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FROM THE HEADTEACHER'S DESK

It has been wonderful to be able to have our exam pupils returning to school. As we all know a school is just an empty building without its pupils and staff. We hope over the next few months we can return to some normality. We have spoken to all our pupils to explain the expectations of returning to school - wearing masks, regular hand washing, one way systems, year group bubbles, all become the new norm but most importantly we want our pupils to feel less anxious. We are so proud of the work of pupils and staff throughout the lockdown and the way they adapted to the virtual world.

It is lovely to see the signs of spring around school with the daffodils and tulips in bloom. We hope for a return of warmer weather and a better Summer term.

YEAR 7 EISTEDDFOD

We were so pleased with the 'virtual Eisteddfod we thought we'd share some more entries from the year 7 competitions. The photos included here are from the baking competition and the 'design a T-shirt for Kanga'



MOTIVATIONAL MARCH

Most of March was spent in lockdown and having been away from school since January we wanted to encourage our pupils to continue to be positive. We used the theme of 'Motivational March' to highlight good routines and remind pupils of the importance of keeping busy and motivated. We were so pleased when some of our ex pupils, who now play for the Ospreys, did a special video message for our pupils. They emphasised positivity, good eating and sleeping habits, keeping fit even under difficult circumstances. A huge thank you to Keelan Giles, Will Griffiths, Morgan Morris and Mat Protheroe for their words of wisdom.

VIRTUAL RED NOSE DAY

Another virtual event was held last month to celebrate Red Nose Day. Pupils in KS3 were in lockdown but had the opportunity to take part in a variety of virtual activities organised by the KS3 team.

125 YEARS OF GOWERTON SCHOOL

As mentioned previously Gowerton School started in 1896 so this year we are celebrating 125 years of history. It is so difficult to celebrate during these unprecedented circumstances but we are going to do our best to have various events over the next year

