School News

Dunstable Project

Today, we enjoyed a talk from two archaeologists. These are people who study past human activity by looking at objects and sites of historical interest. We learned all about the history of Leighton Buzzard and Dunstable.

We used air dry clay to create a building for the town of Dunstable. We looked at buildings from the past and present to help to inspire our ideas. We had lots of fun.

Curtis said, "I love this. I would definitely like to dig and find out about the past. I'd like to be an archaeologist when I'm older."

Rosie, Lionel, Shay, Curtis and Rhianna.





Bikeability

On 7th March, students had the opportunity to participate on a course for Bikeability. The students in Level 1 learnt how to maintain their bikes, how to control their bikes and how to be aware of their surroundings.

The students in Level 2 learnt how to pass stationary vehicles parked on the road, negotiate the road, understand signals, signs and road markings, and how to safely share the road with other vehicles.

All students that participated passed the courses.





KS3 Caldecotte Trip

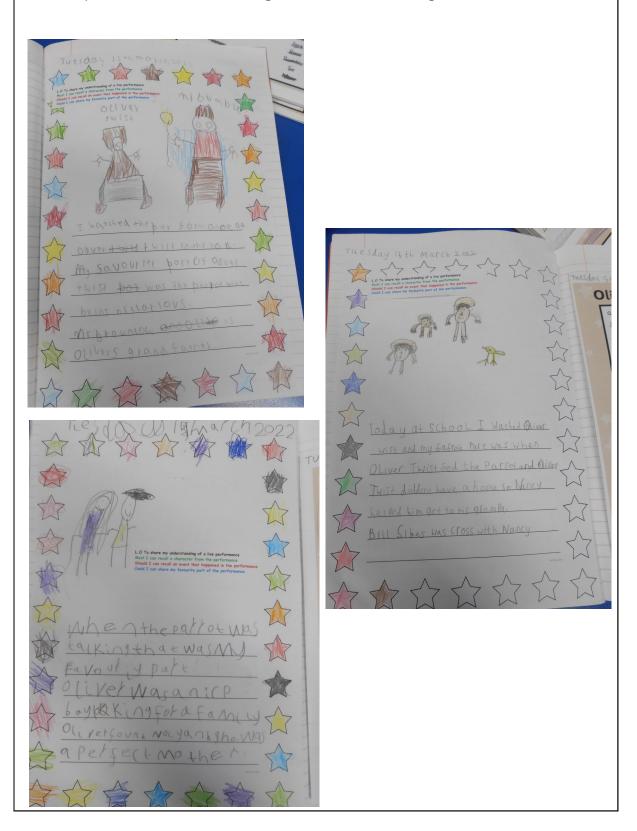
Twenty KS3 students had a fantastic time at Caldecotte Xperience this week, students and staff enjoyed messy activities, some ended up with shaving foam on their heads and some enjoyed sitting in gunge! We also enjoyed kayaking and jumping into the cold lake, climbing up the climbing wall and hanging around on ropes whilst stacking crates.



<u>Oliver Twist</u>

Primary enjoyed watching Oliver Twist. There was lots of laughter at Fagin's parrot.

2AG completed some work sharing their individual thoughts on the show.



Mother's Day Service

I go to Scouts every Friday after school and we do a range of fun activities to earn badges.

Last week, to earn our electronics badge we were taught to solder wires together to make a circuit.

This circuit when plugged into a laptop or USB charger will light up.

On Sunday 27th March there was a Mother's Day service at Priory church. I asked if I could carry the scout's flag down the aisle of the church to represent the 3rd Dunstable.



<u>Sea Cadet Awards</u>

Congratulations to Lucas Harvey-Barrett on receiving these awards:

Junior Sea Cadet of the Year. Junior Boater of the Year and Rower of the Year (beating senior cadets at this this).

He has also received a certificate for snorkelling.



<u>Head Teacher's Lunch</u>

Congratulations to these students that have been selected to sit with Mrs Drury and Mr Meenan for lunch on Friday 1st April.

> Key Stage 2 - Jamie McCarthy Key Stage 3 - Chinasa Ezeh Key Stage 4 - Samuel Roper Key Stage 5 - Jake Patane



Raising Money For Marie Curie

This March KS5 student have been busy raising money for the cancer charity, Marie Curie. Every Friday a group of KS5 students have volunteered outside of Morrison's in Houghton Regis, with their easily recognisable yellow bibs and daffodils.

Students had to work as a team, help each other, communicate with members of public and use their initiative to problem solve. They did a fantastic job, greeting and welcoming customers with smiles on their faces, gifting daffodils and using their best manners making the whole school proud.

They raised an outstanding amount of money.

Well done to everyone that participated in this worthy cause!!!

Iva Ferguson









<u>SEAL Awards</u> The following children were selected by staff as clearly demonstrating this half term's SEAL value <u>TO HAVE A GREAT SENSE OF</u> <u>HUMOUR</u> Lucas Downing

Hayes Guess Tristan Decoito Toby Hawkes Kirsty Harrower Libby Phillips All of 4KO Usman Khalid Jack Hayes Charlotte King Amber Keeley Jack Watts Alim Glancy Jaheim Fenlon Zehim Holmes-Zafar

Congratulations to you all.

House Points

Pupils and staff have been allocated a house to represent. They collect house points and the score stands as follows:-

Owls	Swallows	Kestrels
4115	3341	3957

Dates for your diary

<u>Wednesday 20th April</u> Pupils return back.

<u>Thursday 5th May</u>

The Teaching of Music with Dr Robinson

Friday 27th May End of half term

<u>Attendance</u>

The class with the highest attendance this term and having a non-uniform day on Friday 1st April is 5EM

Congratulations!



