

# THE HAMPDEN HERALD



## WELCOME TO YOUR TERMLY FEAST OF FACTS AND FUN



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Illustration by Ben and Saskia (can you see the monster?)



## Meet The Team

We are the new newspaper team. We are going to write a termly newspaper for you all. Before we do that, we thought we would tell you a little bit about ourselves.

Hi, my name is Lola. I love writing and drawing. I have two guinea pigs called Coral and Bailey and this week I will be writing two articles in the newspaper.

Hi, my name is Poppy and I love animals. I have one cat called Misty and four fish called Baby Gaga, Suki, Tiny Tim and Lady Lavender. I like drawing and writing so I hope to do lots of that in this paper.

Hi, my name is Seth and I like pasta, food and dogs! I am good at engineering stuff. I want to do the newspaper so that I can broadcast things to the younger years!

Hi, my name is Max and I like books! My favourite types of books are sci-fi and fantasy. I am also attempting to write a sci-fi novel right now! Maybe I will share some of my story in this newspaper one day.

Hi, my name is Zac. I like watching Wales play rugby. I wanted to be on the newspaper team because I like telling stories and writing.

Hi, my name is Ben. I love the newspaper because you can draw lots of different things based on different stories. This week I did a Guy Fawkes illustration!

Hi, my name is Saskia. I like art, interviewing, animals and helping and caring for people. I am looking forward to doing the illustrations and interviewing people (especially the teachers!)

## Guy Fawkes

BY LOLA

On the 5th of November, we celebrated bonfire night. But why do we celebrate it? What is bonfire night all about?

It all started with a man named Guy Fawkes. He disliked the King at the time ( James I ) because he was not a Catholic, and so he decided to take action.

Guy gathered other men who were unhappy with the king as much as Guy was, and they made a plot. It is famously known as ' The gunpowder plot ' because Guy Fawkes' plan was to blow up the Houses of Parliament, where the King lived.

Unfortunately for Guy, his plan failed when he was caught hiding inside one of the basements of Parliament with the gunpowder.

Today, we carry on the 400 year old tradition of lighting a bonfire, and more recently we have watched fireworks. This is all to celebrate the survival of Parliament and King James I. And to mark the death of Guy Fawkes.

## The Wellbeing Team

BY SETH L

I interviewed two of our new Wellbeing Ambassadors to find out a little bit about them and what they do. This is my interview with Mabelle and Imogen.

**What do you like about your job being a wellbeing ambassador?**

I like that you can help people around the school to feel happy.

**What does your job involve?**

It involves playing with people and making them feel happy when they are sad.

**What is The Sanctuary?**

The Sanctuary is a place for people to go if they find the playground too difficult.

**Do you enjoy being able to help out in the Sanctuary?**

Yes, I do enjoy working in The Sanctuary.

**What ideas do you have for this year?**

To make a 'find a friend' place where people can find friends.

**Who can use the Sanctuary and when?**

At the moment it is open on a Tuesday and Thursday lunch time and you will need a Sanctuary pass to use it.

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**LOLA HARRIS**

As a newspaper, we like to notify and celebrate children who achieve goals, do good deeds and try their best. This week we are celebrating Charlie Whitfield from YR6.

A few weeks ago Charlie cut a lot of her hair off and donated it to charity. The charity Charlie donated makes wigs for children who have no hair because of cancer and other conditions that cause children to have no hair. This shows that Charlie is really cares about everyone around her, and not just herself.

If you see Charlie in the playground make sure to say well done, because we need more people like her at this school!



**Celebrating Difference**

Welcome to



This term we are celebrating diversity in our school, our community and our world: looking at appearance, disability, racism, power, friendships and conflict.

In lessons we are challenging the word 'normal' and thinking about how we accept everyone's right to 'difference' regardless of their circumstances or choices.

Anti-bullying week is in the week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> November and we are using this week to look at how we can avoid or deal with conflict and how to be a supportive friend and fellow pupil.



**What is bullying?**

**If we see someone looking sad or upset, what can we do?**

**The word 'unite' means come together. How can we make sure we do this in our school?**

**Meet Mairi**

SETH LANCASHIRE & MAX REEVE

**IN EACH EDITION WE WILL BE INTERVIEWING SOMEBODY FROM THE SCHOOL. WE ARE STARTING WITH OUR SCHOOL LIBRARIAN – MAIRI LOVATT-SMITH**

**What is your favourite book?**  
Matilda by Roald Dahl.

**If you could meet one author, who would it be and why?**  
Jane Austen, because she has good observations and opinions.

**Which Harry Potter House are you in?**  
Ravenclaw

**What is your favourite musical?**  
Any of the classics – like Mary Poppins or The Sound of Music.

**What is your favourite film?**  
Paterson.

**What is your favourite animal?**  
A spaniel!

**What is your favourite takeaway?**  
Chinese

**If you were a vegetable, what would you be?**  
Broccoli!

**Would you prefer to be invisible or able to fly?**  
I'd be invisible!

**What is your favourite part of being a librarian?**  
Helping others to find books that they like.



**Jokes of the Week**

**Why can't the animals in the jungle play cards?**  
*Because there are too many cheetahs*

**What do you call a bear with no teeth?**  
*A gummy bear*

**What's worse than finding a worm in your apple?**  
*Finding half a worm*



**Why was the baby strawberry crying?**  
*Because his parents were in a jam*

**What do you call cheese that is not your own?**  
*Nacho cheese!*

**How do you make an octopus laugh??**  
*Ten-tickles*

**Why do all witches wear black?**  
*So you can't tell which witch is which*

**Why is Cinderella so bad at football?**  
*Because she always runs away from the ball*

