

Akrotiri School Friday Feeling #016

Friday 15 January

With white peaks appearing up on the Troodos mountains, I am reminded that it is actually winter. Although the pull to dust off the K2s will have to be resisted for the moment, the sight of snow still fills me with excitement. Mirrored in school, the exciting start we have made to the spring term continues. Our new 'House' system was launched on Monday by Mrs Gibbs and I will look forward to announcing the first House Point winners on Monday. Who will it be – Typhoon, Griffin, Voyager or Hercules?

Y3 have been writing letters this week – and in what seems quite novel in our modern world – they went off to the post office to post them to UK. The art of high-quality writing should never be underestimated and the written word never fails to evoke a sense of nostalgia – I am sure that all of the recipients will be delighted when the post drops through their front door.

Y4 have been able to demonstrate their knowledge of the book 'Viking Boy' to a special visitor, CBF, when he dropped into school today, one lucky boy even had his Golden Mention presented by the CBF. It was a super opportunity to share the successes of this term so far and thank him for the tremendous part he played in allowing us to remain open. It is much appreciated.

Finally, we are now a week into the latest lockdown and I urge everybody to maintain the effort to keep us safe and keep the school open.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Ben Turner Headmaster

