



High March School Bulletin

Week 14 4.12.09

From Mrs Clifford:

It was lovely to see so many High March pupils and their families at the Christmas Fayre last Saturday. I am delighted to announce that we raised a record breaking total of over £7000! A few expenses are still coming in, but I anticipate being able to provide further detail regarding the total in the end of term newsletter.

My thanks go to all the parents, staff and pupils who worked so hard to make this year's Fayre such a success. I would like to take this opportunity, however, to give particular thanks to my PA and School Secretary, Mrs Jan Donlon, who has patiently co-ordinated all of the arrangements for the Fayre. I know that many parents have appreciated her support, knowledge and unfailing good humour!

All parents will have received an invitation to join me for tea/coffee and a mince pie in the Upper School Hall next Thursday, December 10th at 9:30am when any feedback that you have regarding this year's Fayre will be gratefully received.

Other Notices:

Festival of Lights

Our Year 6 girls will be participating in the Parade at the Beaconsfield Festival of Lights next Wednesday, December 9th. The Festival of Lights is a Christmas shopping evening in Beaconsfield and it takes place in the new town. As well as the shops being open, there are many stalls which raise money for charity. Mr Tony Woodward, father of Gabrielle, our Games Captain last year, has asked me to invite everyone to visit the tombola in aid of Diabetes UK which will be set up outside Lakes Shop.

Thank you, Mrs Clifford

Oxygen Salon and Spa Orders

An Aveda brochure and order form, courtesy of Oxygen Salon and Spa, has been sent home with your daughter today. Please browse through the brochure and complete the order form should you wish to make a purchase. Order forms can be given to the School Office or given to Oxygen directly. For every purchase you make, High March School will receive up to 5% cash back. When placing your order at Oxygen, please be sure to inform the staff you are a High March parent in order to ensure the cash back amount is attributed to our school.

Thank you,

The High March Social Group

Abel and Cole Fruit and Vegetable Orders

Abel and Cole will be starting their deliveries on Tuesday, 12th January. A new order form will be sent out by Schoolcomms today. If you would like to place an order, please return the form, along with a cheque, to the School Office, by Thursday, 7th January.

Thank you very much for your support,
Mrs Halford.

Other Notices:

"The Big Splash": A date for your diaries

"The Big Splash": the Official Opening of the High March Swimming Pool, will take place on Friday, 7th May, 2010. Details will follow next term, but we are delighted to announce that one of our Guests of Honour will be former Olympic swimmer, Adrian Moorhouse.

Do remember that if you have sponsored a brick for the pool walkway, you are eligible to enter the "Name the Walkway" competition. The winner will receive £100, will be eligible to take a solo dip in the pool, and will have their photo taken with Adrian Moorhouse and our other VIP guests.

Entry forms will be available to download from the intranet or available from (and should be returned to) sdunster@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk. We are indebted to all who have supported the host of fundraising initiatives to enable us to build the pool. In all almost £80,000 was raised through a combination of social events, brick sponsorship, sponsored events for the children and voluntary donations. Particular thanks go to the Fundraising Committee, the Ball Committee and the Social Group.

Moulin Rouge Funds

We are delighted to report that the Ball Committee 2009, under the chairmanship of Mrs Gabby Harman, have allocated the funds raised at the "Moulin Rouge" Ball as follows:

- Swimming Pool: £11,000
- Helen and Douglas House : £2,000
- NSPCC : £510

Thistle Mufti Day

Congratulations to Thistle House for another successful charity day. A fantastic total of £336.79 was raised. All proceeds will go to Diabetes UK. Well done girls!

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3H Sasha Hancox
3R Octavia Smith
4J Rachel Stevens
4M Sara Lones
5C Jade Patel
5K Francesca Healy
6C Zoe Knoester
6A Jenna Wyllie

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NCR Ella Crawshaw
NWR Ella Teasdale
RH Phoebe Kay
RI Celeste Dadd
1M Lily Almeyda
1T Pasha Allam
2C Sophie Sanders
2GW Isabella Okhuijsen

House Points:

Thistle	877
Rose	854
Shamrock	829
Daffodil	809

SPORTS NEWS



Notices about future sporting events

Netball:

Tuesday, 8th December

Year 5 Training - All

Thursday, 10th December

Year 6 Training - All

Netball Notices:

Please note that there is a revised Netball Fixture List for all years for the Spring Term. The new version can be found on the Intranet and a hard copy will be sent home at the beginning of next term.

Thank you, Miss Bettis

Next Week's Diary Dates:

Monday

11:00 Dress Rehearsal for the Nativity Play for Years 1 and 2

14:30 Dress Rehearsal for the Nativity Play for the Reception Classes

16:00 School Management Team Meeting

Tuesday

8:30 – 11:30 Carol Service rehearsal at St. Mary and All Saints Church, Beaconsfield for Years 3 to 6 (Years 3 to 6 parents please drop your children at the Church at 8:30am)

Wednesday

11:00 Nativity Play for Years 1 and 2 in aid of the NSPCC (Parents of Forms 1M and 2GW)

14:30 Nativity Play for the Reception Classes in aid of the NSPCC

Judo Ends

Evening: Beaconsfield Festival of Lights

Thursday

09:30 Tea/Coffee Morning for Christmas Fayre debrief all Parents welcome

11:00 Nativity Play for Years 1 and 2 in aid of the NSPCC (Parents and of forms 1T and 2C)

Afternoon - 6C Carol Singing at the Curzon Centre

LAST AFTER SCHOOL SWIMMING, CLUBS AND SUPERVISED PREP OF THE TERM. ONLY AFTER SCHOOL CARE WILL CONTINUE UNTIL WEDNESDAY, 16TH DECEMBER

Friday

12:00 Christmas Lunch for Junior House and Upper School

18:45 Carol Service at St. Mary and All Saints Church, Beaconsfield for Years 3 to 6

Saturday

Afternoon: Final of the Eden Centre Choir Competition