



Head's Message

Theme for next week: Reflection

Dear Parents,

Last Friday was the date our annual Prize Giving was due to take place. Fortunately, we did manage to find a way to celebrate this event. Our pupils received the certificates, books and trophies that they would have received under normal circumstances. We hope to replicate this for the remaining year groups when they return in the final week.

Unfortunately, our tentative plan to host a leavers' event in September for our current Year 6 and 8 pupils goes against the guidance. The children will be at their new schools and so are not allowed to visit another. We are now planning to do something for them on their last day with us next week.

As a result of the restrictions which are still in place, we have not been able to run our usual induction days for the children. These are important events as they allow the teachers and pupils to get to know a little more about each other, as well as allowing the children to see their new classrooms. This experience is something which removes anxiety for the children and allows them to start the academic year positively. As such, we have decided to give the children the opportunity to meet their new teachers during the time we normally set aside for the staff INSET days, scheduled at the start of the term in September. Mrs Carbonaro will be sending further details. We dearly hope the children will be able to attend and meet their new teachers.

New guidance has been published this week which suggests that schools will operate in year group bubbles without social distancing. This is really positive news and will create a form of normality for schools.

Enjoy the weekend.

Sincerely,

Leonard Blom

Sometimes, you have to look back in order to understand the things that lie ahead.

Yvonne Woon



This week, Green Bubble in Year 6 enjoyed learning about asteroids in science. They created some entertaining comic strips about how we could defend our planet from asteroids. Oscar in 6MG also created an informative video about how a spacecraft



could stop an asteroid hitting Earth. He demonstrated this with a few interesting items and the help of Mr Solomonides!



This week, Nursery children have enjoyed time playing in the amphitheatre. It's a wonderful space to have lots of fun!



The Yellow Bubble in Year 1 enjoyed learning about the seven continents this week. They enjoyed singing a song and creating a freeze frame to show the order of size.



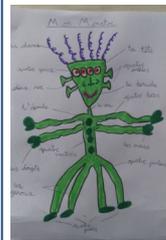
In English lessons this week, Year 2 have been busy creating their own adverts about items found in their home. The children's scripts were full of persuasive language, and performances were delivered with confidence and enthusiasm. They could have made the most mundane of items sellable!



Nursery children have been painting sea creatures this week using forks to create a spikey texture. They have produced some wonderful works of art!



Year 4 have been learning how to vary colour, tone and texture to create a 3D effect when drawing and painting still life objects. Here are two wonderful examples by James, 4VC (below) and Edie, VC (right). Well done, Year 4.



Year 3 have been learning about body parts in French. Their task was to design and label their very own monster. Sihaam, in 3NL, has worked really hard to create this green monster. C'est magnifique!

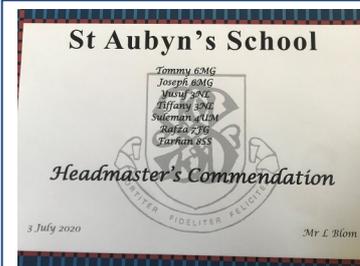


5SY have been learning about the passive voice. They explored this using the medium of rap. It looks like they had a lot of fun!



In DT this week, Year 3 studied waterwheels. They learned that the first one ever invented was built by a Roman called Vitruvius about 2000 years ago. They saw how waterwheels use the energy of moving water in rivers and waterfalls and

how we can use them to work for us, even to generate electricity! Aidan in 3JA built a brilliant working model of a waterwheel using cups and cardboard. Great work Aidan!



Congratulations to these pupils who were awarded a Headmaster's commendation this week.



Reception children have been busy this week writing letters to their new teacher! They can't wait to find out who it will be!



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Prize Giving 2020

On Friday last week, Years 5 and 6 were able to celebrate their achievements at Prize Giving. It was not Prize Giving as we normally know it, but there was, nevertheless, a wonderful sense of ceremony as children received certificates, cups and trophies to mark the end of a successful year at St Aubyn's. Congratulations to all the children for their hard work, resilience and endeavour.



Year 5 Awards presented by Mr Blom



Acton Cup for Middle School Music
Sam 5AM



Mackay Cup for Middle School
Good Citizen
Freddie 5MA



Year 5 All-Rounder Award
Ellen 5SY

Year 6 Awards presented by Mr Blom



**Skinner Cup for
Art**

Jennifer 6MG



**Virk Cup for Good
Citizen**

Rosa 6MG



**Colman Cup
for Poetry**

Samyak 6MG



**Acton Cup for Senior
School Music**

Jasper 6NS



**Sam Pinching
Trophy for Sporting
Endeavour**

Tommy 6MG



**Don Cameron
Silver Plate**

Zayn 6MG



**Lt D Clack Memorial
Award for Junior
Leadership**

Elisha 6MG



**Foakes Shield for
Instrumental Music**

Hayden 6NS



**Lomax Shield for
Drama**

Zachary 6MG



**Elworthy Cup for
Sporting Endeavour**

Sophie 6HE



Sportsman of the Year

George 6MG



**McIlwaine Cup
Year 6 All Round**

Akpovona 6NS



Headmaster's Award

Aaliyah 6NS

Year 6 Prize Giving Awards

Hayton Cup for Maths	William 6NS
Fox Cup for Science	Jennifer 6MG
St Aubyn's Cup for Latin	Aaliyah 6NS
Waldron Cup for RE	Giselle 6NS
Year 6 IT Prize	Adam 6HE
Year 6 Art Prize	Stella 6NS
Skinner Cup for Art	Jennifer 6MG
Dowler Cup for English	Safiya 6HE
Garkal Cup for French	Leo 6MG
Walton Shield for Geography	Matthew 6HE
Wrightman Cup for History	Rayaan 6MG
Morris Cup for Design and Technology	Emmie 6MG

Scholarship Medals

Petru 6MG
Safiya 6HE
William 6NS
Evie 6HE
Akpovona 6NS
Sujaanie 6HE
Zayn 6MG
Adam 6HE
Rosa 6MG

CULTURAL AWARDS

Colman Cup for Poetry	Samyak 6MG
Foakes Sheild for Instrumental Music	Hayden 6NS
Acton Cup for Senior School Music	Jasper 6NS
Lomax Shield for Drama	Zachary 6MG
Skinner Cup for Art	Jennifer 6MG

CADETS

Lt D Clack Memorial Award for Junior Leadership
Elisha 6MG

SPORTS AWARDS

Sportswoman of the Year Sujaanie 6HE
Sportsman of the Year George 6MG
Sam Pinching Trophy for Sporting Endeavour
Tommy 6MG
Elworthy Cup for Sporting Endeavour
Sophie 6HE

GENERAL AWARDS

Virk Cup for Senior School Good Citizen
Rosa 6MG
Don Cameron Silver Plate
Zayn 6MG

SPECIAL AWARDS

Mcllwaine Cup Year 6 All Rounder
Akpovona 6NS

HEADMASTER'S AWARD

Aaliyah 6NS