LOCKDOWN LEGENDS



BULLETIN 1 - April 2020

Please find attached a wonderful small selection of Transform 'Lockdown Legends' to remind us of the brilliant children and members of staff we have. Please do send anything you wish to add into future bulletins to Sarah D pa.ceo@transformtrust.co.uk

Lawn Primary - From a parent of a Y6 who is also a Governor

I just wanted to say a huge thank you to you and all the staff. I think you are doing an incredible job leading the school. As a parent, I feel you have got the balance exactly right- helping the children and families adjust to the situation, but giving them lots of support to keep learning at home in a fun way . I hope you have a lovely Easter break and get to spend lots of time with your family. The video sent out today was wonderful, it brought a tear to my eye, a lovely reflection of why I am always so grateful I chose Lawn for my children. Take care and stay safe xx



Finley in Y3 at **Sneinton CofE Primary** has created a poster to share with others about littering of PPE. He was walking around the area and was really upset about how many pairs of gloves and other PPE on the floor, and so created this poster to ask people to be more caring to the environment. They have created a template for others in the community to colour in and put up in their gardens!



Brocklewood Primary

A lovely video from the school staff to the children. You've got the power in you! From all of us to all of you, we miss you.

https://m.youtube.com/wat ch?v=2PcT49eYQjl... #TeamBrocklewood

Breadsall Hill Top Primary

Received a nice message and picture from a parent of some of our children via dojo hoping that we are all well along with this photograph she had taken outside school.



Robert Shaw Primary







High Gate!

Thank you Baked Potato!

https://twitter.com/Whitegat eSch/status/12478243298925 97761

Lawn Primary

Charlie in Y3 won the **Derby County/Umbro T-Shirt Design competition** this week. He has won a signed t-shirt. There were hundreds and hundreds of entries.

Chloe a Y6 teacher set up a **Taskmaster challenge** for all staff that wanted to be involved, this has involved her setting tasks each day and then scoring them at 8pm and setting a new challenge. This has really kept everyone going. We have completed challenges such as video your best accent to origami. It has been for two weeks over the 'Easter Break' and has kept a great deal of laughter and connectivity between staff.

Mrs Alexander Y1 teacher - her partner is the founder of the 'Belper-Moo'. You're probably best to google this but Belper, in Derbyshire, is now famous for its residents hanging out of their windows at 6.30pm and moo-ing. It is actually a real thing. It's been on Sky, BBC News, Jeremy Vine and also in the press. It has now gone viral. Crazy ideas in crazy times.



This boy who attends
South Wilford CofE
Primary is worth a
special mention. Leo's
Grandma passed away
and he has been
building a bird table in
her memory. I thought it
was a really lovely thing
to do and to send the
pictures in to school to
share with us too.

Parkdale Primary – just a selection of the many thanks from parents!

TG We are loving the videos, struggling a little this week with lots of stressful situations surrounding my job and future but trying to keep everyone motivated. Thank you for all of your time and effort \P

ZCM *Absolutely love all of the videos and they have really helped. Everley loves watching you all and especially loved Miss Desborough dressing up yesterday ©. Brilliant, thank you for brightening up our children's days and thank you for all your support.

SD I just want to say a massive thank you with all of your support, videos and guidance. This has been a fantastic week and Ripley has really enjoyed seeing your faces and listened really well to your instructions. I have been telling everyone how amazing you have all been and everyone is so shocked at that amount of support you are still putting into our children's education.

LG I want to say to each of you, what wonderful fantastic teachers you all are. Riley absolutely loves school and always gives it 20 and more! Last week I had a little cry to Miss Ward it was a sad and difficult time. I wasn't sure how I would get on at ho...See more

JT You've been absolutely amazing, Bella loves her daily lessons and enjoys seeing her teachers, what you are doing is making their days so much more structured and helps feel that there still in a routine. Thank you x

SJ The videos have been super helpful. However we are really struggling to fit in learning between work (ours requires extra attention at present) and my younger son wanting to destroy everything holly touches. We are trying to fit in later when her brother has gone to bed. But we will try harder next week!

LB You guys are super stars we can't thank you enough for all your efforts I'm struggling to get Jessica to do the work but we are having fun and enjoying the videos keep it up thanks again x

HB Absolutely brilliant videos and fantastic support. I'm trying to juggle learning for Zach whilst working and your online lessons and hints and tips for things to do throughout the day have been a huge support in ensuring he can keep up with his learning in the right way and at the right pace. We are looking forward to what next week brings. Big thank you from all of us xx

SS We have found the daily videos really useful. The children love starting with Mrs Rippon's morning routine-it motivates them hugely. I cannot praise the team enough for the efforts you are putting in-it has not gone unnoticed or unappreciated.

SS It's been fantastic... not only has it motivated Lexi's it has given me some structure too. As we all thrive on routine in this house. Keep up the good work we're loving it. Have a safe and lovely wknd to all of you 🕬

ESK you have honestly been absolutely amazing and my friends with children a similar age are not getting anything even close in terms of support or learning resources. Its been a trying week with trying to still work, learning and still being 'mum'.

Ashbrook Junior

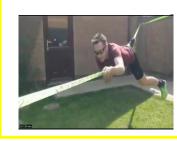


Lawn Primary - Thank you from parents

Firstly can I say a really big thank you to everyone at Lawn for your hard work during this uncertain time. You have all remained calm which shows through the children and the smiles which continue throughout the school speak words. Once again my family and I would like to pass on our thank you's to everyone. Keep smiling you're doing a great job.

Hi. We just wanted to say thank you so much for all you are doing. Everyone has pulled together so much and I'm so proud to say that my daughter goes to Lawn. The learning packs are great and very manageable. We think you are doing such an amazing job at this difficult time ©

Highbank Primary School













#TransformAtBest

@lizbarratt @iTeachPri was totally #TransfromAtBest when he shaved his hair in aid of @NHSCharities . Putting others before his fashion sense #PressPause

@helenHfordham everyone @lawn_school have been at their best over these last few weeks. It's been wonderful to see a team of committed individuals with children at the heart.

#togetherweachieve #dreambelieveachieve

@MrsWhite1972nStaff @BHTPschool have been absolutely fantastic: providing care for keyworker and vulnerable children; stepping up; leading; and all with huge smiles. #TransformAtBest

@clairetransform @williambooth especially the amazing @rachelmlee2 spending the last few weeks battling at all hours day and night (literally!) to sort food vouchers for the children. Plus the brilliant Base team creating fab bespoke resources for children to help them at home.

@rachelmlee2 Thank you - but we are all in it together and so many staff are working so hard! (I still can't quite believe how hard it is to partially close a school

@clairetransform Everyone has been great but you have been AMAZING Rachel!

All @sthwilford and @transformtrust who have made it a pleasure to be 'acting up' in the most strange circumstances. I work with amazing people! Amazing teachers, amazing support staff, amazing site manager, amazing parents, and most of all amazing, resilient children. Think you've been amazing too