



High March School Bulletin

Week 2 15.01.16

From Mrs Clifford:

Many congratulations to Taya in 5BH who is the winner of the Hamptons Estate Agents competition to design and decorate a kennel. This competition took place before Christmas to celebrate the launch of the new Snoopy movie. Kennels designed by High March girls were on display in Hamptons Estate Agents and the public were asked to vote for their favourite kennel. Nicola from Hamptons came into Prayers on Wednesday to present Taya with her prize which was some free cinema tickets and a Snoopy goodie bag.

It was a busy start to the week for some of Year 5 with their assessments for the Del Anderson Poetry Scholarship. Over the Christmas holidays they had prepared their anthologies and this was followed by a written paper on Monday morning and a recitation on Tuesday morning. This year the set poem for the recital was "Winter Time" by Robert Louis Stevenson and the panel was very impressed by the sensitive recitations given by the candidates.

Congratulations to the following girls who were presented with a Headmistress' Award this week:

Agatha
Phoebe
Audrey
Lola
Rithya

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NC	Harmeen
NCR	Edith
NWR	Mollie
RD	Tessa
RT	Sophia
1D	Elin
1M	Millie
2HN	Annabel
2GW	Clementine

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3G	Sophie
3O	Maria
4C	Ella
4M	Harriet
5BH	Anoushka
5F	Mia
6F	Grace
6K	Louisa

House Points

Daffodil	343
Rose	367
Shamrock	389
Thistle	301

Diary Dates for week commencing Monday 18 January

Mon 18 Jan	09:00 – 12:30 16:00 – 17:30 20:30 – 21:30	Common Entrance examinations Senior Management Team Meeting School Travel Plan Working Party Meeting in the Junior House Staff Room
Tues 19 Jan	09:00 – 12:30 09:15 – 10:15 13:00 – 13:45 16:00 – 17:00 18:30 – 19:30	Common Entrance examinations Upper Nursery Parents' Meeting re Life in Reception Upper School Staff Meeting Key Stage One Staff Meeting E-Safety talk for parents in the Upper School Hall
Wed 20 Jan	16:00 – 17:00	Creative Arts Faculty Meeting
Thurs 21 Jan	08:40 – 09:20 09:35 – 10:15 12:30 – 13:00 16:00 – 18:15 16:00 – 19:00	Upper School Assembly on the topic of E-Safety Junior House Assembly on the topic of E-Safety Pupil Council Meeting in Upper School Years 4, 5 and 6 Division Ten Junior Schools' Swimming League Fixture at Berkhamsted School NO SQUAD TRAINING OR FREE SWIMMING
Fri 22 Jan	16:00 – 16:45 19:30 – 23:00	DANCE CLUB will take place in the Junior House Hall High March Social Group Quiz Night to be held in the Upper School Hall
Sat 23 Jan		
Sun 24 Jan		

Sporting Notices



Next Week's Fixtures

Mon 18 Jan	Year 6 Netball Training 16:00 – 17:00
Tues 19 Jan	Year 5 Netball Training 16:00 – 17:00
Wed 20 Jan	Year 4 Netball Training 16:00 – 17:00 Aquatic Skills 16:00 – 17:00 Year 3 Swim Squad 17:00 – 18:00 Year 5 Swim Squad 18:00 – 19:00
Thurs 21 Jan	Year 3 Netball Training 16:00 – 17:00 Division 10 Gala at Berkhamsted School, 16:30 start NO SWIM SQUADS OR FREE SWIMMING

Notices

Singing Shield

Please note that the Year 6 Singing Shield will now be on February 2 at 10:00am and not February 1.

Half Term Holiday Intensive Swimming Course

The intensive swimming course at half term is running from Tuesday 16 to Friday 19 February with lessons at 9:30am and 10:30am. Booking has opened for this course and places are filling up fast. Please email swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk to book your child onto this course.

Save the Date: Easter Holiday Intensive Swimming Course 30 March - 2 April

We will be running an intensive swimming course during the Easter Holiday in conjunction with Neil Bailey Swimming from Tuesday 29 March to Friday 1 April. Classes will run at 9:30am and 10:30am. Further details will follow shortly by email and booking will open at the start of February: swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk.

STP Meeting Monday 18 January

The STP Working Party's next meeting is on Monday 18 January at 8:30pm. If you would like to join the group or have any constructive suggestions please email stp@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk. The STP strive very hard to make the environment around the School a safe place for our children.

Parents' Parking Promise

Forms are still available in the School Office or in Mrs Stevenson's office at Upper School and can also be downloaded from the intranet. If you care about safe and considerate driving and parking in the vicinity of the School, we encourage you to sign up to this pledge and gain two house points for your daughter.

Hi-vis Tabards

With the morning and evenings still gloomy and dark please remember that luminous tabards are still available from the School Office. We have three sizes priced at £5 each. We also have a supply of fluorescent snap bands at £2.50 each.

Alumni Lunch Sunday 3 July

As part of our 90th Birthday celebrations we shall be holding an **Alumni Lunch** at Junior House on **Sunday 3rd July** for former pupils over the years. If you have connections with any former High March pupils, please do pass on the date of this event or ask them to contact Mrs Dunster through the School Office.

Social Group

Disco

Tickets for the disco on Friday 29 January are now on sale from the School Office. The Years 3 and 4 disco is 5:00pm to 6:30pm and Years 5 and 6 from 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Tickets are priced at £7.00.