

Thornwood Times

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In this Article

Words by Iona, Maryam and Noor.

In this article there will be a joke, riddle and an interview with our school dinner ladies. There will also be a Valentine's Day quiz and a crossword about Chinese New Year!

Shout-out Corner

Words by Evie and Orlaith.

Thank you, Lynsey, Jen and Megan for painting the mural in our library and working hard alongside the Library Champions and Language Ambassadors! We are very excited to see the finished result.



Wow Travel Tracker is having a competition! If you win, your design will be made into a badge that everyone can wear!

February Announcements

Words by Noor, Maryam, Evie and Iona.

We have a new Equalities Committee!

P7 - Tiara and Alex

P6 - James and Omar

P5 - Noor and Declan

P4 - Yeva and Abi

P3 - Amber and Hassan

P2 - Ryan and Lala

P1 - Konstantinos and Areen

Well done, everyone!

Riddles

Words by Noor.

1. What can you catch but never throw?
2. What starts with a 'p' and ends with an 'e' and contains a bunch of letters?

Answers on the back.

Joke Corner

Words by Maryam.

What did one hat say to the other?

You wait here, I'll go on ahead!



Valentine's Day Quiz

Words by Daisy and Iona.

1. When is Valentine's Day?
 - A. 13th February
 - B. 14th February
 - C. 15th February
2. Which company created the first box of heart chocolates?
 - A. Cadbury
 - B. Mars
 - C. Thorntons
3. How many people get engaged on Valentine's Day each year?
 - A. 10 million
 - B. 7 million
 - C. 6 million
4. What is the most popular flower given on Valentine's Day?
 - A. Daisy
 - B. Tulip
 - C. Rose



Answers on the back.

The Interview

Interview by Noor and Maryam.

Q: What is your favourite lunch to make?

A: My favourite lunch to make is mince and potatoes.

Q: What do kids do to make your job easier?

A: Tidying up after themselves!

Q: How long does it take to make school meals?

A: It takes us about 5 hours to make school lunches.

Q: Can you include chocolate milk, strawberry milk and juice?

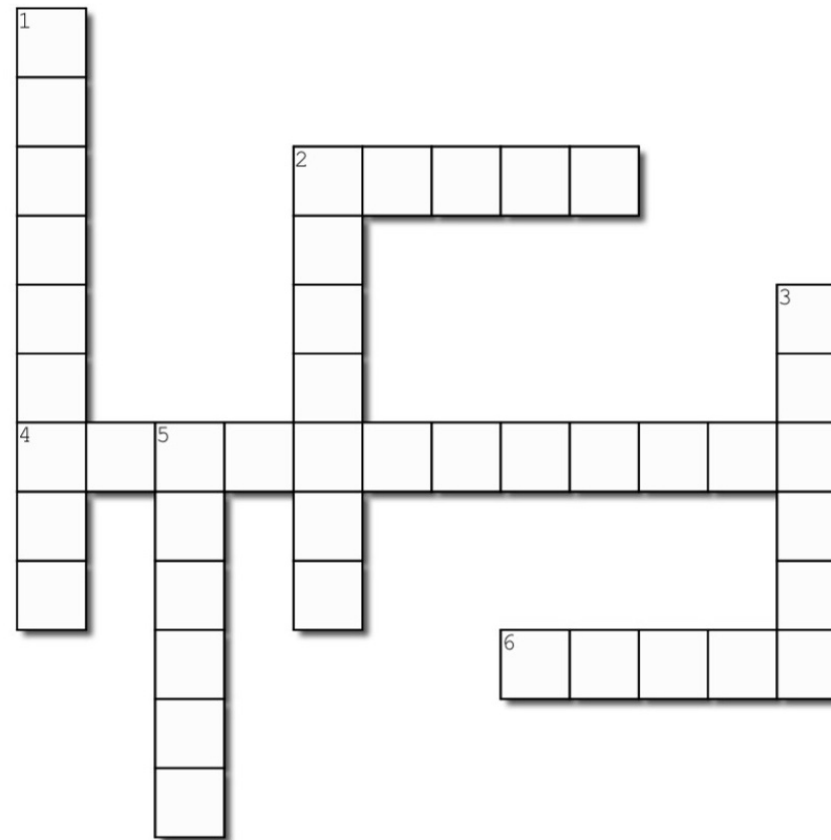
A: Sorry, we can't!



Kathleen and Tricia

CHINESE NEW YEAR CROSSWORD

Puzzle by Catriona and Daisy.



Across

- 2. Another word for moon.
- 4. Children find money inside.
- 6. Chinese zodiac animal (2025).

Down

- 1. They light up the sky with a bang.
- 2. Made of paper with fire inside.
- 3. The number of animals in the Chinese zodiac.
- 5. Mythical creature afraid of red and loud noises.

Answers on the back.

Answers

Riddle:

1. A cold
2. Post office

Valentines Day:

1. B
2. A
3. C
4. C

Crossword:

Across

2. Lunar
4. Red Envelope
6. Snake

Down

1. Fireworks
2. Lantern
3. Twelve
5. Dragon