

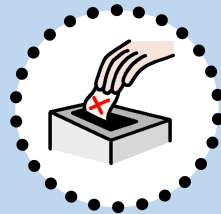
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of Thornbeck College

STUDENT POLL

BY DYLAN ARCHER

100% of students agree that staff listen to and respect their views and opinions at college (15/15)

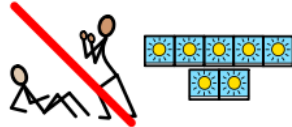


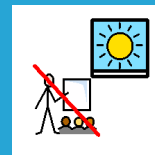
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EVENTS AT THORNBECK

	DATE	THEME
	November 2023	<i>Remembrance Day</i>
	November 2023	<i>Anti-Bullying Week</i>
	December 2023	<i>Jolly Jumper Day</i>
	December 2023	<i>Christmas!</i>



Christmas Holidays—20.12.2023 — 03.01.2024

NEWSLETTER INTRODUCTION

Hello and welcome to the second edition of the Thornbeck Newsletter 2023-2024.

This month, we have celebrated Anti-Bullying Week and learned about safeguarding.

Continue reading to see what we have been up to. We hope you enjoy reading the newsletter as much as we have enjoyed participating in the activities that have taken place.



SAFEGUARDING

BY AARON JOBLING CLARK

In November, we have been learning about bullying and peer on peer abuse. We have looked at identifying the signs that somebody may be attempting to bully ourselves or others and how to respond in these situations.

Bullying can happen in many different forms, such as online, face to face, over the phone and by text message.

It is important that we are able to safeguard ourselves and others with regards to bullying.



PT WORKSHOP

BY AARON JOBLING-CLARK

In November, we have had the opportunity to take part in a series of PT workshops delivered by staff from Wellbeing for Life. These have included dancercise and boxercise sessions.

Staff from the Wellbeing for Life service have come to college each Monday and supported us to take part in some exercises whilst having fun at the same time. These sessions have supported us to learn about new and fun ways that we can maintain a healthy lifestyle, regardless of your fitness levels. My favourite part was the boxing pads in the circuits session. It is good to know that we can enjoy exercise and that exercises is not limited to doing things such as running for long periods of time.

We would like to say thank you to the staff at Wellbeing for Life for supporting us to access this opportunity. It has been great to be a part of this.



RIDDLE OF THE MONTH

BY ADAM IDRISSE SBAI



What building has thousands of stories?

Keep your eyes peeled in the next issue for the answer!

Answer to last months riddle: Alphabet!

JOKE OF THE MONTH

BY MORGAN ARMSTRONG-ROBBINS



Q: What do you call a rooster staring at a pile of lettuce?

A: A chicken sees a salad!

THORNBECK HALL OF FAME

BY CALLUM BENNETT



This month's hall of fame goes to Coree Hill. Coree designed a great poster for Anti-Bullying Week and won first place! Well done Coree!



ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

BY DYLAN ARCHER

In November, we have celebrated anti-bullying week. Learning about anti-bullying helps us to recognise the signs to recognise if bullying was happening to ourselves or others. This years theme was “Make a Noise about Bullying”. This means to speak up about what is happening and help to make people feel safer and heard.

At college, we celebrated anti-bullying week by working together to create a video to the song “SHOUT”. We also learned about what healthy and unhealthy relationships and friendships look like, as well designed an anti-bullying week poster to be judged in a competition.

It is important to learn about anti-bullying as it helps us to be more safe in day to day life, especially outside of college.

Well done to everybody who took part and thank you to the staff who supported us to take part in the activities!



REMEMBRANCE DAY

BY CALLUM BENNETT

To celebrate Remembrance Day, learners at college went to visit Newton Aycliffe War Memorial as a token of respect.

We celebrate remembrance day by having a 2 minutes silence in order to honour those who fought and lost their lives during battle.

Remembrance day is celebrated by a lot of people all around the country.



WORDSEARCH

BY CALLUM BENNETT

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PEACE ARMISTICE DAY NEVER FORGET WEAPONS
LEST WE FORGET WEAPONS WREATH HERO PARADE
REMEMBRANCE DAY RESPECT ALLIED NATIONS REMEMBER
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SESSION OF THE MONTH

BY AARON JOBLING CLARK

This month's session of the month goes to Woodwork and Horticulture. I have chosen these sessions as they are very practical and this is what I enjoy the most. In woodwork I like making products such as Christmas reindeers. I have worked independently to make a reindeer using a range of materials and tools. This reindeer will be sold so it is important that I have made it to a high standard.

I have chosen Horticulture because I like being outside. My favourite part of this session is cutting the grass. I also enjoy making Christmas wreaths and growing fruit and veg. The Christmas wreaths are another product that will be sold when complete, so again it is important that I complete these to a professional standard.

