

# ISLEHAM WEEKLY NEWS



Week commencing: Monday 22nd March 2021

## WHAT A TERM!



It certainly has been an eventful Spring term with the lockdown and continuing safety measures in place due to the pandemic. However, your children and you have coped admirably.

We wish all our families a very restful and happy Easter break at the end of this school week.

Thank you again,  
Mrs Skillern and the staffing team

## PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION (INCORPORATING ISLEHAM SWIMMING POOL ASSOCIATION)



PLEASE DON'T FORGET OUR PTA MEETING THIS TUESDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> MARCH AT 3.40pm via ZOOM>

All parents interested in EITHER helping to raise funds for the school and/or to organise fun events for children and families OR wishing to enable their child to swim in the school pool outside school hours once it can be safely re-opened, are welcome to join us for our meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2021 at 3.40pm. Zoom details are below:

**Meeting code: 815 5682 0837**

**Passcode: wMj33K**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81556820837?pwd=MGJzTHJSZVZ3VWsvWmpPVzIMRUFHQ09>

We have a supportive outgoing PTA committee to help parents in the varied roles on the PTA, so lots of help is available for anyone interested in becoming part of the new PTA committee. We look forward to seeing you via Zoom tomorrow!



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## WORK TO SHARE

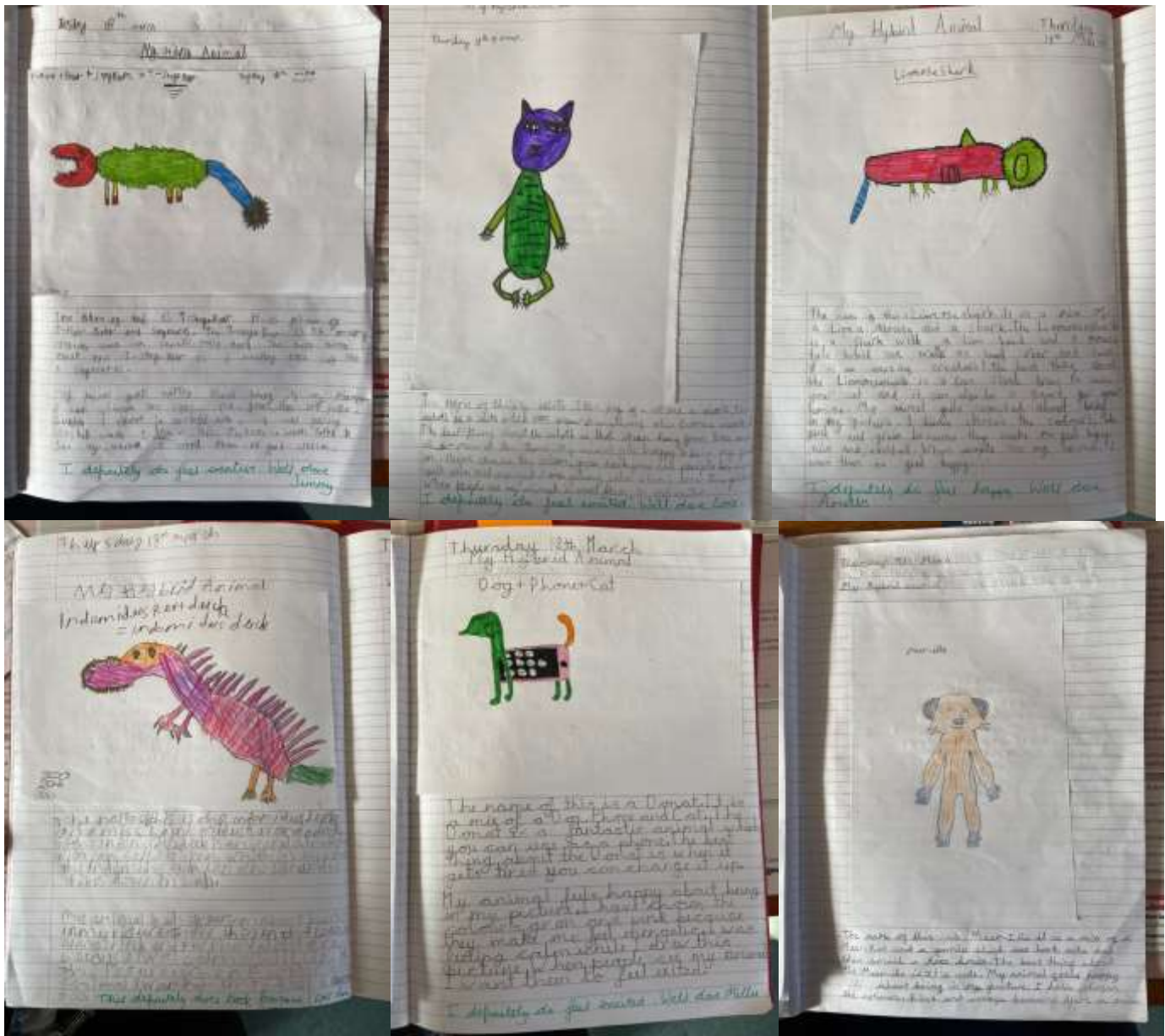


In Year 2 we have enjoyed learning about our well-being since returning to school. We have been looking at a book called 'Umbrella' by Elena Arevalo Melville and considering our wishes and dreams as well as recognising, naming and expressing feelings. We explored how music can make us feel and how it can change our mood. We listened to some cheerful music and made musical instruments which we played as a class. It made us feel very happy. Thank you to all parents who donated junk modelling resources.





**YEAR 3 HAVE BEEN DESCRIBING MYTHICAL CHARACTERS AND HAVE CREATED SOME FANTASTIC HYBRID CREATURES**



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## YEAR 4



**Congratulations Year 4 on your superb card mechanisms made in Design Technology.**

### **ASSEMBLIES & MUSIC THIS WEEK**

This week we will continue thinking about the Easter story and its importance for Christians. Our Picture News assembly is based on the image overleaf (about the Census):-



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**SCHOOL MENU THIS WEEK**

**LUNCHTIME CO.**

**Week 3**  
 Commencing - 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 26<sup>th</sup> April, 17<sup>th</sup> May,  
 14<sup>th</sup> June, 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<i>Freshly baked bread</i>	Wholemeal	Poppy seed bloomer	Garlic bread	Rosemary wholemeal	Focaccia
<i>Menu choice 1</i>	Vegetable Nugget & potato wedges	Sausage Hot Dog	Meatballs & Pasta with garlic bread	Roasted Beef with roasted potatoes & Yorkshire Pudding	Fish Fingers/Fishless fingers with chips & garden peas or beans
<i>Menu choice 2</i>	Jacket Potato with cheese	Jacket Potato with Cheese/tuna	Jacket Potato with cheese	Quorn fillet with roasted potatoes	Jacket Potato with cheese
<i>Menu choice 3</i>	Cheese roll	Cheese roll	Cheese roll	Cheese roll	Cheese roll
<i>Desserts</i>	Pancake & Sauce Sliced fresh fruit	Chocolate Cookie Sliced fresh fruit	Apple Pie & custard Sliced fresh fruit	Fruit Muffin Sliced fresh fruit	Banana Cake Sliced fresh fruit

**Available every day:**

- Seasonal vegetables
- Selection of fresh salad

Some of our food may contain nuts/peas. Please ask our chef for advice.

**Our mission** is to make your lunchtime meal the highlight of *your* day.



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## PARENT SURVEY 2020-21

Thank you to all the families who have filled out the parent survey currently running, covering all aspects of school life, including your views on lockdown learning provision, and your child's happiness and learning. Please take the time to fill in the survey which closes at the end of this week. We will share a summary of the views expressed with you at the start of the summer term, and continue to strive to address any areas of concern amongst parents. The more parents who respond, the better picture we are able to create of the general consensus of our families. Thank you for your time. <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/S6VR9X5>



## TERM DATES- SPRING 2021

22/03/2021	
23/03/2021	3.40pm- Parents' Meeting for PTA and ISPA membership and involvement 2021-22
24/03/2021	Mrs Burton- last day in school office (-retiring after 32 years- Congratulations!)
25/03/2021	6.30pm Full Governors' meeting
26/03/2021	Break up for Easter at end of school day
27/03/2021	
28/03/2021	British Summer Time starts (clocks forward)
12/04/2021	Professional Development Day for teachers- school closed to pupils
13/04/2021	First day of summer term for all pupils

## PLANNING AHEAD FOR THE SUMMER TERM

At the start of the summer term, the school staff will be leading a curriculum information workshop for parents from each year group to enable you to find out more about what next term's curriculum provision will look like and how children's ongoing progress will be assessed and reported on.



Dates and times of your curriculum information session via Zoom:-

14/04/2021	3.45pm- Year 5 Information session for parents
	3.45pm- Reception Information session for parents
15/04/2021	3.45pm- Year 4 Information session for parents
19/04/2021	3.45pm- Year 3 Information session for parents
20/04/2021	3.45pm- Year 2 Information session for parents
21/04/2021	3.45pm- Year 6 Information session for parents
22/04/2021	3.45pm- Year 1 Information session for parents

There will also be regular opportunities for children to share their 'wow' work with you throughout the summer term via ClassDojo:-

23/04/2021	'Sharing Friday' for sharing pupil wow work with parents
28/05/2021	'Sharing Friday' for sharing pupil wow work with parents
09/07/2021	'Sharing Friday' for sharing pupil wow work with parents

