

ISLEHAM WEEKLY NEWS

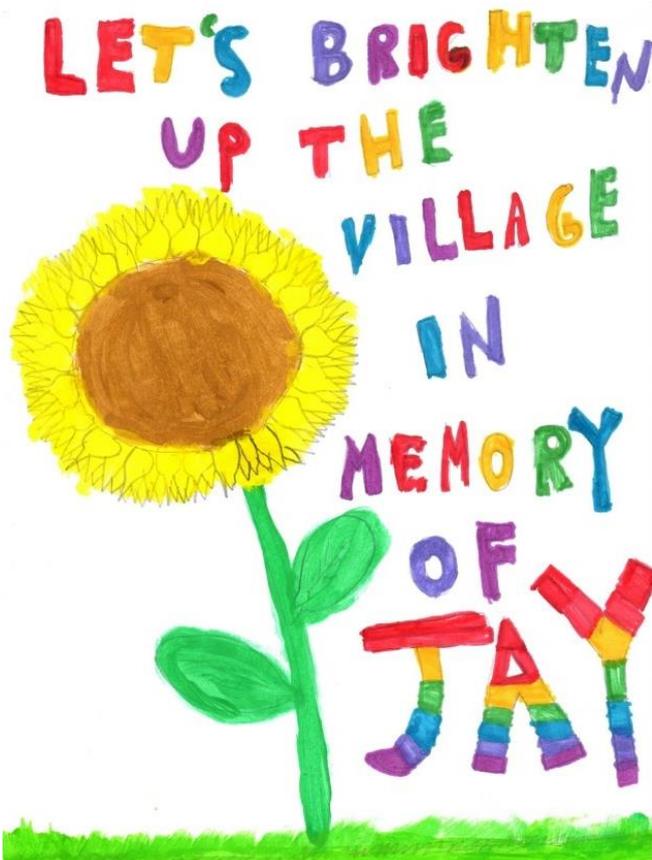
Week commencing: Friday 15th May 2020



SUNFLOWERS FOR JAY

The Isleham Cricket Club volunteers group would like the help of Isleham Primary School children to brighten up the village in memory of Jay Davison and his beautiful smile. Scotsdales, Simpsons and Isleham Cricket Club have kindly donated sunflower seeds and compost for each child at the school. We would love it if you planted them in your gardens – Jay's parents- Keily and Martin- have said that Jay loved to grow sunflowers and he often won the family competition for who could grow the tallest one! Next year Keily and Martin hope to be able to share out some of the seeds from the sunflowers that Jay planted this year.

Thank you to Millie Cant for the lovely poster.



From Tuesday 12 May you can pick up your small packet of seeds (one packet for each child that attends the school) whilst out on your daily walk from either outside the old post office (next to the Rising Sun) or outside 22 Little London. We have also supplied some small bags of compost that you can use to start off your plants indoors.



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Instructions: Sow your seeds from May – Sow your seeds individually into small plant pots (you could use something like old yoghurt pots) and grow them on a sunny windowsill. Plant outside in mid May using a tall cane as a support. You can also sow your seeds straight into the ground around two fingers deep in May. See your flowers from July to September. What your child can learn – Your child will learn elements of the National Curriculum including seeing germination and plant growth. You can print out colouring scenes, fun fact sheets and games to make at www.suttons.co.uk/kids

Keily and Martin would love it if parents could tag the Facebook page 'Jays Journey' in photos of the sunflowers.

SCHOOL PROPOSED RE-OPENING

Thank you to all parents who responded to our questionnaire last week about the proposed re-opening of schools from 1.6.20 to year groups R, 1 and 6. We have a wonderful response to the survey with 109 Isleham families responding. Your answers have helped us to understand your varying viewpoints and core concerns as the school plans to re-open. We will be writing later this week with details of what we propose the school offering can look like at Isleham when we first re-open in June, alongside continued supported with home learning and provision for keyworker children.

FOCUS ON YEAR 1

A huge well done to Year 1 for all your wonderful work last week, as always... It has been so wonderful to see all the exciting things you have been doing at home and sharing with Ms Abineri. Ms Abineri has shared the pictures here of the wonderful shops some of the children have created...



And some of the great work Year 1 children have produced about their place in the world... Well done Year 1. You are a talented group and have been working really hard at home on this and other tasks.

Our Place in the World



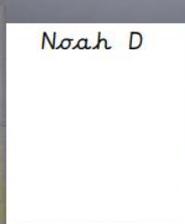
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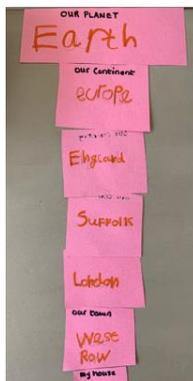
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Max



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Jessie

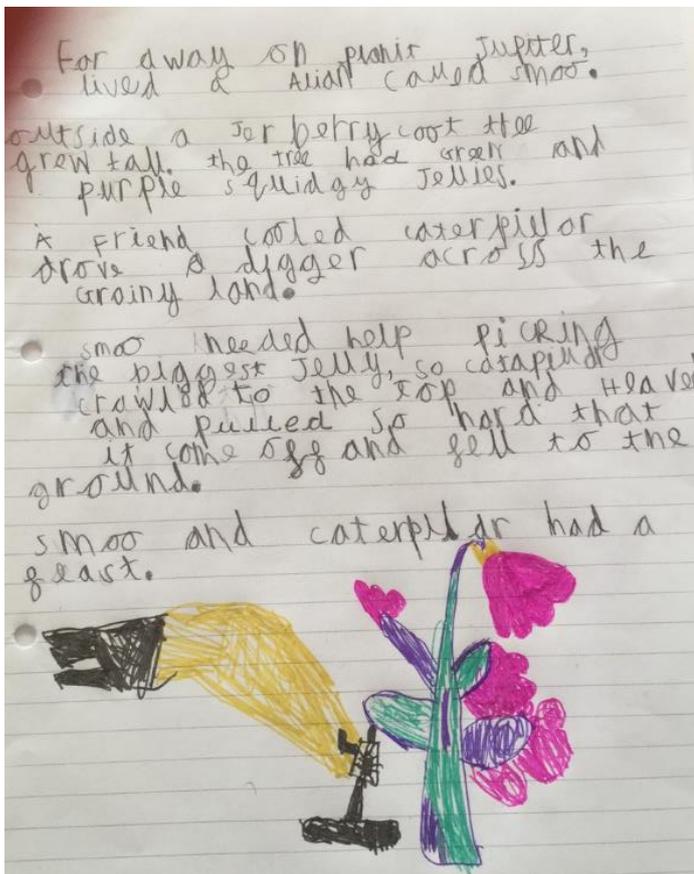


Blossom



Alex





Look at Noah R's super story-writing too. Great work.

COMMUNITY NEWS

FOSTERING A CHILD

Can you consider fostering in support of this year's Foster Care Fortnight 11th – 24th May 2020.

There are around 1000 children & young people across Cambridgeshire & Peterborough, particularly teenagers and children over ten, who need the love and support from foster carers. Anyone who is interested can find out more about the process by phone or video call and ask any questions they may have about becoming a foster carer and what's involved.

[Foster Care Fortnight](#) is the UK's largest foster care awareness raising campaign, and aims to show the positive impact foster care has made on children's and young people's lives.

We are encouraging people from all walks of life to consider fostering – and we want to hear from anyone who is over 21, has a spare bedroom and the passion and dedication to help children and teenagers thrive.

People should not rule themselves out because they have children, are single, married or partnered, work, unemployed, live in rented accommodation or want to foster past retirement age.

If you would like to register your interest then please

visit: www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/fostering or www.peterborough.gov.uk/fostering Or call 0800 052 0078



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