

EO Children's Pages

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Hi Guys,

I'm Alice Beardsmith your editor of this fabulous June edition of Education Otherwise Children's Pages.

This issue is themed on music as it's a big part of my life. I'm sure you'll find out soon enough anyway.

I am 13 years old and I live on a farm in the Cheshire countryside with all my wonderful animals and family. I have two fabulous ponies called Bess and Frostie.

I am also part of a family band with my dad and four brothers, we are called Beardsmith.

Well I hope you enjoy this issue as it's the first I've ever done.

Thank you

Alice Beardsmith xxx



Frostie



Bess



Famous Music People Born In June & July.

~ June ~

Prince 7th of June

Paul McCartney (singer in the Beatles) 18th of June

Lionel Richie 20th of June

~ July ~

50 Cent (the rapper) 6th of July

Roger Taylor (Drummer in Queen) 26th of July

Mick Jagger (Lead Singer of The Rolling Stones) 26th of July

As you can see there aren't many people that are in the music industry born in June or July and the ones that are, are listed above.



Music Festivals This Summer

**Glastonbury, 27th, 28th, & 29th of June. At Glastonbury.
More info go to www.glastonburyfestivals.co.uk**

**V- Festival 16th & 17th of August at both Clemsford and Stafford.
More info go to www.vfestival.com**

**O2 Wireless Festival 3rd, 4th, 5th, & 6th of July.
At London Hyde Park
More info go to www.o2wirelessfestival.co.uk**

**Indian Summer 14th & 15th of July.
More info go to www.bbc.co.uk/6music/events/indiansummer**

**I have edited this and, to the best of my knowledge, all the
information you'll need is on the websites provided.**

**Check out these sites as well for tickets to all your favourite
concerts.**

www.ticketmaster.co.uk

www.seatwave.co.uk



Kids Corner

WORDSEARCH

Words can only go down and across, words do not overlap or share letter.

s j w v y w n m
h d h o r s e k
e n q l p i g j
e g m z z b t t
p o f l n t l h
t a c o w q h e
z t v m f m z n
n f c c t k l z

cow goat hen
horse pig Sheep

Find the pair.

Find the words that go together.

Water
Wool
Paper
Grass
Socks

Horse
Pen
Fish
Shoes
Sheep



Pen - Pals

182-001

Hello! My name is Freya. I am 14 and have been home educated for two years. My hobbies include singing (mostly classical and folk), walking, cooking, art, reading and jazz dance. I love HARRY POTTER!!! I am looking for pen-pals between 10-16. Please write soon! Bye! X



182-002

Hi, I'm Jordan and I'm 10. I'm looking for pen friends of any age and I'm interested in playing video games, climbing trees, writing my own comics. I'm a scout and I have a passion for nature. I also play the piano and clarinet. I have a hamster named Elvis and lots of fish. My favourite films are James Bond and my favourite books are adventure and discovery stories. I really like Tintin books, and I am currently reading The Swiss Family Robinson which is great! I will write back to anyone who writes to me and I am just looking for friends.



182-003

Hello. My name is Danielle I am 14 years old. I have been home educated since January 2008 and love it. I love horse riding, being with friends, shopping, art, animals and loads more. I would like a penpal between the ages 12-15, boy or girl. I will write back to everybody. I have a sister who does home ed too. She is 11 and a brother who is 10 but goes to school. I have two ponies called Harvest and Squiggle, a dog called Tawna and a cat called Leo. I could also email you! I am looking forward to hearing from you.



182-004

My name is Rosy. I'm 11 years old. My hobbies are: singing, playing the piano, dancing, swimming, sailing and kayaking. My favourite artists are Avril Lavigne, Kylie Minogue and Boyzone. I have been home educated since last April and I love it. I have two ponies, one is retired and one I ride and also one cat and one dog. My sister does home education with me and I wish she didn't, but my brother goes to school. I must tell you I am a bit nuts! I would like a penpal of any gender about 9-13 years old. I will reply to all letters and emails. Thank you for listening. Best wishes to you all. Rosy.





182-005

Hi. My name is Shaquille. I'm 14 years old and would like to make pen pals between the ages of 13-15 years. I'm into computer games, Nintendo, Wii and DS Lite. I also read, go swimming and bowling and cinema and music. If you have similar interests, (boys or girls) contact me and I will write or email back. I've been home educated since 2007 and I'm learning so much more. Talk to you soon. Shaquille.



182-006

Hi. I'm Ato. I am 8 years old. I like drawing, reading and playing chess. I am looking for a penpal age 7 to 9 (boy). PS: I like lego.



182-007

Hi, my name's Coral. I've been home educated for about a year and a half now. I have two sisters and one brother. I like animals, art, the Ratatouille movie, swimming, Mc Fly-Coz obviously; pandas and I absolutely love cooking! I have 2 rats, a do, a stick insect, 2 goldfish and my sister has guinea pigs. I would like a pen pal any age, boy or girl.



182-008

Hiya. My name is Zara! I'm a 13 year old girl. I've been home ed for just over a year now and it's a lot better than normal school (but I don't have to tell you that). I'm into lots of different things including D&D, shopping, animals, rock climbing, Dr Who, drama, computers and all music but I'm into lots of other things as well. I've had lots of pets, and currently have 5 guinea pigs and a dog. I'm looking for a pen pal of any age or gender. So anyone who has anything in common with me please write and I will reply to ALL letters or emails. Write soon!



182-012

Hi! My name is Delyth. I'm a 13 year old girl and have been home educated since December. I love horses and horse riding and spend a lot of time at my local stables. I love animals generally. I spend most evenings on MSN chatting away like mad! I enjoy listening to music like The Feeling, McFly and just about anything else. My other interests are shopping and generally hanging out with all my mates and having a laugh. I'm looking for boys and girls aged 12-15ish. I'll reply to all emails and chat on MSN. Looking forward to chatting!





182-013

Hi, I'm Sam (a girl) and I am really sweet. I have Bebo and MSN! I love animals and I especially love horses. I have a pony called Poppy who is a 12.2hh liver chestnut mare who I have had since she was three and she is almost seven now! I'm getting a German Shepherd puppy in about one month and I used to have two kittens called Kulime and Gracie but we had to give them up when we decided to get a puppy. I would like a pen pal any age or gender. I will reply to all emails. Please write to me.



182-014

Hello. My name is Amber. I'm looking for a pen pal aged 10+, girl or boy. My interests are MSN, Bebo, going into town with friends, swimming and roller skating. Also I like playing on my Nintendo Wii. I have two pets, Coco the rabbit (aged 2) and my puppy, Alfie (aged 5 months). My favourite bands at the moment are Florida, H2O, Basshunter, Soulja boy. I will reply to all letters and emails.



182-015

Hello. My name is Elisha. I am 12 years old. I love riding my horse. I have lots of animals like cats, a dog, chickens and a pony called Charlie who is very cheeky. I have been home schooled for a month now and I really enjoy it. I would love to get to know some more people aged 12 plus. Love to hear from you soon.



182-016

Hi. My name is Cameron and I'm 13 year's old. I have been home educated for one and a half years now and I would really like a pen pal between 12 and 15. I like playing golf and football and also like playing on my Xbox 360. My favourite TV shows are Dr Who, Top Gear, CSI and Eastenders. I support Chelsea football club. My favourite music is Hip-Hop and R&B. I have MSN and hope to hear from anyone.



182-017

Hi My name is Joshua and I am 10 years old. I like playing football, swimming, playing on my x-box 360 and anything to do with WW2. I am looking for a penpal any gender between 8 and 12. Thanks





182-018

Hi. I'm Rose. I'm 6 years old. I'm looking for pen pals aged 5-8. My favourite computer game is Star Wars Lego. I like singing and dancing. I like High School Musical. My favourite pop star is Hannah Montana.



182-019

Hi. My name is Sophie. I am 14 years old. I would like a penpal aged between 13-15, boy or girl. I like music such a My Chemical Romance, Panic at the Disco, McFly and Elliot Minor. I love rugby and football. I have MSN. I will reply to anyone who writes.



182-020

Hi! My name is Eli and I'm just 15 years old. I love to draw and make animations. I also like to play with my dog and my sister and I love reading. I would like a pen pal between 12-15 years old, boy or girl. Hope to hear from you soon!



182-021

Hi. My name is Brendan. I started home tutoring in November 2007. My interests are Dr Who, wrestling, computers, reading, writing, stories, swimming and dancing. I would like pen pals 12+ please. Hope to hear from you soon.



182-022

Hi. My name is Chezley and I am 13 year's old. I have been home educated for about one year now. I love dancing and cooking. I have lots of pets: two guinea pigs, one gerbil, two snails, six stick insects, one snake, a dog and a cat. I also love going on my MSN too. So I would love to have pen pals aged 12-15. Bye.



182-024

Hi, my name is Leila and I am 13 years old. I've been home educated since September 2007 after returning from France where I had lived for 4½ years. My hobbies are reading, drawing animals, drawing Manga, cooking and writing stories. I love most animals ESPECIALLY cats. I'd like pen pals around my age or younger with the same interests as me. Ciao.





182-025

Hello. My name is Sukayna and I am looking for a boy or girl pen pal aged 12-14. I love DANCING, reading, baking, sewing and MORE DANCING. My favourite books are Jane Austen, Artemis Fowl, Harry Potter, REDwall and St Clares. My favourite television shows are Dr Who, Strictly Come Dancing, Dancing on Ice, MasterChef and old comedies like Jeeves and Wooster or Fawly Towers. I am an Edwardian Throwback (old fashioned) and completely loopy but saner than most at the same time.



182-026

Hi. My name is James and I am 14 and I have been home educated since September 2007. I would like pen pals of a similar age. I like cooking, trampolining, reading, walking the dog, listening to music and watching Dr Who, but I also like to watch reality programmes. I have MSN and Bebo should you like to chat with me. Hope to hear from you very soon.



182-027

Hello! My name is Megan. I'm 9 years old and in one month, on 13 May, it will be my birthday and I'm excited. I'm all excited because I wished I would get Mokemon Mystery Dungeon 2 Explorers of Time. Oh no, I'm not Japanese, this one is American. I'm English. I'm already making my birthday list, so I have to think about some toys that I want for my birthday. Anyway, I was looking for friends whol like Pokemon. Even girls can play Pokemon! :-)



182-028

Hi. My name is George. I'm 14 years old and have just started education otherwise. I love all sports, especially skiing, snowboarding, skateboarding and rugby. I also like music, drama and going to see my mates. I like Linken Park and R.n.B. I like going abroad with my family and recently went skiing to Austria. I would like a pen pal, either boy or girl, aged 13 to 15. I will reply to anyone who writes.





182-029

Hello! My name is Charlotte and I am 9 years old. My favourite programmes are 'Ugly Betty', 'Spongebob', 'Bratz' and 'Time Warp Trio'. My hobbies are watching 'Ugly Betty', emailing, cooking, reading and I like glow in the dark stuff. My favourite colour is yellow and glow in the dark green. I don't mind what age you are or if you're a boy or a girl. I will reply to any letter or perhaps you'd like to email. Bye for now.



182-030

Hi, I'm Sasha (I'm a girl in case you were wondering). I lurve acting, singling, writing and I read loads. I have a wild imagination and quite a wild dress sense. I like most music. I would like a pen pal aged 17-15, girl or boy. I'm quite crazy. Actually, some people would say that is an understatement, but so what! Please write to me. I will reply to all. Thanks. Sasha.



182-031

Hello. My name is Dana and I'm 6. I'd like a pen pal to write to and send pictures to (my parents will help me write). I like to draw, climbing trees and riding my bike, and playing in ball parks with friends.



182-032

Hi. My name is Amber. I am 7, nearly 8 on June 13th. I like cats and hamsters. I like swimming and going to the park. My best book is Sam Sheep Can't Sleep because I can read that on my own. Anyone can write to me and I will always write back because I love getting letters.



182-033

Hello. My name is Sian. I am 15 years old. I have just moved to Somerset 6 week's ago. I like drawing and going swimming. I like reading Jacqueline Wilson books. I have three cats, Bem-Bem, Tigger and Ronnie, 2 gerbils, Harry and Simon and one hamster Patrick. I have a sister Amber who is 7 and a brother Alexs who's 11. I will write to anyone who writes to me.



While the Children's Pages editor and NL co-ordinator take care to verify that all pet/pen-pal correspondents are EO members, it is up to parents to inform themselves of what and to whom their children reply. Children are reminded that they should consider the feelings of others when writing or responding to letters.

Pet-pals must also include: full name and address of owner/carer (not just the pet) must be given

Dear Children's Pages,

My name is _____ could you please:

- Send me the details for pal numbers: 183- _____

- Put my attached advert for a pal in the next issue.

Membership No: _____

Today's Date: ____/____/2008

Address: _____

Postcode _____

Parent / Guardians Signature _____

Please post this slip to:

Children's Pages,
PO Box 325
Kings Lynn
PE34 3XW

Your child's home and or e mail address will NOT be printed in any future issues. Each pal will have a reference number for members to respond to via the Children's Pages Co-ordinator.

YOUR child's safety is OUR Priority!

Pet – Pals

182-009

Hey. I'm Fudge! Even though my owner is writing this for me as I tell her what to write but I always write my name! I'm a Guinea Pig, King of the Guinea Pigs! I live in a BIG hutch for a castle with my girlfriend Pip and her daughter Cappy. I'm black with long fur so as you expect when people come to pick me up, I have the perfect camouflage. I have a ripped ear from a fight with another bad boy guinea pig Tutu, but that's ok because chicks dig scars. I'm happy to have any penpal from a mouse to a duck to a horse, and if it's a girl that's extra good! Write soon. Fudge

182-010

Hi. My name is Stormie. I'm a one year old white German Shepherd. I love tummy rubs so much I'm gonna pop if I don't get one soon! I like sleeping and eating so when I'm not eating I'm sleeping and I hate it how everyone treats me like some sort of animal. I's get off the couch if some puny human wants to sit on it. I have feelings you know. I have my family well trained to feed me, clean me, play with me, rub my tummy, scratch my ears, throw the ball and get the post for me. Although I rather enjoy it, any animal can write, even an icky cat.

182-011

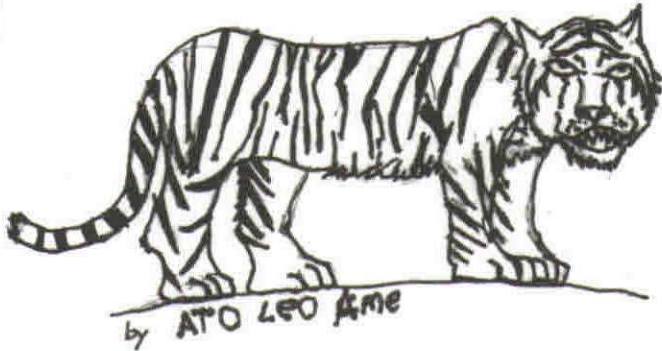
Hi. I'm Mercury and I'm Pluto. I'm a rat and I'm a rat. We live in a huge house with a little girl who loves us so much. *She likes me more, no she likes me more, no she likes me more.* Fine, she loves us both. Like I said, we live in a huge house with lots of food and toys we love are tails, our food bowls, and pasta. Lots and lots of pasta. We don't mind who sends us an email or letter as long as it's NOT a cat or an elephant *why not an elephant*, because they're big and they can squish us to mush. So bye

182-023

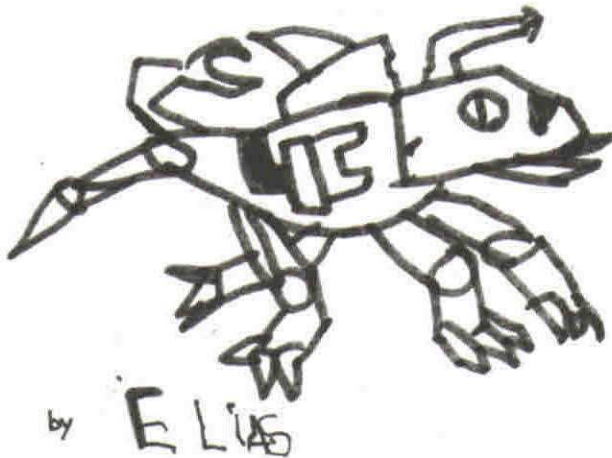
Hello everyone. I'm Sniffles (the hamster). I'm not yet one but would love a pet pal. I'm brown and white with ginger on my face. I don't mind what animal you are as long as you don't eat me! Please write to me, I will reply every time. Bye.



Your Drawings



This fabulous picture as you can see was drawn by Ato Ame aged 8.



This brilliant picture Entitled Elias was drawn by Elias Ame Aged 5.

Beardsmith The Band

As I said earlier music is an important part of my life. I am one part of the family band Beardsmith. The other members are Dad, Neil & brothers Graham, Gary, Ged & Gil. My three older brothers were home educated as are Gil and myself.

The band was originally formed for a St. Georges day parade & for our local scout troop which my brothers belonged to and it just carried on from there.

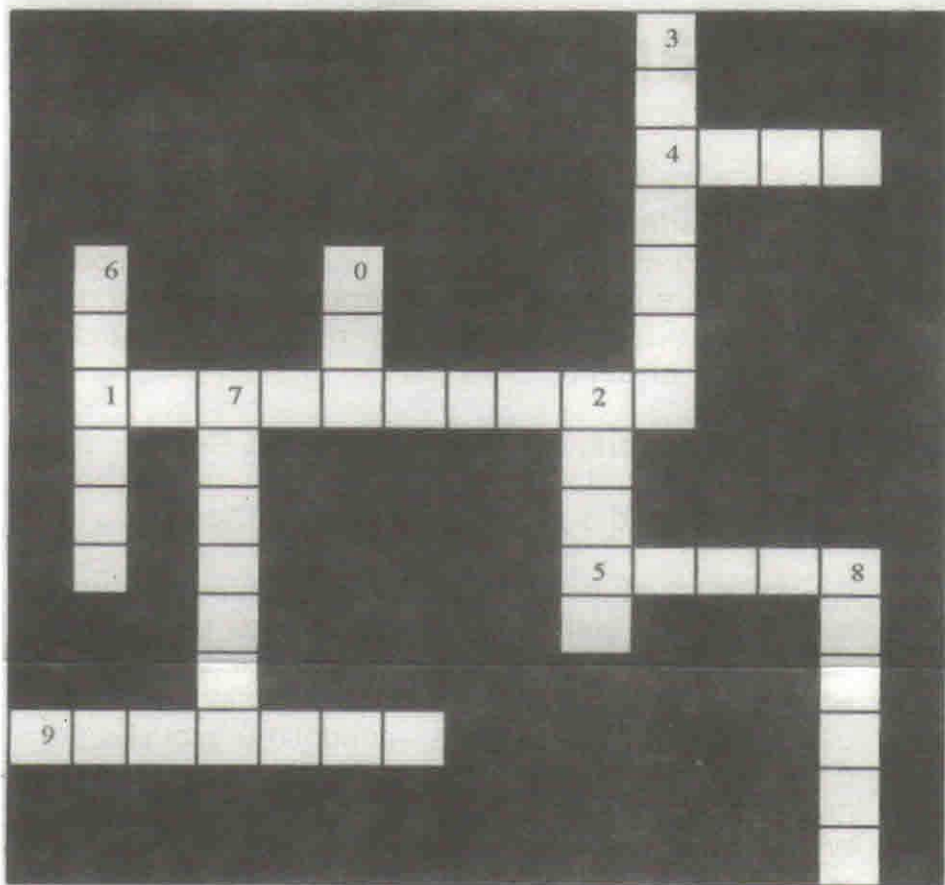
We are a multi instrumental, vocal harmony group. My dad plays bass guitar, keyboards, drums, violin and banjo. Graham plays keyboards, guitar and harmonica, Gary plays lead guitar and banjo, Ged plays Drums & bass guitar, Gil plays drums, mandolin & acoustic guitar, and I play keyboards and Violin.

We all sing. We play a mixture of covers and our own material.

We have also just released our first album BS 1 .

Thank You

**The Beardsmith
band**



This Crossword was sent in by Edward Bowden Thanks Edward

- 0 One engine and four wheels
- 1 Racing cars round a circuit
- 2 The public places to drive
- 3 A place that cars race
- 4 A competition between cars
- 5 What do you do in a car
- 6 ... 24 hour race
- 7 A TV show about cars
- 8 What powers the cars?
- 9 Not driving on a road