



# High March School Bulletin

Week 11 12.3.10

## From Mrs Clifford:

It was a pleasure to welcome visitors to our Open Morning today. Well done to all of our Year 6 pupils who were excellent tour guides and it was very pleasing to receive so many positive comments from our visitors at the end of the morning.

A representative from each of the year groups at Upper School went to St Mary's School in Gerrards Cross yesterday to participate in their annual French verse-speaking festival. Lizzie Baldwin (Year 3) recited 'Bonhomme de Neige' and came first in her age group against strong contenders from nine other local schools. Sophie-Claire Corrigan represented High March in the 'native speaker' category, as her mother is French, and recited 'Chanson pour les enfants de l'hiver'. Sophie-Claire performed excellently against a strong field and won second prize in her category. Many congratulations to both Lizzie and Sophie-Claire.

Year 4 was represented by Sara Lones who recited 'Mon Petit Chat', Year 5 by Amy Wonnacott who recited 'La Girafe' and Year 6 by Katie Burling who recited 'Le Petit Soldat'. All the girls performed extremely well and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

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

- 3H Jessica Lockwell
- 3R Heather McAlister
- 4M Clemmie Oliver
- 4J Selina St John
- 5C Victoria Greenough
- 5K Louise Morgan
- 6C Elanor Vickers-Claesens
- 6A Sophie-Claire Corrigan

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

- NCR Dane Padgett
- NWR Mary Winfield
- RH Eloise Baker
- RI Violet Baker
- 1M Rachel Avetoom
- 1T Grace Wilkinson
- 2C Amelia-Rose Akhtar
- 2GW Charlotte Davies

## House Points:

Thistle	498
Daffodil	497
Rose	482
Shamrock	466

## SPORTS NEWS



### Notices about future sporting events

#### Netball Notices:

##### **Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> March**

16:00 Years 4 and 5 Netball Training

##### **Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> March**

16:00 Year 3 (A, B and C) Netball (h) v Highfield School

##### **Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> March**

12:30 U10 (A and B) Netball Tournament at Kingsmead

#### Netball Results:

##### **Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 5 A and B vs St Marys

A team – 8 – 1 won

B team – 4 – 0 won

##### **Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 3 A, B and C vs Chesham Prep

A team – 1-1 drew

B team – 1 – 5 lost

C team – 4 – 0 won

#### Please note the following error in your Blue Diaries:

On **Wednesday, 24<sup>th</sup> March the Berkhamsted Netball Tournament** is for the **Year 3 A team** and the **Year 4 A and B teams, not the Year 5** as stated in the Blue Diary.

#### **Missing Netball Skirts**

The PE Department seems to be missing several netball skirts. Please could the girls have a look around at home and return them to Miss Bettis if they are found. Thank you.

#### Swimming notices:

##### **Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> March**

15:45 Panagraphic League Swimming Gala at St Helen's School, Northwood

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#### **February half-term intensive course swimmers**

Mr Bruce reports that the DVD of each swimmer, filmed on the last day of the course, should be available for collection from the School Office by the last week of term.

**This week's diary dates:**

**Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> March**

16:00 Year 6 Drama Club will go ahead and will finish at 17:30

**Tuesday, 16<sup>th</sup> March**

Morning: Dress Rehearsal for Year 6 Production of "Annie"

14:00 Year 6 Performance of "Annie" to Years 2 to 5

**Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> March**

**Ballet/Tap ends**

**Judo ends**

**Years 3 and 4 Gym Club cancelled**

17:00 Year 6 Performance of "Annie"

19:00 Year 6 Performance of "Annie"

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**Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> March**

All Day: Shamrock House Prayers and Charity Fundraising Day

**17:30 FINAL AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS AND SUPERVISED PREP AT UPPER SCHOOL AND JUNIOR HOUSE**

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> March**

Year 6 Ski Trip departs

13:00 – 14:00 Social Group Easter Bunny Party for Nursery and Reception

14:30 – 16:00 Social Group Easter Bunny Party for Years 1 and 2

**Other Notices:**

**Junior House Shoe Shining!**

Well done to all the girls in Junior House who cleaned their shoes this week and won a 'High March School, Shiny Shoes Award!' Keep up the fantastic work!

**NSPCC Easter Competition**

Girls in Junior House have been given an Entry Form for the Easter Competition in aid of the NSPCC. Girls are invited to decorate the egg and return the entry along with £1 to Mrs Honiball by Friday, 19 March. There will be one prize for each class and entries will be displayed in the corridor leading to the hall.

**Gate Security**

Parents are reminded to please come into the car park at Junior House through the 'in' gate only. Please do not use the 'out' gate when walking into school. Also, if when leaving school, you find that the blue gate or the wooden gate is closed, please be sure to close them as you leave, so that the site remains secure.

**St Michael's Mothers' Day Service**

This is a fun and happy service for all the family. Children will be invited to collect a posy for their mothers during the service. We look forward to welcoming you on the 14<sup>th</sup> March at 10 am.

From, St Michael's Church