



# High March School Bulletin

Week 2 1.5.15

## From Mrs Clifford:

A group of very excited Year 6 girls set off just before 7am on Wednesday morning to travel to Château d'Eblinghem for their annual French trip. After a short drive from Calais the girls arrived at the Village Saint Joseph, an old style French village re-created in the style of the turn of the twentieth century. Other visits have included a chocolate factory, a snail farm and the Bunker d'Eperlecques, a World War II monument. For further details of the girls' trip, please do visit the News section on the home page of our website, [www.highmarch.co.uk](http://www.highmarch.co.uk).

Many congratulations to the following girls who have received a Headmistress' Award this week:

Katlin in 1BM  
Annabel in 2GW

## **Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:**

NC	Audrey
NCR	Charlotte
NWR	Frederica
RH	Olivia
RT	Madeleine
1BM	Lily
1CM	Poppy
2C	Isabella
2GW	Vaiga

## **Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:**

3G	Mia
3S	Alice
4C	Evie
4J	Ella
5BH	Cecilia
5GB	Emily
6K	
6Q	

## House Points

Daffodil	237
Rose	296
Shamrock	262
Thistle	283

## Diary Dates for week commencing Monday 4 May

**Monday 4 May**                      **BANK HOLIDAY – School Closed**

**Tuesday 5 May**

13:45                      Year 5 Maths Challenge at Davenies School  
16:00                      Key Stage One Staff Meeting  
16:30                      Years 4, 5 and 6 'A' Squad Division 10 Final at St Helen's School,  
Northwood

**Wednesday 6 May**

08:40                      Visiting Speaker in Upper School Prayers, Mrs Kate Martin from The  
Brookwood Partnership  
09:30                      Governors' Education Committee Meeting  
16:00-17:00              Year 3 Netball Training

**Thursday 7 May**

11:00                      Year 1 to visit St Michael and All Angels Church, Beaconsfield  
11:30                      Year 4 Singing Shield  
13:00                      Spanish Club begins for Years 5 and 6  
16:00                      Languages Faculty Staff Meeting

**Friday 8 May**

08:45                      Rose House Prayers and Charity Fundraising Day  
09:30                      NWR trip to the Forest School  
13:00                      RT trip to the Forest School

**Saturday 9 May**

Years 5 and 6 IAPS Swimming Championships at the K2, Crawley

## Sporting Notices



### Netball Fixtures

Wednesday 6 May: Year 3 Netball Training

### Swimming Report by Mrs Baxter

Last Saturday four Year 6 girls travelled to Guildford to compete in the South East division of the ESSA Team Relay Championships having qualified as winners in an earlier County round. Having qualified in both the freestyle and medley relays, the team entered this round ranked in 8<sup>th</sup> place overall. This time they achieved 3<sup>rd</sup> position in the medley and 4<sup>th</sup> in the freestyle, with a personal best in each race. With their success in the medley the team will now go forward to the National Finals to be held in Sheffield in June. Many congratulations to Isabelle, Aimee, Georgina and Charli on an outstanding achievement.

## Notices

### **Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers**

Only one more week to collect the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers as the offer closes on Tuesday 5 May. The School uses the vouchers to purchase playtime equipment for the girls. Please bring your vouchers to the School Office or put in the collection box in Upper School, by the front door.

Thank you for your continued support with this popular scheme.

Mrs McKee

### **Small Ads Reminder**

The next edition of the High March **Small Ads** will be published at half term.

Have you got items which you wish to sell, or would like to buy? The **Small Ads** features items for sale, items wanted, situations vacant, businesses owned by High March parents, holiday home rentals etc.

This free leaflet is distributed to all High March families and there is no charge for this service. However, we are able only to include adverts for people who are directly associated with the school, i.e. current parents and staff.

Any advert should be worded ready for printing, and in the format of those in previous *Small Ads* editions; we cannot print logos, photographs, or customised layouts/fonts. The leaflet will be black and white. If you are new to the school and wish to see the layout of a previous edition, please contact the office and they will send you one.

All adverts should be sent to me at the email address below by 9am on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2014 at the latest.

*Please note - If you had a business advertisement in the last edition of the Small Ads this will be left in the next edition unless you notify me that you wish it to be removed.*

## **Notices**

### **Request for Materials for the Art Exhibition**

Upper School is in need of old, but clean, duvets or pillows with a polyester filling to use as stuffing for cushions to display at the Art Exhibition. If you have any of the above that you are able to donate, please take them directly to Mrs Crawley-Boevey at Upper School. Thank you.

### **May Half Term Intensive Swimming Course 26 – 29 May**

There are a limited number of Nursery places available at 9:30am on the May Half Term Course and a waiting list for the 10:30am lessons. Please remember to confirm your child's place on the Intensive Swimming Course by making payment **by Friday 17 May**. The waiting list for this course is growing! Payment can be made by cheque payable to High March School or by bank transfer to sort code 30-96-54, account number 00129547. Please use the reference 'swimming'.

### **Save the Dates**

Walk to School Week is week commencing 18 May.

Bike to School Week is week commencing 15 June.

The School Travel Team assisted by the JRSOs will be offering the ever popular breakfast snacks for those taking part in these events. Further details will follow nearer the time.

### **Footsteps Road Safety Training for Years 1 and 2**

Year 1 and 2 Parents will receive a ParentMail asking them to return a Consent Form to the School Office by 22 May if they wish to sign their child up for training.

### **High March Ball Committee**

If you or your business would like to advertise in the High March Ball programme, or can offer a raffle or silent auction prize to help raise funds for our deserving children's charities and a small piece of playground equipment for the Junior House Summer Landscaping project, please e-mail [office@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:office@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk) /[rachelcunliffe@btinternet.com](mailto:rachelcunliffe@btinternet.com) or speak to a member of the Ball Committee.

Applications for tickets (just a small number remaining) will close at half term.

### **Road Safety Reminder**

Please may we remind you to be considerate to other road users, cyclists and pedestrians when dropping your child at School.

Upper School Parents: please do not block any of the driveways of our neighbours, in particular the Beaconsfield Dental Surgery, and please do not park against the flow of traffic.

Junior House Parents: In Sandelswood End, please park on one side of the road only and clear of neighbours' driveways.