



# High March School Bulletin

Week 4 19.05.17

## From Mrs Clifford:

I should like to extend a warm invitation to all High March families and friends to come to our Art Exhibition this weekend. Both Junior House and Upper School will be open on Saturday between 10 am and 5 pm and on Sunday between 11 am and 3 pm. The Art Exhibition is a wonderful opportunity not only to see your child's work on display, but also to visit other year groups and classrooms. The children have been very excited about the preparations and so we look forward to seeing as many of you as possible over the weekend.

It was a delight to listen to every girl in Year 4 sing last week as they participated in their annual singing competition. The piece was "Give Me Oil In My Lamp" or "Sing hosanna" which is a traditional Christian hymn based upon the parable of the Ten Virgins. The girls had obviously been practising and so the standard was exceptionally high. Congratulations go to all of the girls who participated as they all sang with great confidence and enthusiasm. Jasmine and Elise were commended and Sacha and Vaiga were highly commended. Particular congratulations go to the winner, Lola, who will receive the Singing Shield at Prize Giving at the end of term.

Many congratulations to the following girls who have received a Headmistress' Award this week:

India in 1M  
Amelie in 2HN

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

NCR Annabel  
NWR Harry  
RD Mylee  
RT Lara  
1D Jessica  
1M Elore  
2GS Elsa  
2HN Lola

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

3G Annabel  
3O Daniela  
4C Celina  
4W Lola  
5BH Olivia  
5H Lily  
6G Alexandra  
6K Mia

### House Points

Daffodil 576  
Rose 563  
Shamrock 583  
Thistle 537

## Diary Dates for week commencing Monday 22 May

<b>Mon 22 May</b>	09:30 – 11:30	NCR trip to forest School
	13:00 – 15:00	RD trip to Forest School
	16:00 – 17:30	Humanities Faculty Meeting
	17:00 – 18:30	Governors' Finance Sub-Committee Meeting
	18:30 – 20:00	Governors' Meeting
<b>Tues 23 May</b>	15:50 – 17:30	Years 5 and 6 Rounders (A) v Dair House
<b>Wed 24 May</b>	08:15 – 09:15	Nearly New Uniform Sale, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Carngray at Junior House
	and	
	15:00 – 16:00	
	08:30 – 15:30	Ballet/Tap – parents invited to watch
	14:00 – 15:15	<b>Nursery Drop in Afternoon</b>
	16:00 – 17:30	Tea Time Concert in the Upper School Hall
<b>Thurs 25 May</b>	08:30 – 15:00	History Off the Page to visit Year 1 (Seaside Day)
	09:15 – 10:15	NWR trip to Forest School
	13:00 – 15:00	RT trip to Forest School
	15:00 – 18:45	Years 4, 5 and 6 (A and B) Squad Division 10 Final at Haberdashers' Aske's School
	16:00 – 17:00	<b>NO AFTER SCHOOL SWIMMING</b>
<b>Fri 26 May</b>	15:30 – 15:50	Half Term Starts
	16:00 – 17:00	<b>NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS OR SUPERVISED PREP IN UPPER SCHOOL AND JUNIOR HOUSE</b>
	16:00 – 17:30	<b>AFTER SCHOOL CARE ENDS</b>
	16:00 – 17:30	<b>TRIATHLON CLUB WILL TAKE PLACE</b>
<b>Sat 27 May</b>	09:00 – 13:00	No Saturday Swimming
	09:15 – 12:00	No Saturday Dance Club
<b>Sun 28 May</b>	09:30 – 13:30	No Sunday Netball

## Sporting Notices

<b>Mon 22 May</b>	16:00 – 17:00	Year 6 Mini Athletics
<b>Tues 23 May</b>	16:00 – 17:00	Year 5 Mini Athletics
	15:50 – 17:30	Years 5 and 6 Rounders (A) v Dair House
<b>Wed 24 May</b>	16:00 – 17:00	Year 4 Mini Athletics
	16:00 – 17:00	Personal Survival
	17:00 – 18:00	Year 3 Swim Squad
	16:00 – 19:00	Year 5 Swim Squad
<b>Thurs 25 May</b>	16:00 – 17:00	Year 3 Athletics Training
	16:00 – 17:00	Free Swimming
	15:00 – 18:45	Years 4, 5 and 6 (A and B) Squad Division 10 Final at Haberdashers' Aske's School

## **Notices**

### **May Half Term Holiday Intensive Swimming Course: Tuesday 30 May – Friday 2 June**

There are only a very few spaces remaining at 10:30am for Reception age children and their siblings on the Neil Bailey intensive swimming course. Please email [swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk) to book a place. The 9:30am class is fully booked with a waiting list.

### **Save the Date: Summer Swimming Courses**

#### **Monday 7 – Friday 11 August**

The lessons this week will be during the morning and will include both group lessons and 1:1 lessons. The exact format and times are to be confirmed.

#### **Monday 14 – Friday 18 August**

The lessons this week will be during the morning and will include both group lessons and 1:1 lessons. The exact format and times are to be confirmed.

#### **Tuesday 29 August – Friday 1 September**

The one hour lessons are at 9:30am and 10:30am. The 9:30am lessons are for Nursery age children and their siblings; the 10:30am classes are for Reception age and above.

### **Walk to School Week embraced by High March pupils**

We have been impressed to see so many children walking, cycling or scooting to School this week despite some heavy downpours. Today our Year 2 JRSOs counted 35 scooters and 3 bicycles at Junior House. We are particularly pleased with the increase in those parking and striding which truly reduces the congestion in Ledborough Lane. Thank you to all those who helped this week: the Year 6 JRSOs, Alexandra and Katherine aided by Taliya and Mrs Stevenson at Upper School and the Year 2 JRSOs, Imogen and Ishani, at Junior House helped by Mrs Horwood, Mrs Gillham, Mrs Williamson and Mrs Avery. Our thanks also go to Pavan, Sharon and the Brookwood team who had grilled sausages waiting for us by 8:00am every morning and to Mr and Mrs Wilkinson who delivered Upper School's sausages.

A special mention goes to **Sasha in 6G** who, with her mother, embraced **Happy Shoesday** by walking to School from her home in Flackwell Heath. The four mile journey took them one and a half hours and she arrived in time for registration. Well done to Sasha who will receive a Headmistress' Award next week in Prayers.

### **Spring Fair, St Michael's and All Angels Church, Beaconsfield**

St Michael's and All Angels Church, Beaconsfield are holding their Spring Fair tomorrow, Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May, from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Plants, Cakes, Games, Raffle, BBQ, Stalls and More! All are welcome.

### **Davenies and High March School Disco Years 5 and 6**

The Davenies and High March School Disco is taking place on Friday 9 June from 7:00pm to 8:30pm at Davenies School. The tickets are £7 and can be purchased from the School Office.