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Alma Primary Becomes a Full School

By Polly

Back in 2013, Alma Primary school was founded by the founding governors. We now have a full school of 210 children and 7 classes. The school is now full which means that there are a lot of people who are wanting an education. We are very happy with our school and there are a lot of thank yous to make for it. The thing we are most thankful for is our school because, who would want to be in a school in a police station before it was renovated.

History of Alma

Alma's first building was a little building and a tiny hut with a small classroom inside.

Inside the other building with two offices, an Ivrit room and lunch hall. Do you remember the Ivrit room was the same as the lunch hall??

We then moved to the Archer Academy which was much too big. We moved because of the school growing. It was another year to go until our school build-

ing was ready. It should have been ready the year before.

Time flies by!

The year whizzed past and before we knew it, the school was ready!! The hall of our school wasn't ready for us yet. This was before we had a year 5. Year 5 classroom became our hall. It was small but it was enough.



Tu b'Shvat

Thank you for your amazing and generous fruit donations which the children thoroughly enjoyed during their Tu b'Shvat learning day activities!



Harry and Meghan

By Blu

You've probably heard that something's going on with Harry and Meghan, the Duke and Duchess of Sussex whose marriage was all over the press in May 2018. They've decided to give up their royal duties and become 'normal' people.

What Happened?

Prince Harry and Duchess Meghan Markle are henceforth going to 'step down' as members of the royal family. They have decided to no longer use the titles His Royal Highness and Her Royal Highness and will be Harry, Duke of Sussex, and Meghan, Duchess of Sussex. Harry is still a prince and sixth in line to the throne. They have also announced their intention of going to Canada and living there part-time. This was first mentioned in an Instagram post



after many crunch talks and discussions with the Queen. Their goal is clear: to become financially independent, but continue to support the queen.

What Will Harry And Meghan Do?

Harry is a trained militant in the British army and will henceforth give up all of these appointments as part of the contract to the Queen. He will don the uniform of his service but not the uniforms of other services. Meghan is going to Canada along with her husband. Many people say they are stepping down because of their 'massive press onslaught' that the couple received in May 2019 when their son Archie was born.

Australian Bushfires

by Talya F and Leila S

The Australian bushfire happened when it was too hot. Lots of people got told to leave their homes and some even had to leave their town. Bodie Ashton said this 'I want to give perspective for people not from Australia' and posted a shocking image of the fire. More Aussie land is currently burning than exists in the entire country of Belgium.

The smoke is causing breathing problems in New Zealand 2,000km away. Half a billion animals have been killed. At least eight people are dead. Most of Australia is 100 degrees but a few parts are 400 degrees.

Some people have been forced to leave their homes because the bushfires are getting really bad and it might take over Australia. But some other people think that they might manage to put out the fires.

Australia has been facing the bushfires for quite a while now. South Wales has predictably been badly affected by the bushfires.



Book Review: The Beast of Buckingham Palace by David Walliams

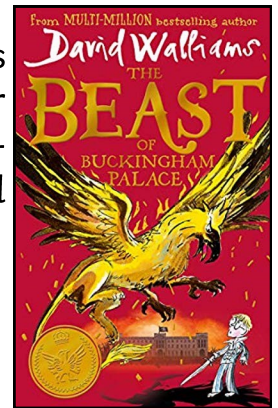
By Noam P and Ben

The year is 2120. London is in ruins.

Prince Alfred, a sickly boy has never seen life outside Buckingham palace. When things get strange in the palace, Alfred goes around the palace, looking for facts. He goes to what's left of the Piccadilly line and bumps

into a homeless person called Mite. Get ready for an amazing adventure, the battle of the Lord Protector Griffin.

We recommend this book for ages 6+ for children who are interested in magic, medieval history or royalty.



Interview of Miss Guled

by Olivia G, Leila S & Talya S

Q. Do you speak a language apart from English?

A. Yes Somali

Q. What would your dream job be if you weren't a teacher?

A. Artist

Q. What is your worst fear?

A. Dogs

Q. Do you have a pet?

A. No

Q. If you had a million pounds what would you do with it?

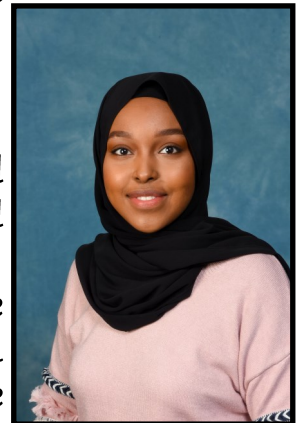
A. Give some to charity and with the rest I would travel the world.

Q. What's your favourite food?

A. Lasagne

Q. If you could be a child what age would it be and why?

A. I would be 6 because you are still cute and you start to understand more and it is just really fun.



Meet the New Team



The Spring term Alma journalists are:

Alex, Ben, Blu, Carla, Leila, Liya, Miri, Olivia G, Nathan O, Nathan S, Noam P, Talya S, Talya F.

Supported by Mrs Simons Rose and Mrs Goldman.

Correction: We apologise that we did not include the names of Miri and Emily in the last issue as part of the new team.