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BEHIND THE SCENES

**WHY YOU NEED TO RELAX...**

**WHAT'S UNDER THE WAVES?**

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TO AX AND  
HE HAS  
EVEN MORE  
JOKES FOR  
YOU INSIDE!

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**RUTH our Editor** (Ceiling)  
"Hearing all your amazing ideas and seeing them evolve into pages!"



OK TEAM...  
YOUR WEIRDEST FACE...  
YOUR WEIRDEST NICKNAME...  
YOUR FAVE THING ABOUT BEING ON THE NJA BUZZ... **GO!**



**POPPY** (Slaygirl)  
"Doing cool stuff!"



**SOPHIE** (Steve)  
"The cinema trip, everything!"



**NAOMI** (Norman)  
"Eating earlier!"



**SATTY** (Satellite)  
"Being important!"



**MACKENZIE** (Carrot)  
"Going to see Mr FT!"



**REUBEN** (Reuben)  
"Stuff!"

Goodbye from THE BEST NJA Buzz Team! Finally it is the moment you've waited for: the 6th issue of the NJA Buzz - and the 3rd copy from this year's team. This issue has an interesting sport page and a great travel page where we find out all about Mila's travels. We have fashion - featuring the fabulous model Poppy, a page about Big FT's Shack with fascinating facts, and last but not least...the amazing pet page. Hope you enjoy!



**BELLA** (Belbels)  
"Eating lunch early!"



**FINLEY** (Eternal Flame)  
"Having fun and reporting!"



**ISAAC** (Chicken Nugget)  
"Doing comics and Ax!"



**DAISY** (Donut)  
"Looking forward to Thursdays!"



**ANNIE** (Toothpaste)  
"Everything!"



**LEXI** (Lucifer)  
"Playing LOL beans on the computer!"



**MIFFY** (Mister)  
"Well how about...everything!"



**THALIA** (Trickster)  
"Having fun!"



**DEFNE** (David)  
"Eating earlier!"



**SHAYLA** (Sasha)  
"Eating earlier!"



**HONEY** (Giggity giggity)  
"Playing!"



**ISABELLE** (Sausage)  
"Missing lessons!"



**DUKE** (Duke Bellingham)  
"Making comics!"



**ROMILLY** (Romsillicious)  
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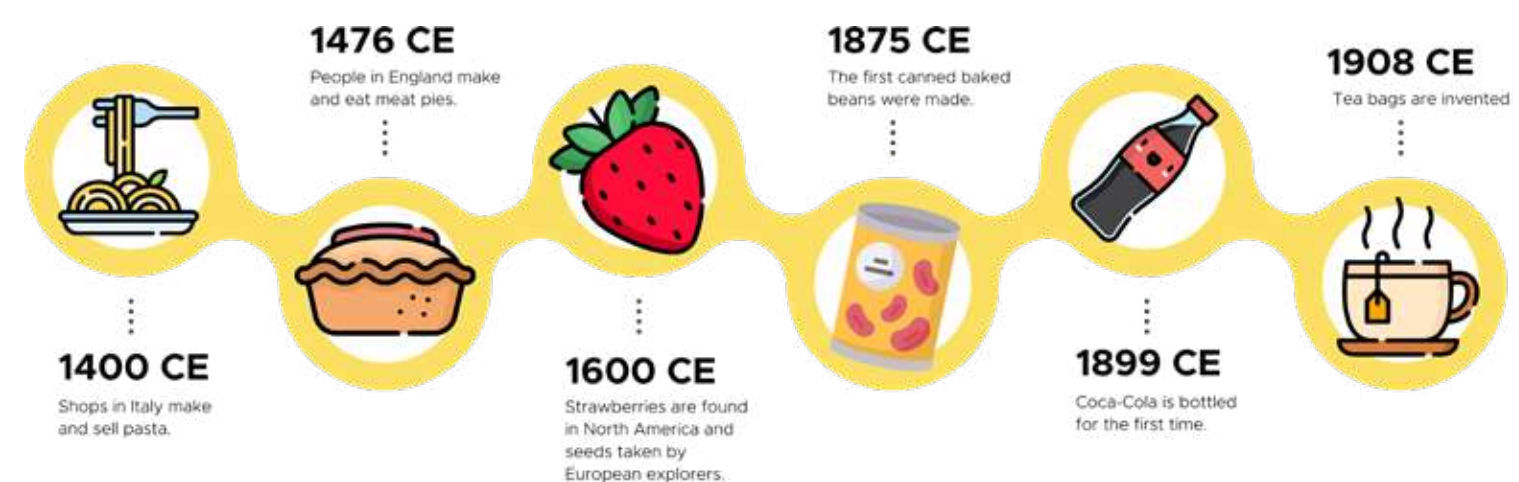
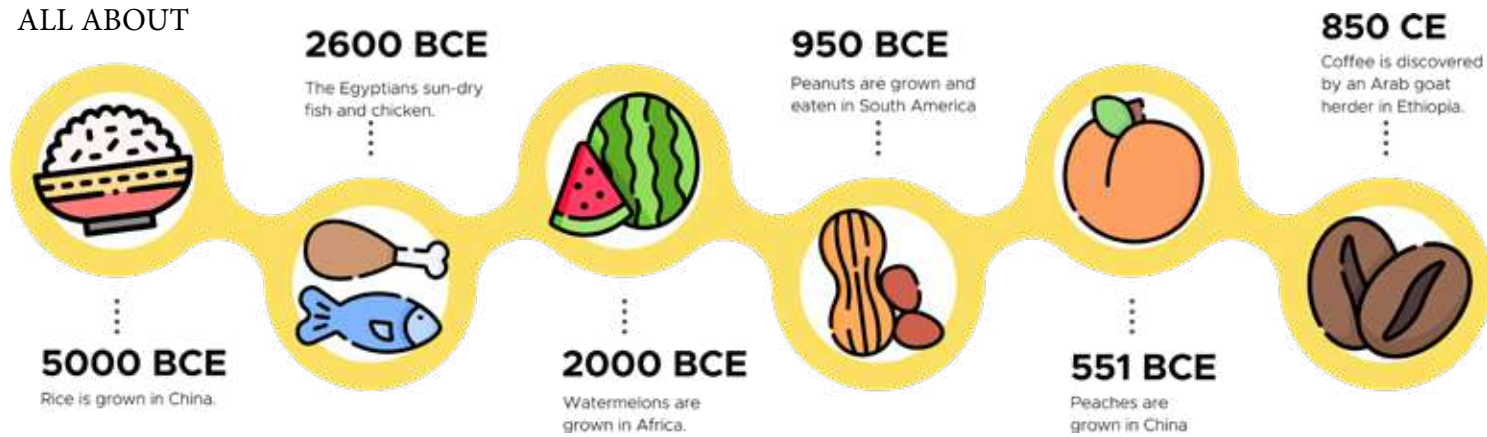
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# HISTORY of FOOD

• Have you ever been told if you eat an apple seed, an apple tree will grow inside of you? Well, it is not much of a surprise that it won't, but did you know, the seeds do have a small trace of cyanide? [poison].

• "The world's most hated vegetable" - broccoli, is actually the best for you.

• Avocado is a fruit as it has a seed.

• Oreos are vegan.

• The Aztecs were one of the first people to not only create the tortilla but to use it as a wrap for other foods so many centuries ago.

By Jack & Finley

**DID YOU KNOW?**

By Shayla & Naomi

### What do you think people ate in the past?

- ~ Gerbils and table legs!
- ~ Potatoes and sugar beets
- ~ Wild boar
- ~ Boiled cabbage
- ~ Raw shark
- ~ Rice and dandelion leaves

### Ingredients:

- 380g long grain rice, rinsed
- 2-3 tsp Mexican chilli powder
- 1 red pepper, chopped
- 1 onion, chopped finely
- 400g red kidney beans, rinsed
- 60g baby spinach leaves
- 2 cloves garlic, crushed
- 2 tbsp tomato puree
- 500g chicken thigh fillets, cut into 3cm chunks
- Sour cream, guacamole & grated cheese (to serve)

### Method:

- Heat 2 tbsp olive oil in a large heavy-based saucepan.
- Add onion and cook, stirring, over medium heat for 3-4 minutes until tender.
- Add chicken and cook, stirring until browned.
- Add the pepper and garlic and cook for 2 minutes.
- Stir in spice. Cook for 1 minute, until aromatic.
- Add tomato puree, drained rice and 1l chicken stock.
- Bring to the boil, then reduce heat to low and cook, covered for 15-20 minutes until rice is tender, adding the beans to the last 5 minutes of cooking time.
- Remove from heat and gently stir through spinach until wilted.
- Serve topped with grated cheese, sour cream and guacamole.

Here are some **AWESOME** and **WEIRD** foods from round the world!

**CAMBODIA:** Crispy tarantulas

**ICELAND:** Harkal (rotten shark)

**ITALY:** Casu Marzu (cheese with live maggots in!)

**SOUTH KOREA:** Silkworm larvae

**USA:** Southern Fried Rattlesnake

**MEXICO:** Escamoles (ant eggs)

**CANADA:** Prairie Oysters (bull testicles)

**ALASKA:** Eskimo Ice Cream (made from animal fat)

**JAPAN:** Fugu (poisonous pufferfish)

**SOUTH AFRICA:** Pineapple sandwich

**AUSTRALIA:** Kangaroo

**SOUTHEAST ASIA:** Bird's nest soup

## ICEBOX CAKE



In America a favourite traditional cake is the icebox cake. It was introduced in the 1920s when people started to have iceboxes (early fridges) in their houses. It became popular in the 1950s and especially at parties, celebrations and family gatherings, and people still eat it today. It looks so yummy!

### Ingredients:

- 8 oz tub of cream cheese at room temperature
- 1 cup powdered sugar (icing sugar)
- 3 cup heavy cream (double cream)
- 1 tbsp lemon zest
- 1 tbsp vanilla extract
- 20 graham cracker sheets (or other biscuits)
- 1 1/2 lb. strawberries, thickly sliced (about 700g)

### Method:

- Beat the cream cheese until smooth in a mixer.
- Add the powdered sugar, beating until smooth.
- Scrape down the sides of the bowl.
- Add 1 cup of heavy cream and beat until smooth.
- Add the remaining 2 cups of cream and beat until soft peaks form, increasing the speed as the mixture begins to thicken.
- Fold in the vanilla and lemon zest.
- Spoon 1/4 cup of the cream mixture into the bottom of a 9-by-9-inch pan or baking dish, spreading into a thin, even layer.
- Top with the graham crackers in a single, even layer, breaking them as needed to fit.
- Spread about 1 1/2 cups of the cream mixture over the graham crackers, using a spoon or offset spatula to smooth into an even layer.
- Top the cream mixture with an even layer of strawberries.
- Repeat once more, then top with a final layer of graham crackers, cream mixture, and strawberries.
- Refrigerate for at least 4 hours or up to overnight.

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**DID YOU KNOW?** There is an actual ice-cream graveyard in the Ben & Jerry's factory in Vermont, USA. They have gravestones for all the flavours that are not made anymore!

By Reuben



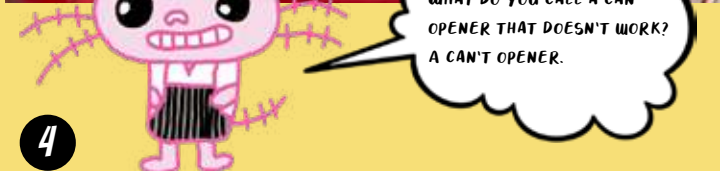
### Some flavours in the graveyard:

- Economic Crunch 1987 - 1987
- Fossil Fuel - 2005 - 2010
- Turtle Soup 2006 - 2010
- Peanut Butter & Jam 1989 - 1990
- Pina Colada 2013 limited batch
- Schweddy Balls 2011 limited batch
- Cow Powder 2012 - 2012
- Tennessee Mud 1988 - 1989
- Sugar Plum 1989 - 1990
- Chocolate Comfort 1999 - 1999
- Fresh Georgia Peach 1986 - 1991
- Peanuts! Popcorn! 2000 - 2000
- Vermonty Python 2006 - 2008
- Oh Pear - 1997 - 1997
- Miz Jelen's Sweet Potato Pie 1992 - 1993
- Purple Passion Fruit 1996 - 2001
- Devil's Food Chocolate 1996 - 2001
- Dastardly Mash 1979 - 1991
- Choc Chip Cookie Dough Frozen Yoghurt 1994 - 2001
- Aloha Macadamia 2001 - 2002
- Cool Britannia 1995 - 1998
- Urban Jumble 2000 - 2001
- The Wich 2004 - 2006

**YUM or YUCK?!**

## MEXICAN CHICKEN AND RICE

Rice was introduced to Mexico in the 1500s. It grew very well there and soon it was very popular. Now it is one of the most common Mexican dishes. This recipe looks very tasty.





# Health &

By Daisy, Isabelle, Mackenzie, Romilly and India

Hey students of NJA, it's me Daisy and I'm here with my team to tell you how to look young and youthful. So, pay close attention and follow these extremely easy steps and you will look even more youthful than you are right now!

- Always wash your hands before applying any products
- Make sure to read directions thoroughly before use.
- Make sure to use products that are suitable for your age!
- Always make sure that your products have sunscreen in them.
- When you are applying any products always use a hair tool to get your hair out of your face.
- Last but certainly not least, on a bright sunny day REMEMBER to wear a thick layer of sunscreen.

Here are some examples of great products to try:

- Drunk Elephant
- Byoma
- Glow Recipe
- Boots Vitamin C



WHY CAN'T YOU TRUST AN ATOM? THEY MAKE UP EVERYTHING.



- Watch Netflix or play football - Amelia 6MR
- Stretch - Rafe 5RD
- Read books - Noah 6MR
- Watch TV - Harry 5SP
- Reading and art - Cleo and Zara 5AS
- Read a book or play with my hamster - Melissa 5AC
- Sleep, watch TV and listen to music - Sandy and Alannah 6JD
- Play football and watch Skibidi toilet - Oliver and Charlie 6TS

## DID YOU KNOW?

- ~ One square inch of skin is made up of 19 million skin cells.
- ~ Your skin sheds 30,000 skin cells a minute.
- ~ Skin contains 11 miles of blood vessels.
- ~ Skin accounts for 10-15 percent of your body weight.
- ~ Skin has its own metabolism.
- ~ Your skin can flex.
- ~ Skin is an "emotional" organ.
- ~ Moisturiser is the best defence against dry skin.
- ~ Wearing sunscreen daily protects against aging.
- ~ Exfoliating leaves skin smooth.
- ~ Dancing makes your skin glow.
- ~ A lack of sleep can affect your skin.
- ~ Eyes show the first signs of aging.

# WELFARE

with Mr Welfare!



We brought in Mr Welfare to our in-school spa and gave him the full spa treatment. As well as skincare, he started with a relaxing sheet mask and cucumber slices, and finished with a spritz of So...? spray!



## SKINCARE STEPS:

- Step 1: Cleanse.**  
No matter what your skin needs are, cleansing should be your first priority.
- Step 2: Exfoliate.**  
Now that we've got those dead skin cells out of the way, it's time to exfoliate.
- Step 3: Tone**  
We used Boots tea tree & witch hazel on Mr Welfare.
- Step 4: Moisturise**  
Boots cucumber moisturising lotion smells so nice.

KEEP IT SIMPLE

If you have normal skin, just wash your face twice a day using plain soap or a mild cleanser, before rinsing to remove sweat and dirt.

## WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO LOOK AFTER YOUR WELFARE?

If you look after your welfare, you are more likely to live a long and happy life. To learn more, keep reading!

Although you think you might be acting selflessly, it is important to look after yourself as well, so that you are keeping your physical and mental health in tip top condition.

Work/school can be overwhelming at times so you need to try and fit in some 'me time' at some point during the week. You can do this by doing different sports, clubs, exercise and more.

Although it is definitely important to look after your physical health you also need to look after your mental health. Follow the following points to do so:

1. Try to relax and reduce stress
2. Find ways to learn and be creative
3. Spend time in nature
4. Connect with others
5. Try to improve your sleep



# BIG F-T'S SHACK

We went down to Tolcarne beach to find out all about Mr FT and his rockpool adventures.

## What is your real name?

Karl Fice-Thomson, not Mr Fun Times, or Mr KFC!

## What is your job?

My main job is a community classroom teacher. I go into schools, and tell them to look around their schools and use whatever is around them as classrooms, whether it's a beach, or moorlands or a city. My other job which I love even more is Big F-T's Shack. It's the best job in the world, because people come down and I take them on a 3-hour journey through caves and into rockpools.

## Where do you go on holiday?

One of my family's favourite places is Fuerteventura. It's one of the Canary Islands off the coast of Africa. It's about three hours away on a plane, a small island, it's always warm, but quite windy. It's brilliant for surf and amazing for snorkelling. It's near Lanzarote and Tenerife. People think it's too windy there, but it's not. Actually, I shouldn't be telling you this, or there'll be too many people there!

## How did you decide to do what you do?

I think I was about eight or nine, and our family was put into a caravan, we had nowhere to live. This was a long time ago, and they put us in a little caravan in a place called Challaborough in Devon. It was the start of the summer holidays, and all I did was go down on this little beach at Challaborough, made friends with the lifeguards and I just played in the rockpools. I knew nothing about rockpools, I didn't know what the creatures were. But then in the evenings, I would go into the little clubhouse on the campsite and on the TV there was something called The Living Planet that came on every night, with David Attenborough. I watched it and I wanted to be just like him. So that's when I started to get a kind of rapport, a relationship with the natural world, and investigating stuff. I was an absolute nightmare because I spent all my time in the rockpools trying to catch as many things as possible. I got bitten, I got nipped, I got



stung, but I fell in love with it all then when I was eight.

## What is the best thing you have found in a rockpool?

An octopus. I found a small Atlantic octopus over at Little Fistral. On one of the lowest of low tides, I was doing a survey over there, and there were holes that hadn't really appeared for a long time because it was such a low tide. So in goes my hand and I knew straight away because I could feel all the suckers. And then I felt it bite me, because you know octopuses have a hard beak. And I gently started to bring my hand out, and the tentacles came out. I started playing, I found some crabs and broke them up and held it out and the octopus grabbed it, and eventually he actually came out of the hole and everyone saw him. He was only small, about the size of my fist. It was amazing. And that's the best thing I have ever discovered.

## How old are you?

This year I am 49.

## How often do you run Big F-T's Shack?

I can only do it in school holidays or weekends and even then I can only do it when there is a good low tide. I have to make sure the tide is low enough to take the clients around safely. And I have to watch the weather too. I'm responsible for my clients so I have to make sure everything is safe.

## What is the worst thing that has happened to you while rockpooling?

Probably when my daughter Maddy who works with me in the summer holidays, put her hand in a hole to get something and a fishing hook went through her finger. Unfortunately people do leave things on the beach and around, so we check all the rockpools first now. And Maddy often wears special gloves!

## When are you going to get your own wildlife show?

Well actually my son, who designed my logo and sells the hoodys and t-shirts, is also talking to someone who wants to do a YouTube channel, so you never know!



WHAT DID BLACKBEARD SAY WHEN HE TURNED 80?  
"AYE MATEY".

# DID YOU KNOW?

## BIG F-T explains...

### CUTTLEFISH

“When the females lay their eggs, they stay with them until they hatch. They never leave, even to feed. So after 3-4 weeks the female starts to die, and she gently blows this constant waft of water over them. She even tries to stay alive as they hatch to protect the new babies by eating herself, she eats her own tentacles. As she then dies and all the eggs hatch, guess what their first meal is? Their mum! Crazy. But that's how they survive.”



DID YOU KNOW?

~ If you find lots of stringy stuff like spaghetti near where you find sea hares, that's their eggs.  
~ If they get really scared they squirt out a bright purple ink.

### THE TOLCARNE TUNNEL

Did you know there is a tunnel/cave that leads from Tolcarne to Lusty beach?

“When I was exploring this cave we realised, just like the tea caverns over by Fistral, this one was also used for smuggling. We know that because we found chiselled areas where they were trying to make platforms to store their goods, probably tea leaves. So they would drop their anchors in Lusty and then get in their little row boats with lanterns and hide all the tea. The cave would have been a lot bigger then, there has been a lot of sand built up over the years. Then they would have taken their wares back through the tunnel and on the cliff you can actually see a pathway that was made from so many people walking up that way.”

### OCTOPUSES

“Did you know octopus have a lair? They will find a small hole or a crevice in a rock, and they will make it their lair. I know when an octopus lives there because if you dive down and look, just outside the lair will be a pile of shells and empty crab shells. Scientists believe they keep them to play with and it also marks their territory.”

### What we saw...

- Common Shore crab
- Edible crab
- Velvet crab
- Sea hare – type of sea slug
- Strawberry Anemone
- Mussel
- Chameleon shrimp

### What we thought...

“10/10 I loved seeing Mr FT again after so long and it was so fun in general.”

LEXI

11/10 We learned all about sea creatures and went through caves!

SOPHIE

“10/10 It was slay!”

POPPY



### CRABS

“When crabs go dark they are ready to take off their exoskeleton.



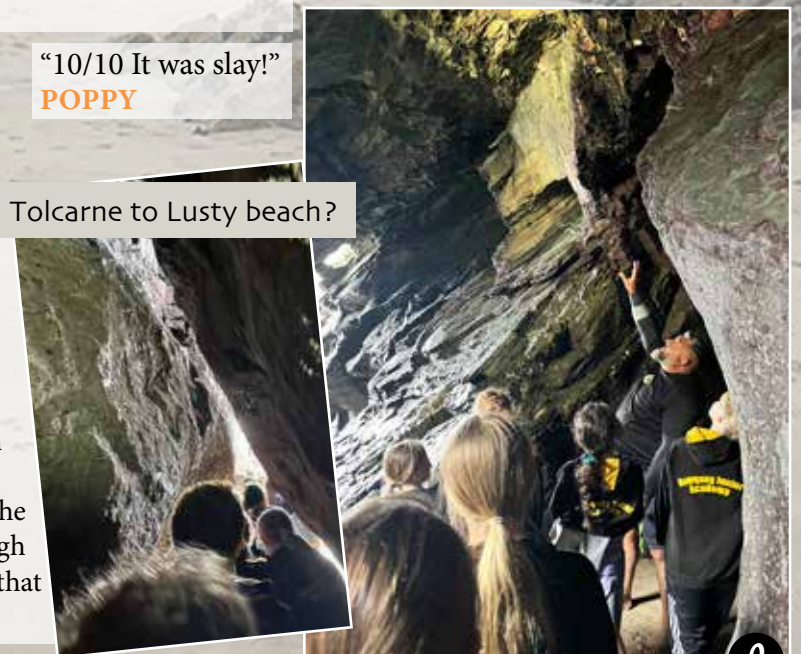
This crab has just shed its shell. It is still all soft!

There is a little hinge and it pops open and the crab will ooze itself out. The old shell will float off and the crab will expand and then harden. You can tell if it's a female or male by their tails. The female's tail is like a leaf and the male is a long thin triangle. That is where the female carries her eggs, they start orange and when they go brown they are ready. When they are ready to release the eggs, they come out at night and stand on the tideline and shake the eggs off their tails. If a crab nips you and it holds on, never pull it, it will hold on tighter. Just put it down on the sand and it will run away.”

### DID YOU KNOW?

~ The Velvet Crab has adapted its rear legs for swimming, they are flat like paddles.

~ Crabs taste with the hairs on their legs.



# The Greatest Show

## Behind the Scenes

By Bella & Annie



**Jack: Carlyle**



**Sienna: Barnum**



**Lily/Inaya/Esther: Introducers**

### Tech Crew

**Defne**

**What is your job?**  
Tech crew, I control the music, lights etc.

**Do you like it?**  
Yes I love it. I am the boss, but when something goes wrong I am the one to blame, even though it's not my fault!

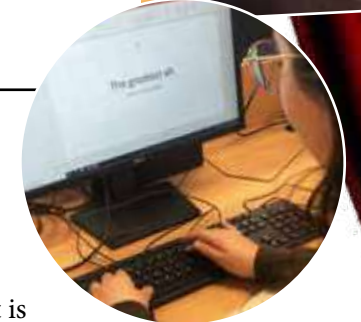


**Mr Male**

**How did rehearsals go?**  
They went really well.

**Do you enjoy doing the production?**  
Yes I enjoy it, even though it is hard it's very rewarding.

**Hope you all enjoyed watching it!**



### Did you get the part you wanted?

- Jack (Carlyle) - Yes.
- Miffy (Little girl Helen) - Yes.
- Sandy (Jenny Lin) - Yes.
- Finley (Businessman) - Yes.
- Sophie (Little girl Caroline) - Yes.
- Mila (Music group) - I wanted to be young Charity.
- Defne (Tech Crew) - Yes.
- Honey (Charity's mum) - I wanted to be Charity.
- Poppy (Barman) - I didn't mind what I got.
- Leah and Bella (Conjoined twins) - Bella: I didn't mind. Leah: I wanted anything else!
- Inaya (Introducer) - Yes.
- Gracie (Charity) - I wanted to be a little girl.
- Indigo (Young Charity) - Yes.
- Emmie (Queen Victoria) - Yes.



**Alannah: Thug**



**Sandy: Jenny**



**India: Anne**



**Gracie: Charity**



**Annie: Strongman**



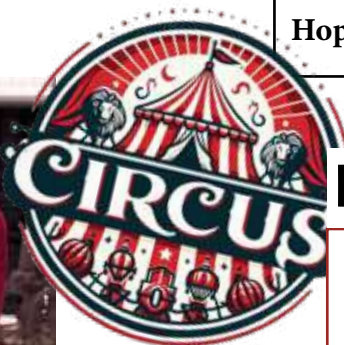
**Ida: Tattooman**



**Annie: Circus Performer**



**Miffy & Sophie: Helen/Caroline Barnum**



### DID YOU KNOW?

- ~ The song *Rewrite The Stars* will not be used in our production *The Greatest Show*.
- ~ There are over 50 dancers in our production.
- ~ Over 100 students are going to be sitting on the benches and around the stage.
- ~ Did you know that the actors are practising their lines every day? And everyone is practising their singing every day except Tuesday.



# MURDER

# IT?!

**\*JUST FOR FUN\***

**Pssst...Clue...**

The red smear on the classroom table was found to be blood...

Detectives needed! We need your help to solve this terrible mystery...

By Miffy & Sophie

Last week, Mr Hayes made a shocking discovery when he went to the Year 6 corridor after lunch. He found Mr Male DEAD on the floor of his classroom! What could have happened? Read through our case files and see if you can work it out.

(Answer on pg 21.)

## 1. The Crime Scene

When we, the detectives, went to the crime scene there was a toppled over chair with Mr Male with a head injury on the floor. There was a red smear on the table. We couldn't see anything else out of the ordinary. There were no fingerprints but we did find a strand of brown hair. We took a photo of the scene - look closely, maybe you can see something we missed.

## 2. The facts:

We talked to everyone who was around and found out some interesting facts:

- Mr Hayes was the person who found him after lunch.
- TJ was seen in the Year 6 hallway that lunchtime.
- Mr Male had argued with Mr Scotland that morning.
- People in the corridor heard a loud thud, then silence.
- Noboday saw anyone come out of Mr Male's classroom at lunch.



**Pssst...Clue...**

Mr Male's face was as white as snow when he was found, with a horrid bump on his head like a hard-boiled egg...

## 4. Final sum-up:

Hmm who do you think it was then? Mr Scotland had argued with Mr Male that day and both Lexi and TJ had been told off by him. TJ and Mr Scotland were nearby, but noone saw anyone come out of the classroom. It's a mystery...

## Who did it?

Find out on page 24...

(PS. This is just for fun - look Mr Male is just fine don't worry!)

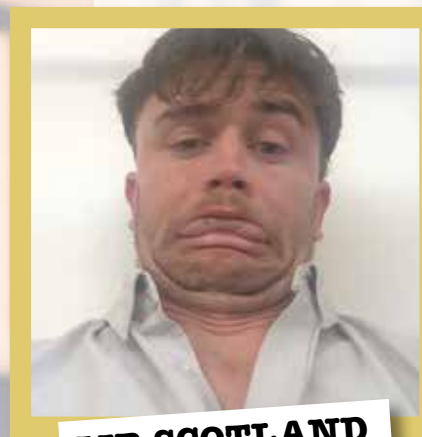


WHAT HAS FOUR WHEELS AND FLIES?  
A RUBBISH TRUCK.



**Pssst...Clue...**

Carlos said Lexi doesn't have school dinners...



**MR SCOTLAND**

### OPPORTUNITY:

Witnesses tell us that Mr Scotland, when the crime happened, was out by the printer at the end of the year 6 corridor.

### MOTIVE:

A witness said Mr Scotland was sulking because Mr Male had told him he wasn't allowed food from his secret stash.



**LEXI**

### OPPORTUNITY:

Lexi's friend told us that when the crime happened, she was minding her own business in the canteen.

### MOTIVE:

It has been reported that Lexi was told off twice by Mr Male that morning for spraying perfume and shouting in class.



**TJ**

### OPPORTUNITY:

TJ told us that he was putting his lunch box away and was in the year 6 corridor when he heard a loud thud.

### MOTIVE:

Witnesses remember Mr Male telling TJ off for chewing gum in maths, they say TJ looked very angry.

psst...

" I CUDDLE MY CAT EVERY NIGHT "

" I WROTE 'SURPRISING' INSTEAD OF 'SURPRISING' AND LEFT IT "

" I SNUCK INTO MY FRIEND'S HOUSE "

" I PLAY GEORGIE PIG "

" I'M A DINOSAUR "

" MY BROTHER EATS SPIDERS OF ALL SIZES "

# FESS UP!

Defne uncovers your BIGGEST secrets

" I HAVE THE PLAGUE "

" I FARTED IN MY MUM'S FACE WHEN SHE WAS ASLEEP "

" I THOUGHT 'TROT' MEANT TROTTERING LIKE A HORSE "

" MY MUM IS STEALING MY DAD'S OFFICE SO HE HAS TO WORK IN THE DINING ROOM "

" I ATE AN ANT "

" I'M A BANANA "

# YR 6 MEMORIES

The Y6 production - Esther 6TS

The London trip - Phoebe 6MR

Mr Male's birthday party - Lexi 6JM

Playing for the football team - Sennen 6JM

WW2 day - Betsy 6JM

Mr Scotland existing - Archie 6TS

Being head girl - Ida 6JM

The London trip - Mila & Annabelle 6TS

How much Mr Scotland looks like Harry Styles - Sorrel 6TS

Beading club - Florence 6JD

Good Vibes

# YouTubebers

With Honey



What's your favourite thing about Mr Beast?  
He gives away money to people and his videos are good to watch.

What is your favourite Mr Beast video?

Probably the 1-100 challenge where people from one to one-hundred-years old had to do challenges in cubes. Or the grocery store video where a guy got \$10,000 for every day he stayed in a grocery shop. He did about 40 days!

Would you like to be in one of his videos?

Yes! Probably the box one. Or last to leave the circle.

Do you have any of his merch?

I have tried some of his chocolate, it's good.



- Jimmy Donaldson – known as Mr Beast – has estimated to have made over 500 million pounds for his network on Youtube.
- On his channel he has 253 million subscribers in 2024.
- Jimmy started filming videos for the app in February 19th 2012.

## Who's your favourite?

By Finley



FARZY - Isabelle

MR BEAST - Zach

MR BEAST - Thalia



SURFING WITH NOZ - Jack



EVAN & KATELYN - Sophie



WITNESS 2K - Dexter



SIDEMEN - Shayla



HOLYGRAIL75 - Oscar



ETHANSK8ER (my channel!) - Ethan

### DID YOU KNOW?

- YouTube was founded in 2005 by Steve Chen, Chad Hurley, and Jawed Karim, three former employees of the American company PayPal. They had the idea that ordinary people would enjoy sharing their "home videos."
- Over 500 hours' worth of video content gets uploaded to YouTube every minute.
- YouTube is the 2nd most popular website on Earth.
- YouTube earns around \$15 billion a year.
- Around 1.8 billion users visit YouTube every month.

WHY SHOULDN'T YOU WRITE WITH A BROKEN PENCIL? IT'S POINTLESS.



**\*TOP 5\***

# NEWQUAY BEACHES

By Finley



**1** Lusty Glaze



**2** Crantock



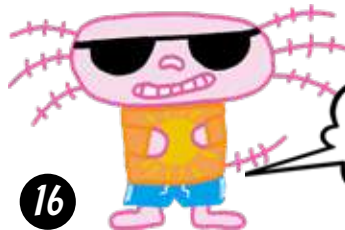
**3** Porth



**4** Fistral



**5** Perranporth



WHAT DID THE SUSHI SAY TO THE BEE?  
WASABI.



# TRAVEL

With Satty

## Where have you been in the world?

- TORONTO - Miss G
- SPAIN - Sorrel 6TS
- DENMARK - Lily 6TS
- AMERICA - Esther & Bella 6TS & Phoebe 6MR
- FIJI - Mila 6TS
- BARBADOS - Annabel 6TS & Annie 6MA
- NEW ZEALAND - Ella 5SP
- AUSTRALIA - Ms Crowther
- CANARY ISLANDS - Amelia 6MR
- THE CARIBBEAN - Ms Alan
- NEW ZEALAND - Ms Biggs
- AFRICA - Gracie 6MA
- ITALY - Faye 6MA

Let's explore...

## South Africa



When I was in South Africa, I went to a beach called Boulders Beach and it was filled with...PENGUINS! It was really cool. I also went to one of the capitals of South Africa called Cape Town and I went to a place named Table Mountain - it was really interesting (and high up!)

However, the highlight of my trip was when I went to a safari park, I saw lions, cheetahs, elephants, hippos and more. Some of the interesting things at the safari park that happened were: our jeep broke down in the middle of the night when we were surrounded by big animals, I was less than an inch away from an elephant and a cheetah was chased into our camp by lions and the vets had to tranquilize it!



## TOP 5 Amazing Summer Holidays

- BALI (Indonesia)
- SANTORINI (Greece)
- ALGARVE (Portugal)
- DUBAI (UAE)
- CAPE TOWN (South Africa)

Your travels...

## Mila Barber



**Where is your favourite place you have been?**  
I have three, it's too hard! Bali for the surf, Fiji for food and surf and Maldives because of the resort.

**What is the best part about travelling?**  
Nothing, I hate planes. Playing in the airport, I always do that!

**How many places can you remember going?**  
Bali, Fiji, Spain, Maldives, Portugal, Costa Rica, El Salvador, I remember Australia a little, France, Mexico, America (Disneyland), Barbados, Canary Islands, Lanzarote.

**Why do you travel so much?**  
My dad has a business where he travels lots so me and my family sometimes join him.

**What is your dad's business?**  
He owns Newquay Activity Centre in town. He also has a travel business named Bodyboard Holidays and he also has one named Outdoor Activity Instructor Academy (OAlA). He has one more - Women + Waves, but he co-owns that with Rachel (Mr Murphy's wife).



WOMEN + WAVES

## DID YOU KNOW?

- ~ 60% of the world's lakes are in Canada.
- ~ 600 people work at the Eiffel Tower daily.
- ~ Jet lag feels worse if you travel west to east.
- ~ Studies show 2 holidays a year is best.

# BRAIN

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Can you solve our brain melting puzzles?  
(Answers on page 21)

1. What was the first video game?  
A) Tennis for two  
B) Pong  
C) Space Invaders
2. What inspired Pacman?  
A) A picture a child drew  
B) A pizza missing a slice  
C) Cheese
3. Since 1970 roughly how many video games have been published?  
A) 2 million  
B) 5 million  
C) 10 million
4. Which is the best-selling console of all time?  
A) X-Box  
B) Nintendo Lite  
C) Playstation 2
5. How many video game design studios are there in the UK?  
A) 2000  
B) 5000  
C) 10000

By Reuben

## QUIZ TIME

How much do you know about video games?

6. Which is NOT one of the top 3 game genres at the moment?  
A) Role playing  
B) Action  
C) Horror
7. What is the best-selling video game of all time?  
A) Fortnite  
B) Minecraft  
C) Rocket League
8. What is the global video game industry worth?  
A) \$350 thousand  
B) \$350 million  
C) \$350 billion
9. What is the average salary of a game designer in the UK?  
A) £50,000  
B) £80,000  
C) £100,000

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|----------|-----------|
| NAOMI    | LEXI      |
| SATTY    | SHAYLA    |
| MIFFY    | ISAAC     |
| SOPHIE   | POPPY     |
| HONEY    | DAISY     |
| FINLEY   | DEFNE     |
| REUBEN   | MACKENZIE |
| BELLA    | RUTH      |
| ANNIE    | NJABUZZ   |
| ISABELLE | SECRETS   |

## WORDSEARCH

By Naomi

- THALIA  
TRAVEL  
FASHION  
HISTORICALFOOD  
GREATESTSHOWMAN

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LSHOVANS LGUIQRCA LOGF  
EOTPSAADXJNTNIIXVSOH  
GPVPFNOEHNCNHL YEXHTI  
AHJYVNMFGIFXCIEKTFRS  
RIKRUIINRKP IXLNYXAAT  
IETKREVEEMFNWGQEF SVO  
SEHJMHLVALAGJRNADHER  
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## CROSSWORD

By Reuben & Sophie

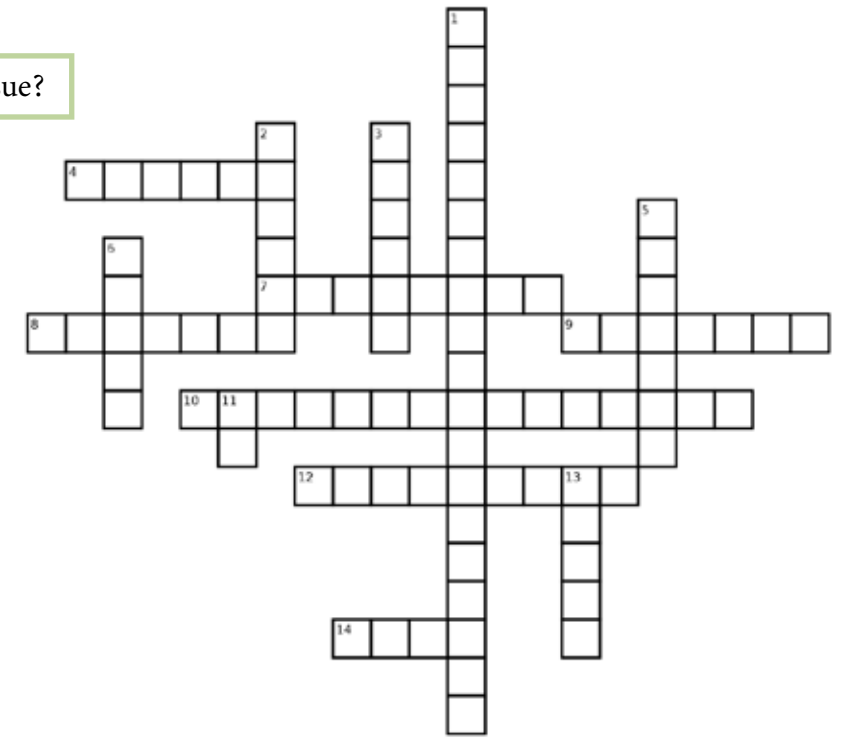
Have you been paying attention to this issue?

Across:

4. What season issue is this?
7. The 2nd best beach (1st in my opinion)
8. What page is Scotty on?
9. Step 1 of your skincare routine
10. Mr FT's real name
12. What you are reading
14. Who killed Mr Male?!

Down:

1. The 4th best dessert
2. Our top holiday destination
3. Who is the NJA's Greatest Showman?
5. Honey's favourite Youtuber
6. Who wrote the travel page?
11. This year's NJA Buzz mascot
13. A football competition



## SUDOKU

	1	2	3		5
5			1	2	
2	6	4			1
	2		4		6
		5		1	
			2		3

By Romilly & Mackenzie

## Would you rather...

By Miffy

- ~ Be trapped in the desert - or trapped in Antarctica?
- ~ Be in a toilet with no doors - or a toilet with no toilet paper?
- ~ Find true love today - or win the lottery next year?
- ~ Have a sideways hat - or a backwards hat?
- ~ Have legs for arms - or arms for legs?
- ~ Be chased by a bear - or climb a tree to escape a jaguar?
- ~ Have ice-cream - or frozen yoghurt?



## \*TOP 5\*



France

## HOLIDAY DESTINATIONS

By Finley



Portugal



Spain



America



Brazil

# PETS are the cutest!

By Thalia, Poppy, Miffy & Sophie

Hello, and welcome to NJA Buzz pet page! In this 2024 edition of the pet page we have some very interesting animal facts and the results of the NJA Pet Competition. We have some of the most eye-watering adorbs pets in this school. We had some talented and adorable pets entered, it was super hard to choose, so here are some of your pets! Thank you everyone for handing in these precious pics of your fab pets.



This is Alessia's pet rat, I think this is my fave pet! (Miffy)

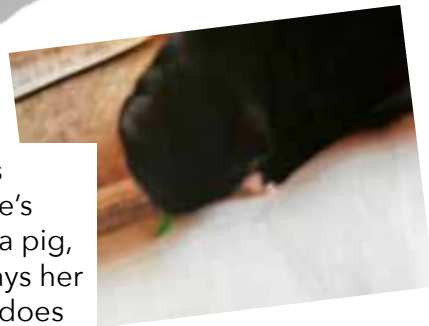


Zac's dog Phoebe



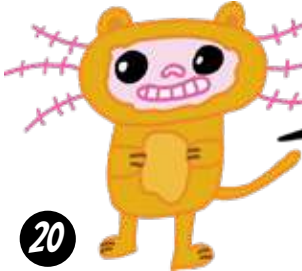
This is Alura's cat Snowy who can jump through a hoop! Amazing!

**FACT**  
Cats can jump up to 6 times their height.



This is Emmie's guinea pig, she says her mum does all the work to take care of it so well done mum!

**FACT**  
Guinea pigs make 11 individual sounds!



HOW DO YOU MAKE AN OCTOPUS LAUGH? WITH TEN-TICKLES.

**FACT**  
It takes a cat 3 days without eating until their organs shut down but for a human it takes 3 weeks which is 7 times as long.

**FACT**  
Cats sweat through their paws.



- A Araya
- B Bella
- C Cookie
- D Doris
- E Ella
- F Freddie
- G Goldie
- H Harper
- I Isabelle
- J Jam
- K Kyla
- L Layla
- M Martha
- N Nala
- O Olaf
- P Poppy
- Q Quinn
- R Robert
- S Sam
- T Thalia
- U Unicorn
- V Venom
- W Waffles
- X Xander
- Y Yeti
- Z Zavier

## An A to Z of Pet Names

# 'Your Pet' Competition

## The results...

It was extremely hard to decide which pet should win!!! They were all so amazing! In the end we had a NJA Buzz vote and...

The WINNER is...FOAMY!!!

2nd is Chester!  
3rd is Teddy!  
4th is Fluffy and Chocolate!

All the pets which were entered were fabulous. It was very close but the winner was chosen. Everyone loved the pets [especially FOAMY!!!]. Some of the pets had costumes on some didn't but they were all extremely cute!!! Thank you all for taking these photos and bringing them in, all of the NJA Buzz appreciate it.



### DID YOU KNOW?

- ~ Kittens are born with closed eyes.
- ~ They have superior senses.
- ~ Kittens see differently than humans.
- ~ A kitten's whiskers are as long as its body is wide.
- ~ All kittens are born with blue eyes.
- ~ Female kittens can become pregnant at only 5 months of age.
- ~ Kittens weigh 3-4 ounces at birth.



### BRAIN MELTER ANSWERS:

**Crossword:** 1. Sticky Toffee Pudding, 2. France, 3. Sienna, 4. Summer, 5. MrBeast, 6. Satty, 7. Crantock 8. Pet Page, 9. Cleanse, 10. Karl Fice-Thomson, 11. Ax, 12. Newspaper, 13. Euros, 14. Lexi.

**Quiz Time:** 1. A, 2. B, 3. B, 4. C, 5. A, 6. C, 7. B, 8. C, 9. A.

**Where's Scotty:** He's in the rat cage! (pg 20)

**Who did it?** Lexi! But it was actually an accident, she tied his shoelaces together (look closely at the photo!) causing Mr Male to hit his head.

### Sudoku:

4	1	2	3	6	5
5	3	6	1	2	4
2	6	4	5	3	1
1	2	3	4	5	6
3	4	5	6	1	2
6	5	1	2	4	3

# THE NJA EUROS



By Isabelle, Daisy, Naomi & Shayla

We talked to Mr Welfare who is organising the football tournament in school.

**How did you come up with the idea?**

A lady who worked in the canteen started it years ago but sadly passed away. Her name was Anne Lowry and now the winning team from the NJA European Championships get presented the Anne Lowry Cup.

**How many players are in the tournament?**

160 players signed up in total!



**Which NJA team are you supporting?**



# WATER POLO

By Miffy & Thalia

We talked to Noah who plays water polo and find out all about the sport.

**When did you start playing?**

When I was 9 years old.

**How often do you play?**

Every Wednesday.

**Do you play matches?**

Yes.

**How many people are in a team?**

About 7.

**How long is a match?**

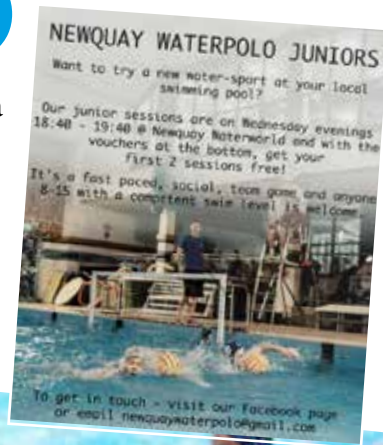
An hour.

**Where do you play?**

At Waterworld.

## DID YOU KNOW?

- Water polo was first created around the 1860s in England.
- It was introduced to the USA in 1888.
- It was the first team sport introduced at the modern Olympic games in 1900.
- It is thought to be the toughest sport in the world.
- People in water polo wear caps with special ear guards.
- You are not allowed to touch the side of the pool or the bottom.
- Players have to tread water for around 40 minutes and swim on average 2 miles per game.
- The most common injury in water polo is a 'Swimmers shoulder' (shoulder pain).
- Water polo is very aggressive, there are penalties but punching and kicking happens unseen underwater!



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# FASHION

# Summer Vibes

## What to wear

Lexi reveals your fave outfits this summer...

- \* White linen trousers
- \* Floral cami top
- \* Jorts
- \* Shorts
- \* High waisted shorts/jeans
- \* Baggy trousers with top button undone and folded
- \* Birkenstocks
- \* Rock band t-shirts
- \* Strapless top with bikini under
- \* Nike pro shorts
- \* Tank tops
- \* Short denim shorts
- \* Stussy
- \* Denim skirts
- \* Flip flops
- \* Matching skirt and top
- \* Summer tight dresses
- \* DC shoes
- \* Cropped shirts
- \* Summer dresses
- \* Plaid dress with poofy babydoll sleeves
- \* Ripped trousers/shorts
- \* Grass shoes
- \* Hawaiian shirts



Poppy models some summer looks. (Photos by Thalia.)

## What do you think?

**"You look fab in that fit!"**  
Elsie

**"You look awesome!"**  
Alice

## Uniform chat

### What DO you like?

- "Good idea because everyone looks the same so it's easy to find people."
- "Good way to make sure children don't get bullied for not having the latest fashion."
- "I like that we wear shirts not t-shirts, it's smarter."

### What DON'T you like?

- "I wish we could wear PE kit every day."
- "Having to tuck shirts in."
- "Don't like ties."
- "Wearing tape for PE."
- "Only wearing black socks."



# \*TOP 5\*

# DESSERTS

By Mackenzie



1

Brownie and ice cream



Sweets

2

3

Ice cream



5

Jelly

4

Sticky toffee pudding



BYEEEE  
ENJOY THE  
HOLIDAYS!



(All Ax's designed & drawn by Isaac)



A quick note from our Editor:

It's been two years now since the first issue of The NJA Buzz and I hope you agree it just gets better and better. We had a giant team this year and they all pitched in together to create another amazing issue with an incredible range of features from informative to funny. Sad to say goodbye as it's been great fun working with you, but you should all be very proud of yourselves! The Buzz will return for Issue 7 after the summer with a brand new crew, don't miss it ~ Ruth.