

MPJ NEWS

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A letter from the Team:

Welcome! We hope that you enjoy our newsletter. Every issue is full of amazing facts, incredible artwork and useful information.

Our newsletter is a fantastic way for all students to show off their writing and artistic skills. If you would like to appear in the newsletter, please collect a form and put it into the red letterbox. The letterbox can be found in the hall, outside of 3M.

Meet the Team:

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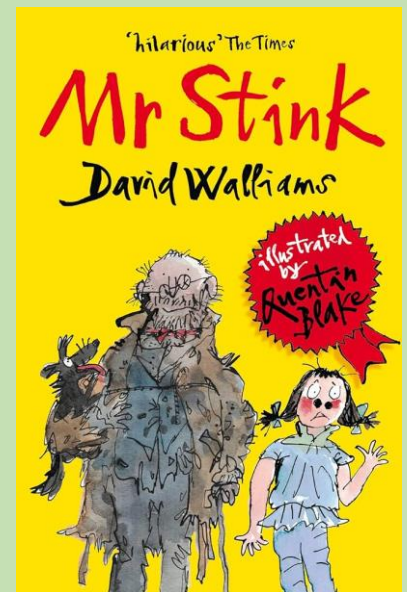
THE LOST WORDS

By Mariyah (Y6)

In my class, 6R, we have been voting to find out who our favourite author is.

A lot of children like the *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* books which are written by Jeff Kinney. Other authors that the children in my class enjoy are Jaqueline Wilson, who wrote *The Tracy Beaker* books, Michael Morpurgo and Rick Riordan, who is famous for the *Percy Jackson* stories.

Can you guess who the winner was? David Walliams! He won with 16 votes (which is just over half of our class). Walliams has written lots of books, including favourites like *Gangsta Granny* and *Mr Stink*.



FACT FILE ARTICLE

By Beaux (Y6)

Here are some facts about Stoke-On-Trent:

- Stoke-On-Trent is famous for its pottery and ceramics, which is why we are often called The Potteries.
- Stoke officially became a city in 1928.
- The six towns are Tunstall, Burslem, Hanley, Stoke, Fenton and Longton.
- A stoke delicacy is the oatcake!



SCIENCE ARTICLE

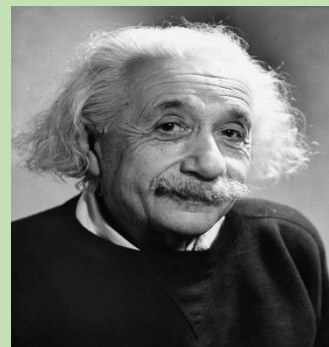
By Reuben (Y6)

Who was Albert Einstein?

Throughout your time at Moorpark, you may have heard teachers mention Einstein, or perhaps seen a picture of him in the Phizz Lab.

Einstein was an extremely successful scientist who created important scientific theories and studied things like space, time and gravity. In fact, Einstein actually wrote his first scientific paper at just 16 years old and was even a teacher before becoming a physicist.

Einstein's hard work has shaped how we see the universe and has helped other scientists to make important discoveries about the world.



WORD AWARE

By Imogen (Y5) & Noel (Y5)

Pungent: A strong taste or strong smell.

"When I opened the window, I could smell a pungent smell of burning plastic."



STUDENT WORK

By Anastazja (Y5)



QUIZ SECTION

By Mason (Y6)

Name: _____ Class: _____

WIN A PRIZE! - Post your answers into the letterbox by Friday 9th February. One child will be picked to win a small prize. (Remember to put your name and class on your answers!)

- Which Pokémon is yellow?
Pikachu Squirtle Bulbasaur
- Who is Mario's brother?
Spyro Bill Luigi
- What is the man in Minecraft called?
Paul Steve Peter

