

High March Bulletin

Friday 12th June 2009

The House Points

Thistles 212

Shamrocks 199

Daffodils 195

Roses 177

From Mrs Clifford

The bulletin is slightly late this week as I have been out for the day with Year 2. We have had a most enjoyable day visiting the Royal Horticultural Society's Gardens at Wisley. The girls learnt how to take and plant a cutting and they had to pretend to be plant explorers when they visited the hothouses. This involved learning about particular plants and examining them closely using a magnifying glass. In the afternoon, the girls undertook a scavenger hunt which enabled them to look around the gardens and learn about the many plants and vegetables grown at Wisley. As usual, the girls were a credit to High March and it was a pleasure to go out with them.

Star of the Week

I am delighted to congratulate the following children who have been made the Star of the Week for their form:

NK	India Fahey	NN	Annabelle Buss
RH	Georgia Khouri	RI	Amelia Rae
1GK	Georgia Williams	1M	Sophie Sanders
2C	Amaal Hasen	2GW	Kavitha Staffurth
3H	Rachel Stevens	3J	Amy Hine
4A	Maddy Speed	4B	Chloe Imlah
	Isabel Windsor		Josie Marsden
			Annabel Smith
5C	Katie Bowen	5K	Imogen Deighton
			Jenna Wyllie
6C	Kate FallowField	6F	Annabel Streete
			Charlotte Way

Mathematics Club

There will be Mathematics Club next week Wednesday, 17th June, both at lunchtime and in the evening,

From Mr Felt

Summer Ball 2009

Ball Table Heads are politely reminded that their completed wine pre-order forms should be e-mailed to lawleys@tinyworld.co.uk or returned to the School Office by Monday, 15th June. Payment (cheques payable to Ambassador Catering (Henley) Co Ltd) should be returned by Monday, 15th June, to the School Office.

Thank you to all parents who have generously donated silent auction or raffle prizes. We have some fabulous prizes for our Ball guests.

From Mrs Harman and the Ball Committee

Named Bricks for Swimming Pool walkway

A final order for named bricks for the walkway to the new swimming pool will be placed at the end of July. The cut-off date for ordering a named brick in your child's or your family's name is Friday, 10th July. Forms are available from Mrs Dunster or the School Office.

From Mrs Kathryn Johnstone

Pavement Disruption outside Junior House

We apologise for any inconvenience to parents as a result of unscheduled roadworks in Ledborough Lane last week. We had previously been assured by the water utilities and their contractors that it would only be necessary to dig up the pavement and not the road. We are hopeful that the traffic lights will be removed and the roadworks completed early next week. Thank you for your understanding

From R Durnell & Sons Limited, the swimming pool contractors

Alumni Lunch

The Alumni lunch for former High March pupils will be held at Junior House on Sunday, 5th July. Details are available from Mrs Dunster on 01494 685743 or sdunster@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk.

Please pass on this date to any former pupils (or their parents) who you think may wish to attend.

Thank you,

From Mrs Avery

Last Year's Cup Winners

Can you please return any cups that your daughter won last year to the School Office. They are needed as soon as possible as Senior Sports is on Saturday, June 20th, and Prize Giving is fast approaching. They have to be cleaned before they are awarded back to the girls.

Thank you,

From Mrs Lowen-Cooper

Travelling Books Book Fair

A big thank you to all the parents and pupils who supported our book fair last week. As you know, we were trying a different company and we had a very successful week with them. Everyone benefited from the free bonus books and the school has received over £600 in commission. We are spending this right across the school on books for both libraries and on books for all areas of the curriculum, including Mathematics, Literacy, History, Geography, RS and Art.

Thank you

From Mrs Mackay

Junior House Book Badge Winners

We held a book badge competition in conjunction with book week and the winners were as follows:

2C Claudia Cousins – My Naughty Little Sister
2GW Heather McAlister – The Handsome Crocodile
1M Flora Lockley – Pippi Longstocking
1GK Lana Cruickshank – Angelina Ballerina
RI Anna Yates – Angelina Ballerina
RH Georgina Lewis – Georgina the Giraffe
Highly Commended
2C Lucy Ashworth – Butterfly Lion

Well done to these girls and everyone else who entered. There were some fantastic badges and the judging was a very difficult job!

From Mrs Mackay

Nestle Box Tops for Books

Please may I remind everyone that we do collect the vouchers from Nestle cereal boxes. There are collecting boxes at both Upper School and Junior House, or they can be sent to the Office for my attention. Every voucher we collect is worth 20p towards a book and they soon mount up.

Thank you,
From Mrs Mackay

Dates to Remember:

Monday 15th June

- 16:00 School Management Team Meeting

Tuesday 16th June

- 14:00 -15:30- Reception classes train journey to Gerrards Cross
- 16:00- Creative Arts Faculty Meeting

Wednesday 17th June

- All day - Music Exams in Junior House Music Room
- 16:00 start- Year 6 (A + B) and Year 5 (A) Rounders Match (a) v Chesham Prep

Thursday 18th June

Friday 19th June

Saturday 20th June

- 10:00 Senior Sports Day at Davenies School. (Prizes to be presented by Mrs Diana Rose, Headmistress of The Royal Masonic School, Rickmansworth)