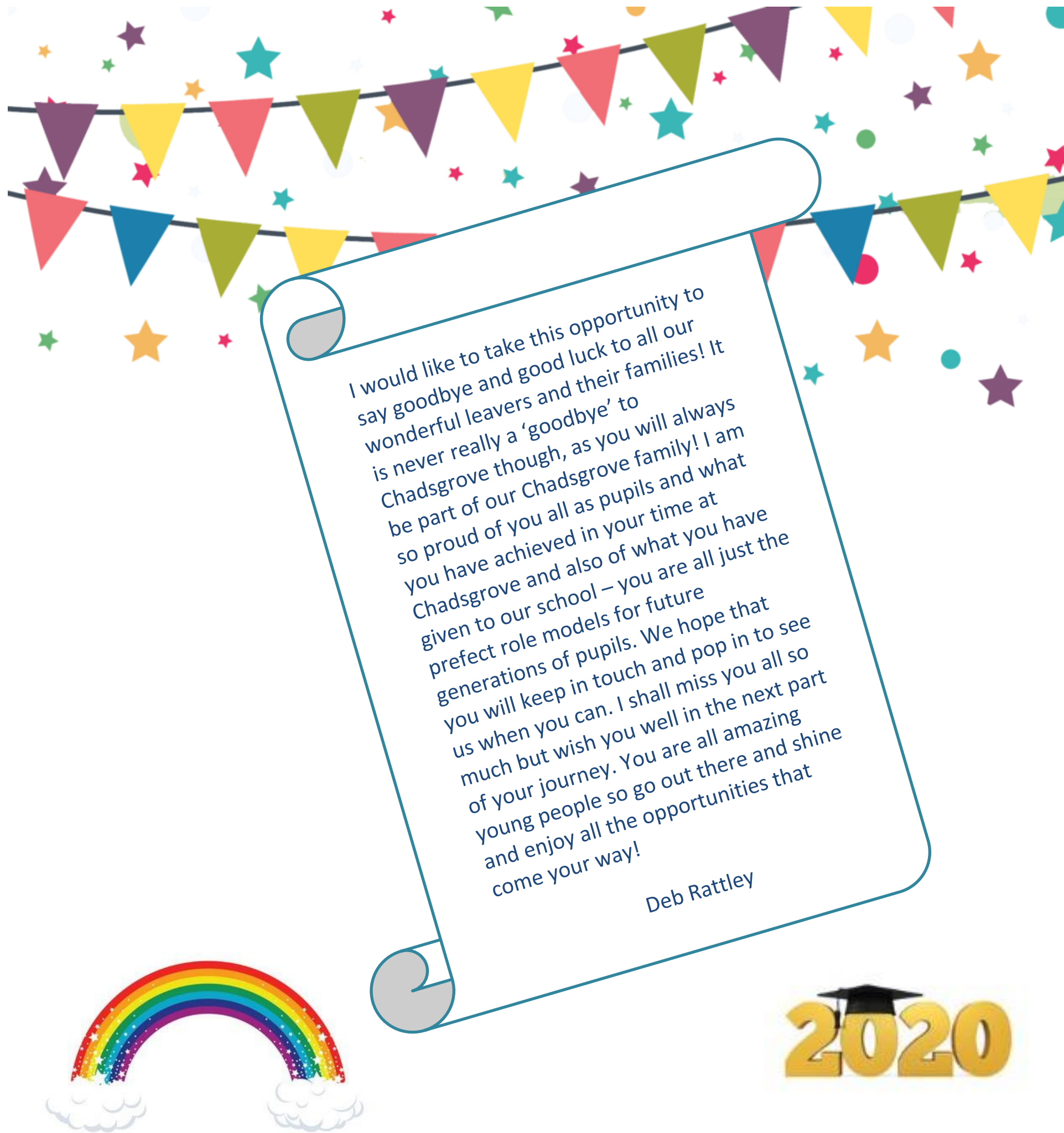


CHADSGROVE CHRONICLE

STAY ALERT, CONTROL THE VIRUS, SAVE LIVES

WELCOME TO ISSUE 10 OF THE CHADSGROVE CHRONICLE. IT SEEMS ONLY FITTING TO DEDICATE OUR FINAL ISSUE TO OUR 2020 SCHOOL LEAVERS. WE HOPE YOU HAVE ENJOYED LOOKING AT ALL THE PHOTOGRAPHS OF OUR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES THROUGHOUT LOCKDOWN. THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAS SENT IN PHOTOGRAPHS AND ALLOWED US TO USE THEM. WE WILL SEE YOU ALL IN SEPTEMBER AS WE BEGIN OUR JOURNEY BACK TO OUR NEW NORMAL.



Good luck Grace!



Grace once shared a tent with Eleanor for her Duke of Edinburgh camping trip. When Eleanor kept her awake with her comedy 'I can't cope' comments, Grace had to be strict!! "You'll have to cope, now get to sleep" was her 'caring' response! Now Grace always says "If I can sleep in a tent, I can do anything!"





From Claire Evans – “I will remember Grace especially for how amazing she was as our youngest member of the France trip and remind her that she should always wash her vegetables!!”

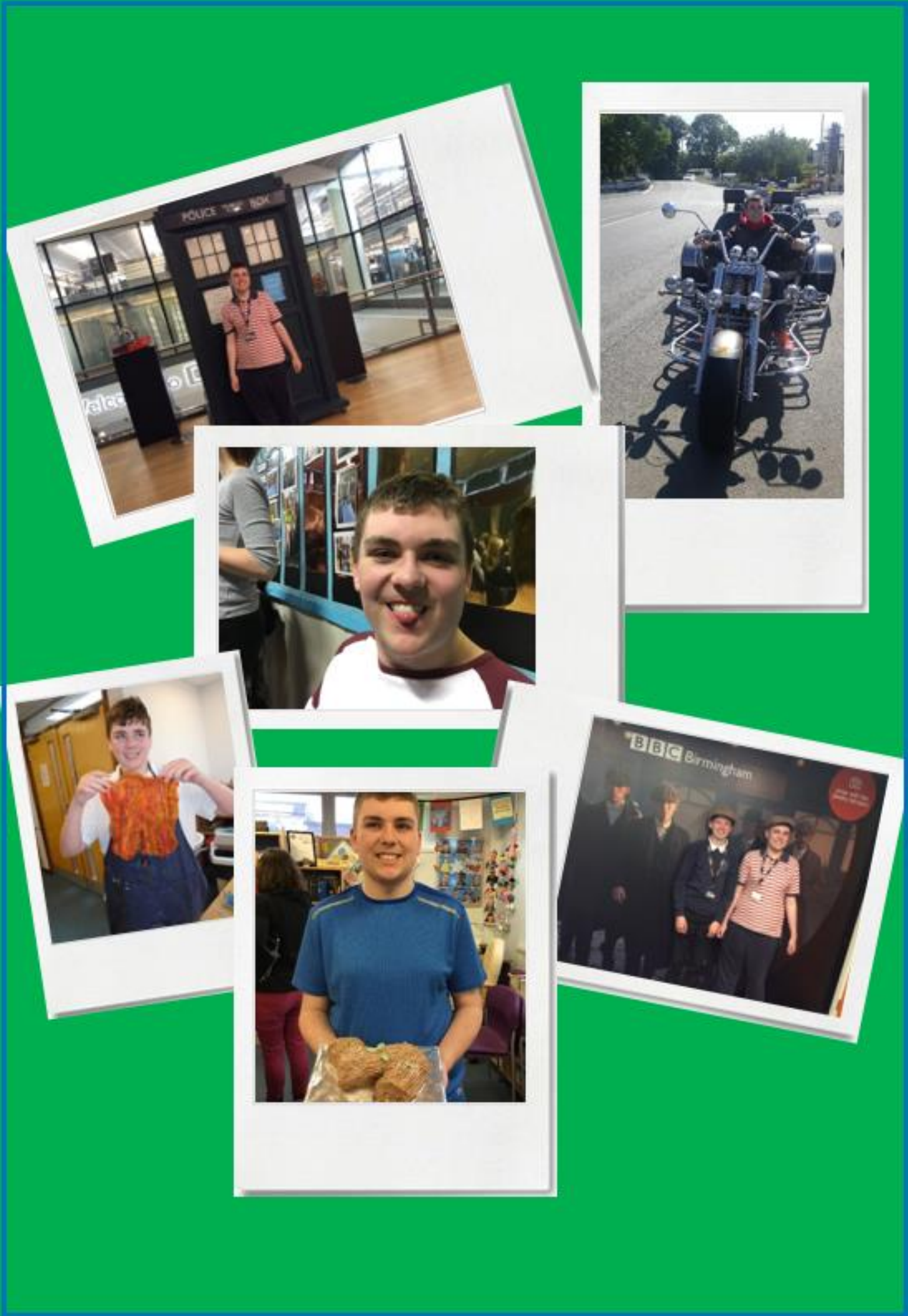


Good luck Tom!



Tom worked really hard at the Fruit Shack for his work experience. He often returned to school with unusual fruit as his fruity wages! These included dragon fruit and others we didn't even recognise. Mrs Morgan always wanted to try a sample and Tom was always happy to share!







Good luck James!

James' 18th birthday was approaching and there was some time one afternoon to do something special to celebrate. His class staff asked him what he would like to do; it would be completely up to him. What would he choose? A party? Pizza and ice cream? Games? James chose none of these; he wanted a 'tidy up the art room' party! Julia was not complaining...the art room has never been so neat!

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Good luck Jayson!



As part of their Post 16 work on communication and team work, 15US were divided into teams, tasked with the job of keeping a boiled egg intact and safe from staff kidnapping plots. Jayson was the most enthusiastic and diligent egg keeper we have ever seen. That egg was not going to come to any harm under his watch! He kept tabs on the egg, cared for it and was generally the best egg – dad ever!





Cayla Carter

A kind and loving young lady who is always ready to help her friends.



Loves discos, dancing and being part of the group.



Always loves joining in with dressing up. Her everyday style was fantastic too!





Fun Memories
Whenever something doesn't go as planned, Cayla's contagious laughter is always the best thing to stop you getting worried.





Happy Memories
Cayla is an amazing dancer and won a prize for her wonderful skills at Reach.
She puts all of her effort into winning for her team which is evident in her Boccia and Polybat playing.
Without any prompting Cayla regularly helps to make sure everyone has what they need, especially at lunch.





Funny Memories

At the SEA LIFE Centre, Connor and Jane got into a lift, but it went passed their floor. The two of them ended up on the roof and were in fits of giggles.



Happy Memories

Getting the train at Bromsgrove and riding it to New Street Station.

Walking down the hallway at the end of the day singing "Somewhere over the Rainbow" with Hannah.



Rachel Wood

Always has a cheeky attitude and makes everyone laugh out loud.



Her feistiness makes her hilarious to work with and it's been a pleasure to watch her grow into a young woman.



Such a wonderful love of music, always singing and dancing.





Funny Memories

Gardening on a windy day and trying to stop the plastic greenhouse from blowing away. Rachel charged after it across the grass and got stuck shouting “HELP!”. It took 6 people to tow her out, but she was just worried about being late for dinner.

Spending extra time in the bathroom to gossip.

Happy Memories

In our weekly swimming lesson and Rachel swam completely unassisted. Everyone applauded and she then swam the length of the pool!

Wonderful singing and dancing, both in performances and just for fun.



Goodbye McKenzie!
and Good Luck!

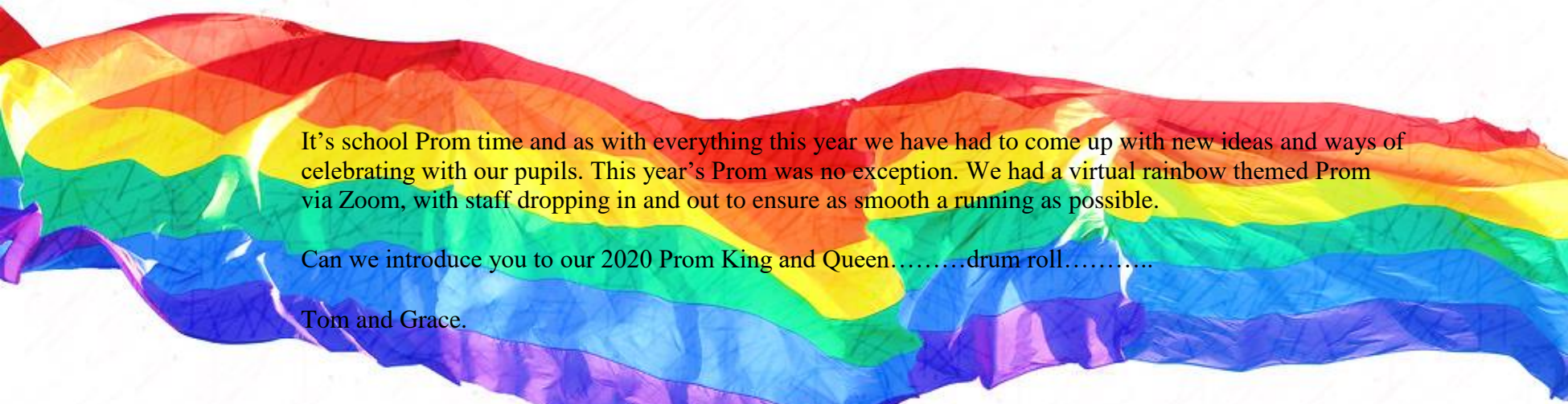


You loved going ice skating and even managed to skate on the ice on your skates this year.

You loved practical lessons.



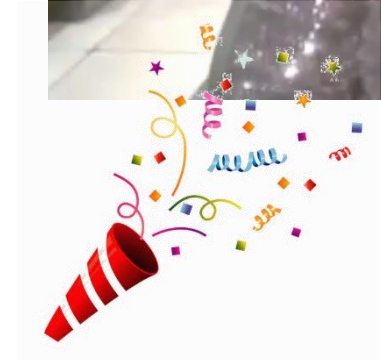




It's school Prom time and as with everything this year we have had to come up with new ideas and ways of celebrating with our pupils. This year's Prom was no exception. We had a virtual rainbow themed Prom via Zoom, with staff dropping in and out to ensure as smooth a running as possible.

Can we introduce you to our 2020 Prom King and Queen.....drum roll.....

Tom and Grace.



Jayson, we received this email off you. Thank you so much for showing your appreciation to Chadsgrove School and all the staff. We wish you well for your future.



To all our leavers, last week our Prime Minister Boris Johnson did a speech to all school leavers for this year. The link is below if you would like to watch it.

<https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=R-WsDuO6Gmw>

Parents and Carers of our leavers would like to take this opportunity to offer their sincere thanks to every single member of staff at Chadsgrove. You have all helped them grow into the fantastic young people they are today.



SCIENTISTS OF THE WEEK

A huge thank you this week to all our Chadsgrove Scientists for sharing your achievements during the school closure. We are very lucky to have such talented pupils at Chadsgrove, and I am very proud of you all. We have one last ‘Scientist of the Week’ for you and an update on some of our brilliant Scientists who have all gone above and beyond again...



Congratulations to...

Heaven-Leigh

who has built this amazing raft – not only does it look beautiful but it also floated!

Well done Heaven-Leigh!

And here’s some updates from some of our previous Scientists....

A huge well done to...

Jimmy

who has been raising these chickens throughout lockdown. Can you tell which are the before and after photos? Well done Jimmy – we can’t believe how much they’ve grown.





A huge well done to...

Daniel

who has also continued nurturing the chick and the duckling he hatched at the beginning of lockdown. It's brilliant to see how much they've grown.

Well done Daniel!

And here is another fabulous experiment from our super Scientist

Thea

who has been experimenting with what happens when you put coins in Coca Cola. This is amazing Thea and hopefully an experiment that lots of others could try at home.

Brilliant work, well done!



Why not have a go yourself?

Here's some photos of Thea putting her coins in Cola. She left them in for 24 hours – can you spot the difference? Why not have a go yourself and send us some photos of your results!



Thanks again to all of you who have shared your work. I hope you all have a wonderful summer and can't wait to see everyone back in school in September.

Happy Holidays!



Lockdown Bake off with Tom Perkins (15US)

Tom Perkins - Challenge 6 - Victoria Sponge

Entries:



Tom Perkins



Jane Mahoney



Lorraine Binns



Julia Lloydlangston



Mirren Thompson



Sue Parkes

Star Baker: TOM ☺

