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By after school club. (Ffion, Harry, Anish, Daniel, Blake, Alfred, Jasper)

The King of sports.....





meet Mr Delaney.

Mr Delaney has worked at Finlay school for 9 years. He loves getting the children involved in sports. We interviewed him about his work.

Why did you want to be a PE teacher? I love sports so this would be the best job.

Have you always wanted to teach PE? No, not always, but I do now.

If you were not a PE teacher what would you be? I would probably be a football coach.

Did you study at college? Yes, I went to college to study to be a teacher.

Which is your favourite sport to teach children? I love teaching tag rugby.

What is your favourite sport? I love football.

Which team do you support? I support......Man U



More sport stories inside with an interview by Jasper Y5 with Ryan Lamb, ex Gloucester rugby player

Fun fact... the distance around the school field is 320 metres.....Which teacher do you think can run this the fastest?



Around the world with Alfred.



Let's visit The Amazon!





At 6,437km long the Amazon lies in the Amazon rainforest, which makes up over 9 countries of South America. This river flows into the Atlantic Ocean and is the second longest river on earth; it is not as long as Africa's Nile. However, it's size and water amounts are gargantuan. More than a fifth of the world's freshwater comes from it. It is also the fastest flowing river enabling people to surf at certain times and places. The amazon river and rainforest is home to many creatures that are unique to the region, such as poisonous frogs, centipedes etc. One interesting animal in the river is the amazon dolphin. The mouth of the river is very wide as it enters the ocean, it is the distance equivalent from the UK to Italy. That's a big mouth!

Thank you for reading

Alfred Y4L







Amazing Facts around the world...

Finland has over 180,000 lakes....

Antarctica is larger than Canada...

60% of the world's population comes from Asia...

The Pacific Ocean is shrinking...









Who wants to be a millionaire? by Daniel Y5

1. What is 8X8=?

A 78 B 16

C 64 D 56

2. What is the capital of Italy?

A Milan B London

C Rome D Riga

3. What is the capital of England?

A London B Manchester

C Gloucester D Bristol

4. Which year did Elizabeth I die?

A 1603 B 2019

C 2022 D 1927



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Competition time:

Write a poem about Spring.

(Key stage1 and Key stage 2)

Can you compose your own poem over half term!

Hand in your entries to Finlay Flyer c/o Mr Brixey before 3rd March.

Prizes for best KS 1 and KS 2 entry.



Men's Football World Cup Finals. Answer in the next edition

Who won on penalties in 2002?

Who played in the first world cup final in 1930?

Who won the world cup in 2022?

When did England win the world cup?

Who won the final in 1970 on penalties?

When did Spain win the world cup?

By Blake Y5



Meet 'Old Lamby rugby player Ryan Lamb.

Interview by Jasper Y5



Are you still playing rugby at the moment for a team?

No I have been retired for 3 years however I am one of the coaches with Plymouth Albion.

What was the first club you played for?

Spartans RFC in Gloucester

Have you ever been given a red card?

Yes, two cards in my career!!

How many years have you played rugby for?

Well 23 years altogether with 17 years of those professionally.

What is the worst injury you've had?

I have had 2 neck injuries which were serious and had to have operations to help.

How old were you when you started rugby?

I was 13 years old.

What is the hardest position to play in rugby?

For physical it would be tight head prop but overall I would say number 10!

Who was your inspiration in rugby when growing up?

That would be Carlos Spencer.

Player Profile:

Born in 1986

Studied at St Peters High School.

Played for Gloucester from becoming first choice fly half in 2006.

Played for England Saxons in 2007

After retirement he has pursued a career in coaching in Gloucester and now in Plymouth.







What was your favourite tour that you went on?

I went to the commonwealth games with rugby 7's and I also toured with England to Chicago and Vancouver.

Who is your favourite rugby player?

Finn Russell

Who do you think will win the six nations?

France, easily!

Is it true you used to work for Freemans burger vans?

Yes a few years ago now! It was good for me.

Thanks Jasper and all the best





View from the top: news highlights from Year 6W.



Meet the wise man...the oldest student in the school.

Joshua. (Y6)

The Knife Angel visit by Kiya.

On Tuesday 7th year 6W went to visit the knife Angel sculpture next to Gloucester cathedral. On some of the knives there was writing to show people's feelings. The sculpture is raising awareness of the impact of knife crime.

I felt shocked at how big it was and how many knives it had.



What is it like to be the oldest in school?

Not much of a difference really.

Do you ever wish you could be the youngest? No I quite like being the oldest.

Has anyone mistaken you for being older? Yes, once they thought I was 12.

What is your favourite memory from reception? I think being able to play all day!

How much do you like school? I guess it depends on each day and on which lessons we are doing.

Are you excited for secondary school? Yes, I am I hope to go to St. Peter's

What is your least favourite subject in school?

Honestly it is reading.

What is your favourite lesson? Well it is PE, I guess it is a sports thing!!

Thanks Josh for your honesty and all the best in secondary school.

(Interviewed by Ffion Y6W)







Daniel Y5 has designed a **Scratch** game online, check it out on the Finlay_Flyer account, just follow the link below:

https://scratch.mit.edu/search/projects?q=Finlay_Flyer

SILLY MATHS:

Warning none of these answer are correct!!!!

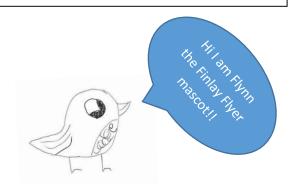
Be warned!

1 + 1 = A window

2 + 2 = 22

0-0 = A pair of eyes

3 + 3 = 33







Family Puzzle Page



Chicken jokes.

Why did the chicken cross the road? To go to KFC!

What do you call a very young chicken? An egg!

What did the chicken say to the librarian? book...book

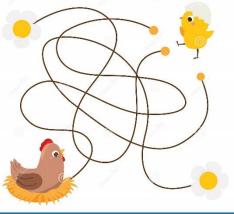


How many chickens can you see on this page?









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Can you draw your own spot the difference and bring it to your class teacher as home learning?