



# SIR JOHN BARROW SCHOOL



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## THE SJB PLAY TIMES 😊

Hello to our loyal listeners (I am sure there is a lot of you). We would like to mention that this week's editor which is by the way, yours truly Holly Dennett is celebrating her birthday this Sunday!!! Moving on from that VERY IMPORTANT fact, coming up in this week's issue is the story you've all been waiting for: Stich and Bert's grand adventures, another guess the teacher and of course, your trusty fact of the fortnight and the remarkable riddle.

### Fact Of The Fortnight

Tarantulas can live for up to 2 years without food! Could you manage that?

### Rainbow Record Breakers

This is a begging letter to ask you to sign up online to the Rainbow Record Breakers NOW!!!! Rainbow Record Breakers are a small group of people trying to make Ulverston a record town. We already hold the record for the largest shaving foam pie fight. If we break the three records that we are attempting, Ulverston will be closer than ever to becoming a record town. The records we are trying to break are: the most people wearing odd socks, the largest game of musical statues and the most people wearing party hats! This event will take place on the 16<sup>th</sup> June at Ford Park at 9:30am. Be there or Ulverston will never be a record town!

### Remarkable Riddle

Mr Smith has 4 daughters. Each of the daughters has a brother. How many children does Mr Smith have?  
Answer at the bottom of page 2.





## Interview with the editor

*Holly, what is your favourite food and why?*

Macaroni cheese because it reminds me of when I used to fling it happily across the room.

*Do you have a favourite lesson?*

Art because you can't be rubbish at it.

*What's your favourite colour?*

Purple because it is the colour of royalty like myself. ☺

*What's your favourite book?*

The Hunger Games even though it is very sad.

*What's your favourite animal?*

Pangolins because they're adorable and so little is known about them.

*Are these questions getting boring?*

Yes only one more please.

*What's your favourite board game?*

Monopoly. I'm ALWAYS the shoe.

*Thanks Bye.*

*These questions were written by Awesome amazing Oscar*

## The adventures of...Stich and Bert!

Our hero and heroine, Stich and Bert, are walking down Hoad Hill after a good climb up the stairs of the monument. "I'm tired from all this walking," sighed Stich, "How long now until we get home?"

Suddenly, as they were plodding along, they fell down a big, Alice in Wonderland type hole. "Why are we falling?" yelled Stich. Then, they crashed onto the floor only it wasn't the floor and instead a big, silky web guarded by 3 angry, big, black spiders with long, pole-like legs and millions of eyes. The spiders' fangs stuck out like the teeth of Bugs Bunny.

"What does a spider do when it's angry?" asked Bert. Then, there was total silence until he said the answer... "It goes up the wall!" he laughed as Stich, being unimpressed, tutted at him and said "Come on, Bert, this isn't time for jokes!"

After about an hour of thinking of a perfect escape plan which would never fail, they finally came up with an idea. Stich began talking about money, business stuff and all the rest of it to bore the spiders to sleep. "...the sales of anti-bacterial hand gel has gone down in recent months. We need to stop this..."

At last, the spiders were asleep and Bert could chew their way out of the web and be free at last!

"Orange you glad we're out of the web!" Bert giggled.

And they continued their walk home without further spider webs to fall into. The End!

**Answer:** 5. Each daughter has the same brother!

## Super Sports Day!

On Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June, SJB held their annual sports day. This year, the chosen venue was Ulverston Cricket Club. The events consisted of: Seated volleyball, hurdles, an obstacle course and many more events.

Years 3-6 were split up into teams-two for each year group for example, year 6's groups were Miller and KJT- and we rotated around doing each event.

Seated volleyball was my groups' second event. It was quite entertaining because it was our first time playing it and some, if not most of us, kept catching the ball as if it was netball.



## M&M Productions Review

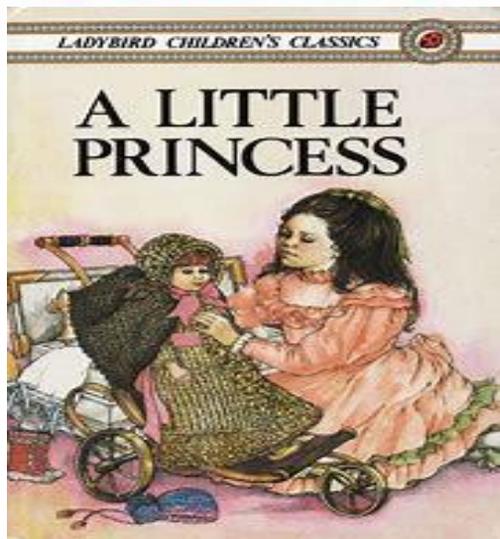
I loved this years M&M production of The Little Princess. Despite having only 4 actors, they managed to cast 9 roles and gave each of their characters a unique personality.

Although the show was amazing (I even had a tear in my eye when Sarah's dad rescued her) my favourite bit of the whole experience was when Year 6 were taken back stage and shown the inner workings of the play. I especially enjoyed the costume changes which they could do in under 10 seconds! This amazingly fast time is attained by :

1. Having a long zip at the back of the costume so you can quickly wriggle in and out.
2. Wearing your second costume underneath your first.

Apparently, one of the actors was wearing 4 costumes at one point in the show!

Thank you soooo much M&M Productions for visiting our school!





## Orienteering Competition

On Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June, there will be an orienteering competition in Barrow Park. This is the semi finals of the competition and SJB are hoping to get through to the final although they will have some tough competition such as Holy Family. SJB competitors have incredible talent or they wouldn't have entered the semi-finals. The course will require speed and map reading to be completed and luckily all the of the competitors have these requirements. We wish them all good luck!

## Guess The Teacher

I hope you are enjoying the SJB Play Times. This is the longest edition so far! It has gone onto 4 pages!!! Enough of this small talk though, I know what you really want to hear. Who was last weeks teacher? Well I won't keep you in suspense any longer. It was Miss Stuart!



Moving on from last week now who will be our next teacher? Well here are your clues:

- She had a teddy called Benjamin.
- She won a book design competition and met the queen!
- She had a Cindy doll and her sister gave it a funeral.

Good Luck! Answer in the next issue.

