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# The Glebe Gazette



*Welcome to our  
First Edition!*

# Bugsy Malone is a Grand Slam!



*By Maisie Mutchell*

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> of October, 82 students and 8 members of staff went to watch the passionate production of Bugsy Malone. Bugsy Malone is a gangster musical comedy show and film written and directed by Alan Parker. Bugsy Malone was Alan Parker's first feature film. Parker was trying to find a film project that is not 'parochial'. Bugsy Malone is set in the prohibition era. It is about a mobster named Roxy Robinson who is targeted by members of a rival gang named Fat Sam's gang. The show was thoroughly enjoyed by many students and staff members here is a review from a few teachers.

Mr. Shotton said, "I thought it was a fantastic trip, the students behaved very well and the theatre production was amazing, I loved seeing everyone so excited and I loved how some students came up to me and said that they had never been to the theatre before, it felt so special. My favourite part was when Bugsy took Leroy into the boxing ring and the boxing song is my favourite, I just loved it so much and would like to thank all the teachers that helped me on this amazing drama trip."

'It was a thoroughly enjoyable experience.'

Mrs. Forrester said, "I thoroughly enjoyed the show and I had the songs stuck in my head for the rest of the week. It was truly joyful to be out on my first school trip with Glebe Farm. All of the learners looked so smart, were impeccably behaved and outstanding ambassadors for our school."

## **Extra Curriculum at Glebe Farm School**

*By Esme Power*

### **Monday - After School – Newspaper Club**

Newspaper Club is run by Mrs Forrester on a Monday after school. Students meet in the English room (104) then head towards the computer room (107). Newspaper club is from 3:30 until 4:30. Students make the school newspaper; add articles based on facts or stories that are amusing and interesting. Newspaper club is to promote student leadership and engage with our school community and the wider world.



### **Thursday – After School – Art Club**

Art club is run by Mrs Prince on a Thursday after school, students meet in the art/design room (209). Art club is from 3:30 until 4:30, students do all sorts of art and crafts such as printing, drawing, painting, collaging and loads more, Mrs Prince has all sorts of fun activities for us to do every week. Art club is an effective way to express our passion for art, try new things, or just practise some art after school.



### **Thursday – After School – Cooking club/Food Tech**

Cooking club/food tech is run by Miss Cook and Miss Jackson on a Thursday after school, students meet in the food tech room. Cooking club is from 3:30 until 4:30, we do all sorts of baking and cooking from sweet treats to savoury delights. Cooking club is to give learners the opportunity to create a range of dishes and equip them with the Life-Skill of cooking.



### **Thursday – Lunch Time – Glebe Voices**

Glebe voices is run by Mrs Lee on a Thursday lunch time, students meet in the music room, most people turn up after they finish their lunch or some people take their lunch in the music room so you can meet from 12:15 until 12:55. We learn songs to practise at main events and assembly's, each week Mrs Lee picks a new song for us to sing and have some fun with.



**Thursday – Lunch Time –  
Mindfulness And Wellbeing Drawing  
Club**

Mindfulness and wellbeing club is run by Mrs Clugston on a Thursday lunch time, students meet in the Spanish room. Mindfulness and wellbeing drawing club is from 12:15 until 12:55. For students who love to draw there is a range of colouring design sheets, or if you just prefer to draw your own on paper. Maximum of 30 students.

**Wednesday – After School – Board  
Games Club**

Board games club is run by Miss O on a Wednesday after school, students meet in pupil support. Board games club is from 3:30 until 4:30. For students that love to play board games. (iPad's will be needed) Maximum of 15 students.

**Thursday – After School – Football  
Club**

Football is run by Mr Livesey on a Thursday after school, student meet outside of the changing rooms. Football is from 3:30 until 4:30. For students that love to play football and like a competitive match. You will need your P.E kit and the correct footwear, boys and girls are welcome, maximum of 40 students. fixtures against other schools will be taking place in the new year.

**Friday – Lunch Time – Basketball  
Club**

Basketball is run by Mr Livesey on a Friday lunch time, students meet in the sports hall. Basketball is from 12:15 until 12:55. For students that love to have a competition in basketball or just want to learn for the first time. You will need your trainers and P.E kit. Maximum of 30 students. Fixtures against other schools will be taking place in the near year.



**Friday – After School – Debate  
Society**

Debate Society is run by Miss Stewart on a Friday after school, students meet in the forum. Debate Society is from 3:30 until 4:30.





# Environmental News

**Spotlight On...**

## **Plant Protein**

Xampla is one of the most promising start ups in the biomass industry: it replaces single-use plastics, found in packaging (and other everyday items) with the protein that comes from plants. Its CEO is Simon Hamsberely, who is an experienced technology entrepreneur. “Plant proteins have the combination of being insoluble but degradable, so you get something that’s high performing, but also completely digestible by the creatures in marine environments.” - Thomas Knowles, Xampla’s academic founder. Thomas (who is a professor of biophysics at Cambridge University) asks the question - ‘How does a spider make its web?’.



A spider’s web is one of the strongest materials in nature. Albeit looking delicate, it can hold things up to 350 times their weight. The magic ingredient is silk protein, which is found in animals but also plants.



*Simon Hamsberely, the CEO of Xampla*

# Sports News

## Glebe Farm Cross Country Experience

*By Emily Bickerdike*



The students of Glebe Farm school left at 10:50 am, they took a 5–10-minute drive to Cambell park one of the students in Crew 5 will share a quote later in this read (Archie) took part in this event. There were 14 students in total who went and there were 2 teachers: Mr Livsey, Head of Year 7 and Miss O’Gilvie from primary and secondary pupil support. The event was an estimated 2 hours and the course was 1.5 km. Archie from Crew Five said, “When we first got there, I was nervous but I settled a bit when we were posing for the

photo; we got to the crest of the main hill with the stage at the bottom and we saw another school warming up by jumping onto the stage and then back off. I started warming up by, after putting on my boots, running up and down the hill that was blanketed with dew.” After their long and tiring experience, the runners returned to school to relax after they had completed the 2022 Cross Country.

# Pet Page

## Meet our Glebe Pets!

*By Daniel Zawistowski*

### Luna



Luna is my cat she is a half Maine-coon and half domestic. She is 2 years old and we got her on 2nd

November 2021. She also has the same name as my newborn cousin and they were born on the same day.

### Jessie

Jessie is 10 years old (70 in dog years) and she does not like tennis balls REALLY does not. She is a black dog she is a Schnauzer mixed with a Tibetan terrier and hates water.



### Kenny



He is a 3 year old beagle and he has the typical beagle energy. He loves sniffing and long walks in the woods. He is an exceptionally greedy dog so Mrs Forrester cant leave food unattended. His favourite snack is cheesy watsits and popcorn.

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Babalau



According to Mara, he is a cat who is stupid as Babalau means stupid. He likes to meow at random things and fill the house with fur. He is two years old. He is a tramp (long term homeless pet) and the breed is unknown. Also, he likes to harass birds.

Jasper

He is very excitable and barks a lot for attention. Billy's food has never been stolen and his toys haven't been ripped. He thinks he's younger than he is. He is not aggressive to his cat.

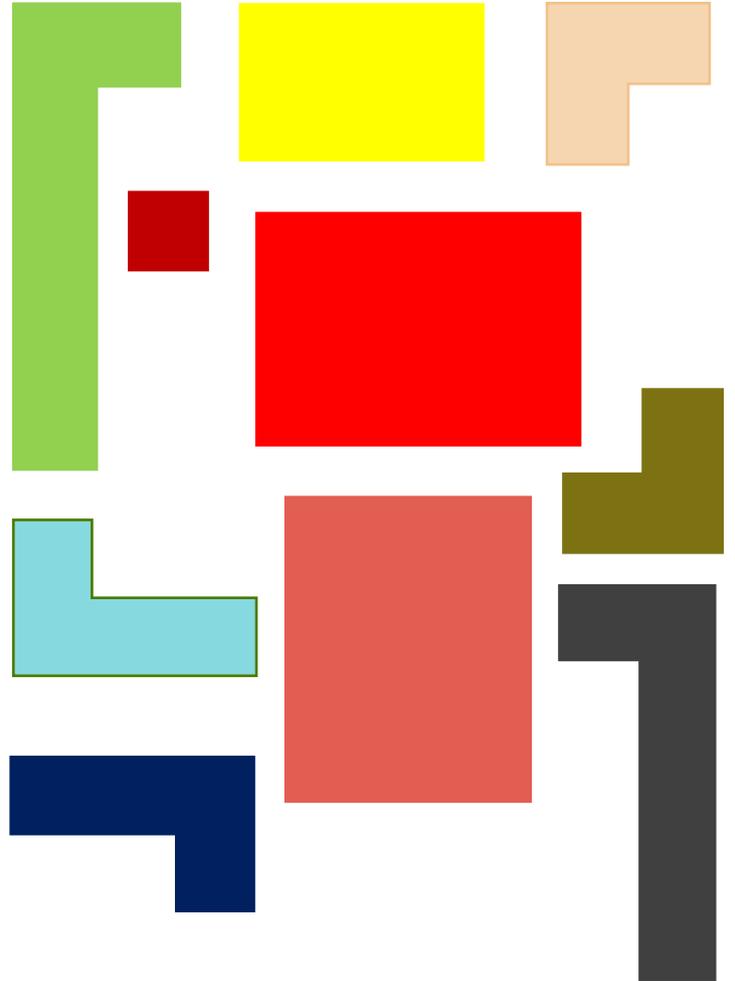
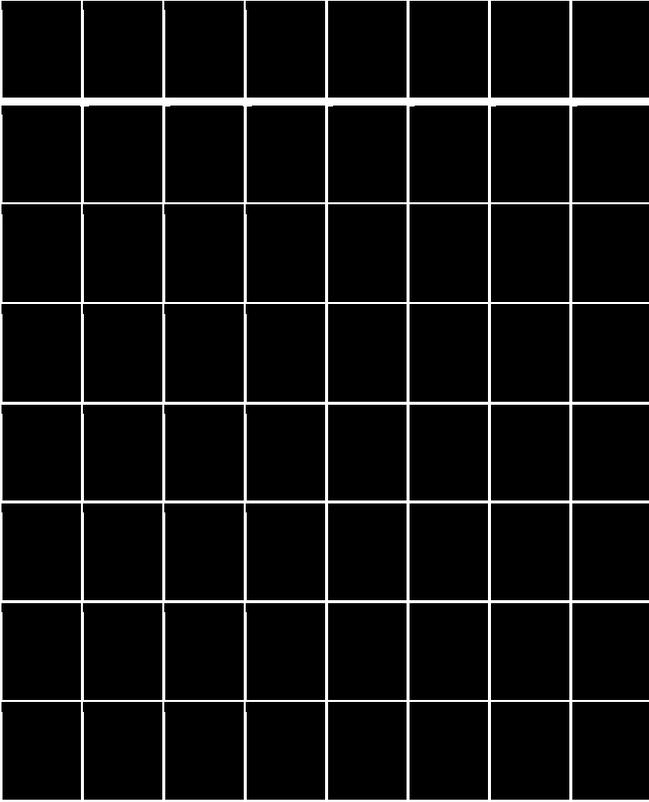
Conan



Conan is 11 weeks old. We got him on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2022. He is energetic and already gets along with Luna (my cat). He is well behaved and LOVES treats, I can't wait to take him on walks.

# Puzzle Page

*By Billy Middleton*



## HOW TO PLAY:

Colour in the shapes into the grid so they all fit into it. You will probably need a rubber and many coloured pencils for this.

# Puzzle Page

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## Guess the Person

Clue: The harrying of the North was committed by...

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Clue: Famous climate activist; one of Glebe Farm School's House Representatives...

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# Meet the Team

*By Archie Mutchell*

Archie Mutchell

Hi, I am a learner who loves P.E, Art, Drama and Music. My hobbies include playing all types of sport and gaming. My dream job is to be a professional sportsman. I joined the school newspaper because I like this type of writing.



Billy Middleton

Billy is a learner who loves Computer Science and maths. His hobbies include playing the piano and reading, (if he could, he would code as well.) His dream job is being a game designer. He joined the school newspaper because he was excited to contribute.



Mara Oprea Nastase

Mara is a learner who loves History, English and R.E.P. Mara enjoys analysing media and her hobbies include drawing and art. Mara's dream job is not known. Mara joined the school newspaper because she enjoys writing and reading.

Maisie Mutchell

Maisie is a learner who loves English and art. Her hobbies include socialising with her friends and attending a musical theatre school. She joined the school newspaper club because she enjoys writing.



Daniel Zawistowski

Daniel is a learner who loves Computer Science. His hobbies include writing, spending time with his dog. Daniel joined Newspaper Club because he thought it would be fun.

Esme Power

Esme is a learner who loves art. Her hobbies include gymnastics and trampolining and her dream job is to be an interior designer/vet.