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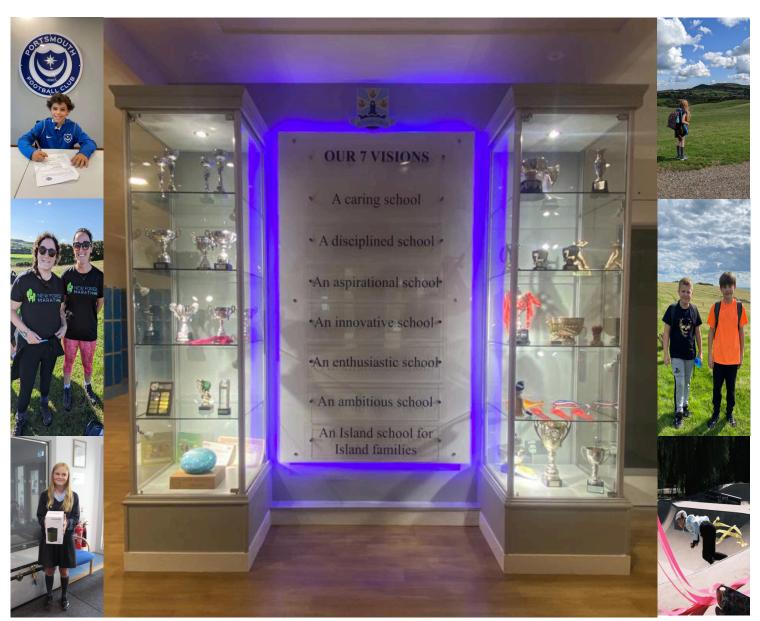


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A New Entrance For A New Year



Already, this year, we have had an impressive amount of wonderful stories. Whether it is the massively successful DofE weekend, the brilliant start for the new Year 7s or the individual stories of achievement this year has started off on a high! We hope you enjoy this latest edition of Salve.



A Message from Miss Sheen:

"It was a successful start to the academic year with Year 7 pupils completing the traditional hike, with all houses navigating their way back to school before the end of the school day. Further to this Year 9

pupils have commenced their GCSE programme of study and Year 11 pupils are preparing for post-16 education.

Next half term is looking full of pupil opportunities with the Ethos trip to Winter Wonderland, performances of A Christmas Carol and plenty of sporting fixtures to participate in. It is wonderful to see events and activities returning in full force to fulfil the ethos of The Island Free School."

Miss A Sheen.

Joining a new school can be a scary thing, with all the older years and not knowing where all the classrooms are. However, once you get used to your timetable and your classes you'll be able to get around with no problem!

Maybe even make some new friends or if not, you may have some of your old friends in the same class. The first time I entered my tutor room, I was frightened because I didn't know anyone in my class. But when I started to get to know my classmates, it became really fun!

Welcome Year 7! : Year 7 Hike Day

Flavi started in Brading and then hiked back to school. Almost every house made it back in traditional TIFS style!

Afterwards, they all got an expedition badge that they can proudly wear on their school uniform.

In true TIFS tradition very new cohort participates in the hike. The memories will last forever and the pictures will definitely resurface during Year 11!

Information proivided from Olivia and Archie.



TEACHER IN THE HOT SEAT - Mr Harding

Q-What is the unity for charge?
A- Last year's charge +10.9% (because, inflation) (also Coulombs).

Q- How long have you worked at the school? A - 165,950,328 seconds (at the time of writing).

Q - What is the most unreal theory in physics that is true?

A - Good question, but fundamentally flawed dear Watson.
You see, as an English teacher (Mr Lambert), you will know
that the meanings of words are very important. So, something that is universally true, in Physics, is stated as a Law of Physics (such as the Law of Reflection). A theory on the other hand is a set of ideas, that are likely to be true, but have not yet been proven to be true universally (which means everywhere, without any exception). So, I'm afraid it isn't possible to have a theory that is true. Perhaps a theory that I find fascinating is the work around the Higgs Field which is said to cause Mass, and beyond that, we might begin to understand whether there is any truth behind the idea of string theory, which as a scholar of literature, you (Mr Lambert) will know is an idea already woven throughout music, literature and

Q - What country would you choose to live in?
A - Hawaii, and The Democratic Republic of Congo, preferably both at the same time as per Schrodinger's Cat.

Q- Do you believe that parallel universes exist?

A - No - I think that the search for rationale behind the multiverse theory is a distraction that takes effort and time from other more pressing issues, such as the depoliticisation of Energy and food security.



Send Joe to Argentina!

Joe C in Year 10 is asking for our help. He has worked incredibly hard as he has been selected for the World Championships for a scooter competition in Argentina. Here is a message from Joe: "I'd be really grateful for any donations that you can give. I'm really excited for this awesome opportunity."



If you like to help please google search 'help Joe get to Argentina'.

Best of luck Joe!



Remembering our Queen

Queen Elizabeth the 2nd died on the 8th September 2022 at Balmoral; she was 96 years old. She had reigned for 70 years and was the only monarch most people had even known and we will all miss her. Some people dislike the royal family, but everyone can agree that this is a national tragedy. She will be joining her beloved husband and father at King George VI Memorial Chapel. As a sign of respect we, at TIFS, did not come to school on Monday and we flew our flag at half mast. She has been succeeded by her son making him our new king, King Charles the 3rd.







PUPIL IN THE HOT SEAT - Malakai!

Q - If you had a Bugatti, what color would it be?

A - Orange

Q - Albania or Serbia?

A - Albania sounds nice.

Q - What is your most favorite activity to do? A - I guess get demolished by dogs when I go into my mum's work.

Q - Are you a goofy goober?

A - Yes

Q - Quandale Dingle or Quatavious Bingleton the Third?

A - Quandale Dingle - no reason.

Q - What is your favorite movie? A - Probably, Spiderman No Way Home. Maritime Careers

On Thursday 29th September, all pupils in Year 10 attended a Maritime Careers Fair at the Royal Yacht Squadron in Cowes, where they had the opportunity to speak to a diverse group of professionals within the industry. Pupils were fascinated by the breadth of careers and training options available, from designing and producing lifejackets, to catering on a cruise ship. Exhibitors included The Classic Boat Museum, BAE Systems, Royal Navy, UKSA, Red Funnel and many, many more. Pupils had an enjoyable time at the event, and this has led to some exciting conversations around their careers and future goals. Pupils also started to recognise how the context of their environment has an impact on career opportunities, and that the maritime industry plays a key role within our Island's workforce. The Island Free School would like to thank the Royal Yacht Squadron for hosting this wonderful event for young people on the Island.



Success for DofE Pupils

This term TIFS pupils pitched their tents and went hiking. It was, of course, all for the Duke of Edinburgh. It is an essential part of the process for them to achieve their bronze badge. Here's what Jack H had to say about the weekend:

Dofe was fun. The walking element was nowhere near as bad as I thought it would be which made it fun to be with friends. It was good that we could go places which I got lost a lot of times but that was okay. The cooking and camping was fun as well. The only bad part was the sleep but we still managed to power through the next day. Most of the people did well at navigation. I'm glad for the opportunity as it will look good on my CV when I apply for jobs in the future.

All pupils are offered the opportunity to take part in DofE, we really recommend it for it's many positive benefits.



Salve's Spooky Activities!

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CORPSES
GHOSTS
GRIMREAPER
OOGIEBOOGIE
SHREK
TROLLS





Across
1. Ghostly voice (3)
4. A house where ghosts live is considered
6. Carve one of these and put a candle in it (7)
8. Disguise (7)
10. ___ or treat? (5)
11. Human that transforms into a wolf (8)
12. Halloween month (7)
Down
1. Night flying mammals (4)

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2. Dracula is one of these (7)
3. Placed over your face (4)
5. Stirs potions in a cauldron (5)

7. Scary creatures or