



High March School Bulletin

Week 10 6.11.15

From Mrs Clifford:

As I write the girls in Upper School are very much looking forward to the discos after school run by our Social Group. There is great excitement about what they will wear and how their hair will be styled! The girls in Years 5 and 6 are also looking forward to welcoming the boys from Davenies.

The Head Girls have been busy selling poppies for the Royal British Legion this week and Junior House children have also purchased them from the School Office. We shall have a Remembrance Prayers next Wednesday and the Year 6 girls have been invited to represent High March at a special service of remembrance at the war memorial in the Old Town.

Charity fundraising will remain a focus towards the end of next week as the Head Girls will be running a muffin day and colouring competitions for the BBC's Children in Need. A poster has been sent home under separate cover, but I do hope that many families will support this worthwhile cause.

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NC Karman
NCR Laura
NWR Christopher
RD Malaika
RT Jasmine
1D Constance
1M Lucie
2HN Annabel
2GW Nicole

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3G Sienna
3O Jessica
4C Daisy
4M Farah
5BH Danusia
5F Agatha
6F Daisy
6K Scarlett

House Points

Daffodil 376
Rose 383
Shamrock 371
Thistle 334

Diary Dates for week commencing Monday 9 November

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| Mon 9 Nov | 08:45 – 09:00 | Form 5F Assembly |
| | 16:00 – 17:00 | Year 6 (B and C Teams) Netball (a) v Pipers Corner |
| | 18:00 – 21:-00 | Year 4 and 6 Parents' Evening in Upper School Form 4C surnames B to Ho Form 6F surnames A to K |
| | 16:00 – 17:30 | Form 4M surnames A to Hi Form 6K surnames B to G NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS OR SUPERVISED PREP IN UPPER SCHOOL |
| Tues 10 Nov | 18:00 – 21:00 | Junior House Parents' Evening |
| | 16:00 – 16:45 | NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS IN JUNIOR HOUSE, AFTER SCHOOL CARE WILL STILL TAKE PLACE |
| Wed 11 Nov | 08:45 – 09:15 | Remembrance Day Assembly for Upper School Pupils |
| | 10:50 | Year 6 to St. Mary's and All Saints Church, Beaconsfield |
| | 13:15 – 17:00 | Year 5 (A Team) Netball Tournament (a) v St. Hugh's |
| | 16:00 – 17:30 | ONLY JUDO WILL TAKE PLACE |
| | 18:00 – 21:00 | Year 6 and 6 Parents' Evening in Upper School Form 4C surnames Hu to T Form 6F surnames L to Y |
| | 16:00 – 17:30 | Form 4M surnames Ho to W Form 6K surnames H to W NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS, SWIMMING OR SUPERVISED PREP IN UPPER SCHOOL |
| Thurs 12 Nov | | |
| Fri 13 Nov | All Day | Junior House and Upper School Muffi Day in aid of Children in Need |
| | 08:15 – 09:15 | Nearly New Uniform Sale, 2 nd floor Carngray |
| | And 15:00 – 16:00 | |
| Sat 14 Nov | 14:00 – 16:00 | Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Autumn Craft Party to be held in Junior House Hall |
| Sun 15 Nov | | |

Sporting Notices



Notices for next week

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| Mon 9 Nov | NO YEAR 6 NETBALL TRAINING Year 6 (A and B) v Pipers Corner |
| Tues 10 Nov | Year 5 Netball Training |
| Wed 11 Nov | NO AQUATIC SKILLS OR SWIM SQUADS |
| Thurs 12 Nov | Swimming squads as normal |

Notices

Christmas Holiday Intensive Swimming Course

We shall again be running an Intensive Swimming Course during the Christmas holidays from Monday 14 to Wednesday 16 December. Lessons are at 9:30am and 10:30am. On Thursday 17 December we are offering half hour 1:1 lessons between 9.00am and 12:00pm. Further details will follow shortly but if you would like to register your interest please email swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk.

Extra-curricular Swimming

We shall be emailing the extra-curricular swimming renewal letter out in the next week or so. However if you know that your child does not wish to continue the lessons next term please email swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk. If you do not opt out, your child's place will be automatically renewed.

Walk to School Week Monday 19 – Wednesday 21 October

Well done to all those who took part in Walk to School Week before half term and thank you to the Year 6 JRSOs Carling and Daisy and Year 2 JRSOs Clemmie and Eloise who helped to serve the breakfast snacks. In Junior House 1D had the highest average percentage with 73% of girls taking part and 90% of the class walking, cycling or scooting on Tuesday. At Upper School 6K had the highest average percentage at 68% for the week with 84% of the girls not travelling by car on Monday. Keep up the good work, everyone.

Parents' Parking Promise

The JRSOs have been working on a parking promise which parents or guardians can sign to 'promise' that they will drive and park carefully and considerately around the school. This will be available for parents to sign up to at the JRSO stall at the Christmas Fayre.

Social Group Notices

Fireworks

Please note that the Holtspur Family Fireworks Night this Sunday is completely sold out and that NO tickets will now be sold on the gate.

Autumn Craft Party

Please note the tickets for the Autumn Craft Party have all sold out.

Christmas Brunch

There are only a handful of tickets left for the Christmas Brunch on 4th December. Please be quick next week to avoid disappointment.

Notices continued

Christmas Fayre

Raffle Tickets

Please check your child's bag tonight as raffle tickets have been sent home today. Funds from the raffle go towards the NSPCC and school funds.

Grab a Bag

We are still in need of more 'Grab a Bags.' Please can you fill your bags and return them to the School Office.

Bottle Stall

We would be grateful to receive any donations of bottles for the Year 4 Cake and Bottle Stall. Any kind of bottles are acceptable, for example include jams, preserves, squash, alcohol and bubble bath. Further information regarding cakes will be in next week's Bulletin.

Hair, Nails and Tattoos

Please could you donate any hair ties or slides, nail varnish or nail decorations and tattoos, if possible with a Christmas theme.

Chocolate and Sweet Stall

All donations of chocolates and sweets for the Chocolate Tombola and the Sweet Stall at the Christmas Fayre would be greatly appreciated. Maybe you have cupboards full of sweets you're keen to off load after Halloween? Whatever you can donate we will be hugely grateful.

Guidance for donations of chocolates and sweets:

- A box or tin of Roses/Quality Street/Celebrations, Thornton's Chocolate Snowman, giant Toblerones etc. for the 'big prizes.'
- Multi-packs of chocolate bars such as Twix, KitKat, Twist, Caramel etc., and mini chocolate items. These are to make up into mixed bags for the smaller prizes on the Chocolate Tombola.
- Multi-packs of sweets, such as all the various Haribo delights and any other wrapped sweets or packets of sweets that we can make up into attractive bags for people to buy from the Sweet Stall for stocking fillers.

We're looking at creating 200 prizes, so don't resist the urge to buy loads. It's such fun loading your trolley with chocolates, all low calorie as you're not going to eat them...

We're looking to get in all donations in by **Friday 13th November** to give us a couple of weeks for packing up all the items and attaching raffle tickets etc.

All donations can be given into the School Office at Junior House or left with Mrs Stevenson at Upper School (third door on the left hand side as you go in the front door of Upper School).

Thanking you in advance for your choc-tastic help and generosity.