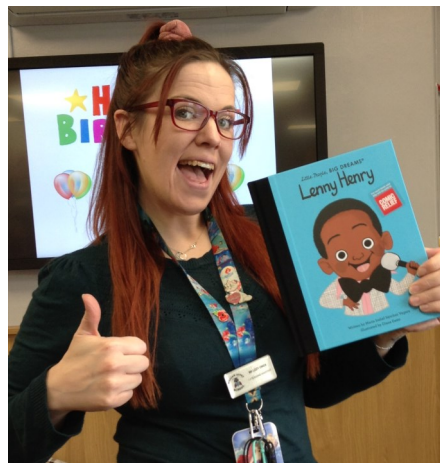


COMIC RELIEF

Last week, we raised £530.45 for Red Nose Day as part of Comic Relief. Thank you to everyone who donated a pound for our non-school uniform day as this is where the majority of the funds were made. This children enjoyed a fun quiz in Mrs Browning's assembly and learned about why we are supporting this great cause.

A big thank you to Miss Owen who donated a Lenny Henry book to the school as part of the day. We are sure lots of children will enjoy reading this!



LEARNING TODAY FOR LIVING TOMORROW

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday 22nd March

PTA Chocolate Bingo 5.30pm

Wednesday 27th March

Easter Service at St. Denys Church 10am

Thursday 28th March

Bake sale for Asthma & Lung UK after school

Thursday 28th March

Term 4 Ends

Monday 15th April

Term 5 Begins

Monday 22nd-25th April

Year 5 Bikeability

Tuesday 23rd April

Year 3 to The Collection

Wednesday 24th April

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Friday 26th April

Community Dental Services

Friday 10th May

Year 4 Online Workshop

Resilience

Tolerance

Aspiration

Respect

CHILDREN OF COURAGE

WRITTEN BY MR FARRINGTON



your innate ability.

- Celebrate the success of others rather than compare yourself against it.
- My final thought is the world would be a better place if everyone was a little more like Damian.'

County Cricketer

I had the pleasure of joining Damian and his family at the annual 'Children of Courage' awards on the 20th March. The event was hosted in school but organised by the local Rotary club. It was a privilege to hear about the courage displayed by several children in the local community. I will share Damian's nomination with you, which gives a flavour of the bravery he has shown, as well as the inspiration he has offered others:

'Damian has been at the William Alvey since Reception and the school has been a brighter place due to his presence. Although Damian has struggles with his health that can affect his physical ability, and can be quite painful, he always has smile and a kind word for everyone. Damian would rather have a go and persevere than admit defeat due to a physical ailment. His determination and resilience are an inspiration to his classmates, and they have learnt a lot from him. The two most valuable lessons his classmates have learnt from Damian are:

- You achieve your full potential through hard work, irrespective of



Going Greek

I must say a big thank you to Lucas for teaching me about Ancient Greek history. I had never heard of a dory spear and just assumed they were called spears. Lucas is both a great font of knowledge, as well as a brilliant craftsman, as you can see in the photo.

You can also see that Harley is an equally gifted artist. The Greek helmet he made is really something. I am glad I spoke to Lucas before writing this, though, as I wrongly assumed it was a Roman helmet. Every day is a learning day!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and see you next week for a four-day working week.



Palm Sunday

Written by Mrs Risdell



This weekend we celebrate Palm Sunday when we remember Jesus riding into Jerusalem on a donkey surrounded by joyous crowds waving palm branches and shouting "Hosanna" in celebration. He was welcomed as a King by the crowds who came out to meet him.

In church we shall be given a small cross made of palm leaves to remind us of this story from the Bible. The following week we will hear what happened to Jesus during the next few days when things changed dramatically for him and his friends and the reason we are preparing to celebrate Easter. You may already know some of the stories we shall be hearing then. I think we may hear more about what happened when we all meet up in church next week. I am looking forward to that!

The William Alvey School

Easter Service

to be held at

St Denys' Church

on

27th March 2024 at 10:00am



- Order of Service -

Pre service

Welcome

Reading: Year 6

Hymn

Reading: Year 5

Hymn

Reading: Year 4

Hymn

Reading: Year 3

Hymn

Recount: Mr Farrington

Reading: Year 2

Hymn

Mrs Purchase

Hymn

Reading: Mrs Risdell

Close of Service & Alvey Blessing

William Alvey pupils

Father Phil

Jesus entering Jerusalem

Hosanna

Judas betrays Jesus

When I needed a neighbour

Peter denies knowing Jesus

This little light of mine

The trial of Jesus and the crucifixion

This is Amazing Grace

Joseph of Arimathea

The resurrection

Easter Jubilation

Courageous Advocacy

Blessing

The Bishop's Letter

Father Phil

CHOCOLATE

All Welcome!

Friday 22nd March

SCHOOL HALL

Doors Open 5.30pm

BINGO starts 6pm

BOOKS £1

Drinks and Snacks Available to buy!

Cash only.

NHS Dentist

TreelineDental Care in Sleaford have called the school to say that they have NHS places for children available. Please call: 01529 266888

Book Fair

Thank you so much to everyone who supported our Book Fair last week. We took a total of £1,279, some of which will go towards some new books for the school.

Staff Leaving

Mrs Chapman is leaving the William Alvey at the end of this term, after 11 years at the school. She says she is looking forward to spending lots more time with her grandchildren. We wish her lots of luck and happiness in her future adventures.

SATs Week

The 2024 Key Stage 2 SATs will take place in the week commencing 13th May. The children in Year 6 will be tested in spelling and grammar, reading and maths. All children really need to be in school this week so please do not book any holidays.

Last Day of Term

Don't forget it is the last day of term on Thursday 28th March. We are back in school on Monday 15th April.

Lost Property

Please check the photos of the lost property from this week on the next page. Contact the school office if you recognise any items.

Lost Property

Please remember to label your child's possessions.



Please contact the school office if you recognise any of the items above.

Thank you.

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13 September
8 November

9 February
12 April
14 June
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11 October
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TESCO EASTER COLOURING COMPETITION

Please find three different Easter designs, for the children to choose from and colour in, or alternatively they can be collected from within store. All finished pictures need to be handed in at the Tesco Customer Service Desk by the 25th March, have their name, age, school and contact number. So, we can contact them if they win. The prizes consist of Easter Hampers and there is 1st / 2nd / 3rd prize.



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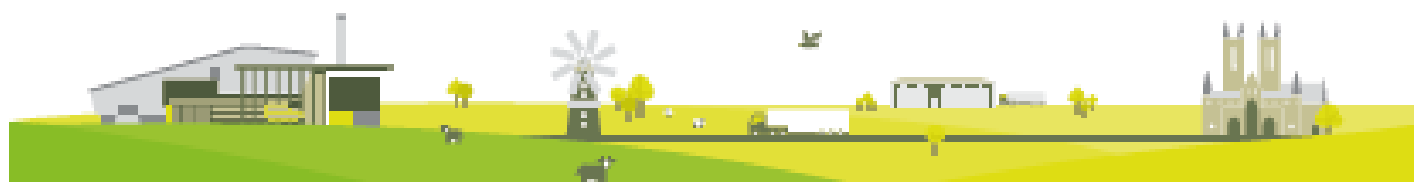
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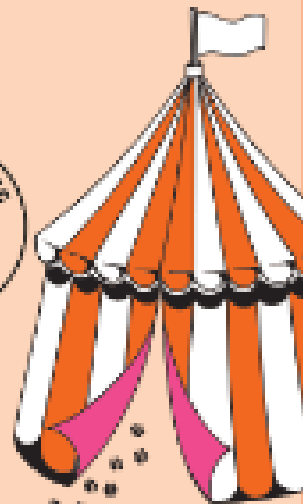
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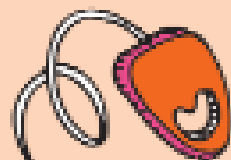
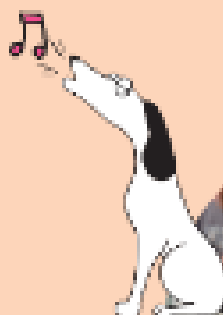
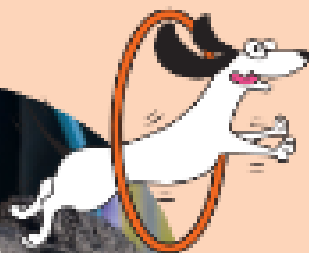
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