



## Parent, Teacher & Friends Association (PTFA)

### Newsletter – Edition 1

A big welcome to the new school term from the PTFA committee.

Many of you may hear from us, but it's always good to put a face to a name, so here we are...



**Tracie** (Chair) Mum to Oscar in Year 1

**Rachael** (Vice Chair & Secretary) Mum to William in Year 2 and Max in Year 1

**Sam** (Treasurer) Mum to Aharon in Year 1

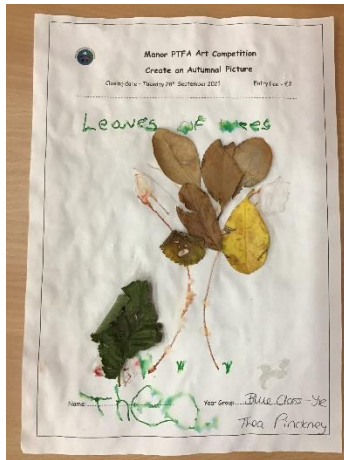
We look forward to many fundraising events and fun things for the children this school year (COVID restrictions allowing) and have put together an exciting calendar of events.

Our first fundraising event was **Autumn Art**. Thank you to everyone who took part. We hope the children enjoyed making their pictures, wands or leaf creations as we are now starting to see the early signs of Autumn.

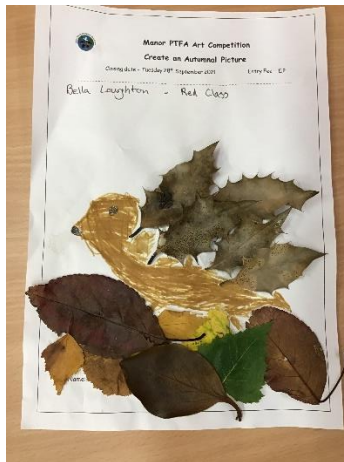
The entries were judged on Tuesday as part of the Harvest Service by Reverend David Newman and Margaret Richards, Foundation Governors at Manor.

The winner of each class was announced as...

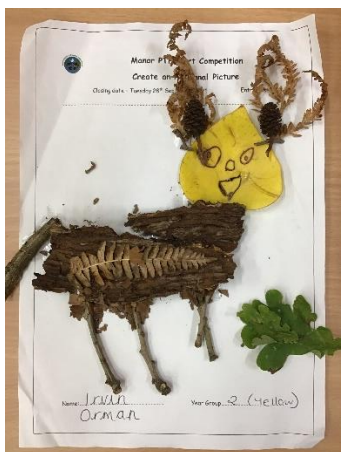
### Year R – Thea Pickney



### Year 1 – Bella Loughton

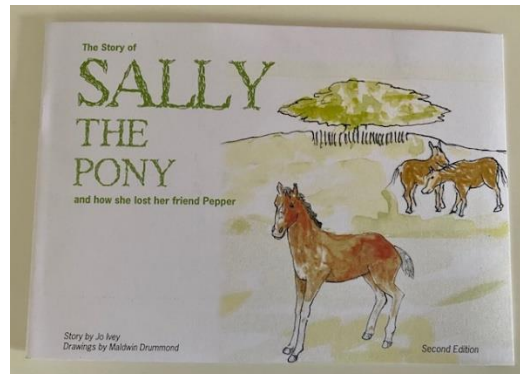


### Year 2 – Irvin Orman



**A huge well done!**

As part of our Autumn/Harvest theme we have given each child a gift from the New Forest Commoners' Defence Association. *The Story of Sally the Pony and how she lost her friend Pepper* tells a sad story of the effects that feeding the New Forest ponies have. Being so close to the New Forest we can all play a part in protecting its scenery, animals and wildlife for everyone to enjoy.



## Social Media

Many of us use social media these days as an easy form of communication, but you may not be aware that there are Facebook Groups for each class group which are managed by a current parent of the school. These are a private group for parents/carers/guardians to share questions, add reminders, organise party invites or just get to know each other better.

Here are the links to request to join the groups.

### Year R

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/452953475919806>

### Year 1

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/220967662564649>

### Year 2

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/344358399552004>