



High March School Bulletin

Week 5 09.02.18

From Mrs Clifford:

As I write the introduction to this week's Bulletin I am sitting at Munich airport waiting with Year 6 for our flight back to Heathrow. We have enjoyed a very successful week skiing at Flachau in Austria. By the end of the week even the beginners went right up the mountain and were able to demonstrate their new found technique in yesterday's timed race. Après ski included swimming, bowling, a quiz night, a disco and a talent show. Many congratulations to all of Year 6 for the many compliments we have received regarding their behaviour and particular congratulations to Ruby who won the ski race and fully deserves the title of this year's fastest girl on the slopes.

I am very pleased to announce the results of this year's Year 3 Robert Anderson Scholarship tests. The Scholarship has been awarded to Ayla and Lucy has received an Exhibition. All of the girls who reached the shortlist are to be congratulated on their very good performances in all aspects of the scholarship.

I wish all High March pupils a happy half term and look forward to seeing you all again on your return to School on February 19th.

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NCR	Otis
NWR	Evelyn
RD	Nayna
RT	Honor
1D	Leila
1M	Sadie
2GS	Isabella
2HN	Amy

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3E	Lucie
3G	Constance
4C	Freya
4W	Elisabeth
5BH	Phoebe
5C	Sophia
6K	-
6O	-

House Points

House Cup winners to be announced after half term when Year 6 pupils are all back in School.

Diary Dates for week commencing Monday 19 Feb

Mon 19 Feb	16:00 – 17:30 15:50 – 17:45	Senior Management Team Meeting Year 6 (U11 A and B) Netball (a) v Heatherton House
Tues 20 Feb	14:00 – 16:00 16:00 – 17:30 19:45 – 21:00	Year 4 (U9 C and D) Netball (h) v Chesham Prep Mathematics Faculty Meeting High March Ball Committee Meeting in the Junior House Hall
Wed 21 Feb	08:25 – 16:00	Upper School Educational Visits Day Year 3 to visit Woburn Safari Park Year 4 to visit Mill Green and Roman Baths, Welwyn Year 5 to visit The Victoria and Albert Museum Year 6 to visit The Natural History Museum NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS, AQUATIC SKILLS AND SWIMMING SQUADS OR SUPERVISED PREP IN UPPER SCHOOL, ONLY JUDO WILL TAKE PLACE
Thurs 22 Feb	09:00 – 12:00 16:30 – 17:30	Thinking Skills Day at St Mary's School, Gerrards Cross Years 4, 5 and 6 Swimming Gala (h) v Heatherton House NO SWIM SQUAD OR FREE SWIMMING
Fri 23 Feb	08:15 – 09:15 And 15:00 – 16:00 08:30 – 09:00 08:25 – 09:00 08:25 – 15:45	Nearly New Uniform Sale, 2 nd Floor in Carngray Foundation Stage Parents' Morning Daffodil House Prayers Daffodil House Charity Fundraising Day
Sat 24 Feb	19:30 – 23:00	High March Social Group Quiz Night to be held in the Upper School Hall
Sun 25 Feb	10:30 – 14:30	Sunday Netball returns

Sporting Notices

Mon 19 Feb	15:50 – 17:45 16:00 – 17:00	Year 6 (U11 A and B) Netball (a) v Heatherton House Year 6 Netball Training
Tues 20 Feb	14:00 – 16:00 16:00 – 17:00	Year 4 (U9 C and D) Netball (h) v Chesham Prep Year 5 Netball Training
Wed 21 Feb	16:00 – 17:00 17:00 – 18:00 18:00 – 19:00	No Aquatic Skills Club due to Trips Day No Year 3 Swim Squad due to Trips Day No Year 5 Swim Squad due to Trips Day
Thurs 22 Feb	16:30 – 17:30 16:00 – 17:00 16:00 – 17:00 17:00 – 18:00 18:00 – 19:00	Years 4, 5 and 6 Swimming Gala (h) v Heatherton House Year 3 Netball Training No Years 3 to 6 Free Swimming due to Swimming Gala No Year 4 Swim Squad due to Swimming Gala No Year 6 Swim Squad due to Swimming Gala

Notices

Half Term Intensive Swimming Course Tuesday 13 - Thursday 15 February

We have a few spaces at 9:30am for Nursery age children and their siblings on the intensive swimming course run by Neil Bailey Swimming next week. If you would like to book places on this course please email swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk .

Save the Date: Level 1 Bikeability Friday 20 April 2018

There are still places on the Spokes Cycle Training Level I Bikeability Course at High March on Friday 20 April 2018 from 10:00am to 12:00pm. The course is open to any girls in Years 3 and 4. If you would like your daughter to attend the course please email stp@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk

Scooting in the School Car Parks

Please do not let your child scoot across the School car parks unsupervised. The Staff arrive at school throughout the drop off period and it is dangerous, particularly at Junior House for children to be scooting across this area unless closely supervised.

Scooter Road Safety Course for Years 1 and 2

We have a few places left on the Scooter Training course for Years 1 and 2 starting after half term. Further details will follow. Please email stp@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk , to book a place on this valuable road safety course.

School Crossing Patroller

Would you like a rewarding role in the local community, making a real and positive contribution to our pupils' safety and well-being? We are looking for a School Crossing Patroller to join our team of Patrollers in September 2018. We are looking to cover just two mornings 8:00 to 9:00am during term time to help keep our pupils safe as they come to School. Ongoing Bucks CC training is provided and pay is involved! If you would like to find out more please email stp@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk

My World Kitchen: New CBeebies series inspires little cooks to explore the Globe. The new series, consisting of 30, 11 minute episodes each Saturday is narrated by Ainsley Harriott and presented by children, aged from 6 to 8, from a rich diversity of backgrounds, who share their own customs and traditions. Step inside the homes of these amazing little cooks to see them prepare tasty dishes celebrating their own culture and heritage with friends. The fun and factual programmes show the children cooking from scratch, making food approachable and easy, as well as finding out about where it comes from and how it grows. The series was co-devised by children's cookery consultants and authors, Sally Brown, a former High March parent and Kate Morris, both of the "Purple Kitchen" company.

Easter Egg Competition

Children in Junior House have been given an outline of an Egg that they can decorate if they would like to take part in our annual Easter Egg Competition. There is a £1 fee to enter the competition and all the proceeds will go to support our school charity, the NSPCC. There will be a winner in each year group and prizes will be awarded in the final assembly of the Spring Term. Completed entries along with the £1 entry fee should be given to Mrs Honiball via the School Office. The last day for handing in entries is Friday 16 March. The entries will be mounted and displayed on the large board in the corridor outside the Reception classes. Do come and take a look when we get nearer the end of term. I hope the children enjoy making their entries and seeing them displayed in School.

Small Ads Reminder

The next edition of the High March **Small Ads** will be published at half term. Have you got items which you wish to sell, or would like to buy? The **Small Ads** features items for sale, items wanted, situations vacant, businesses owned by High March parents, holiday home rentals etc.

This free leaflet is distributed to all High March families and there is no charge for this service. However, we are able only to include adverts for people who are directly associated with the school, i.e. current parents and staff.

Any advert should be worded ready for printing, and in the format of those in previous *Small Ads* editions; we cannot print logos, photographs, or customised layouts/fonts. The leaflet will be black and white. If you are new to the school and wish to see the layout of a previous edition, please contact the office and I will send you one.

All adverts should be sent to me at the email address below by 9am on Wednesday 14 February at the latest.

Please note - If you had a business advertisement in the last edition of the Small Ads this will be left in the next edition unless you notify me that you wish it to be removed.

From Ana Ridley reception@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk

St Michael and All Angels Church Pancake Party

St Michael and All Angels are holding a Pancake Party on Shrove Tuesday, 13 February between 4:00 and 5:00pm. Go along to join in with races, eating pancakes and fun with the family. All welcome.

David Lloyd Club Beaconsfield

The David Lloyd Club would like to offer a one off complimentary one day family pass to all families at the School. This would be valid during the February half term period. As stated this would be completely complimentary, and David Lloyd feel this could be beneficial as this encourages a healthy family lifestyle. The David Lloyd Club will look at offering this during other school holidays as well. Please contact David Lloyd Beaconsfield direct to book a day, on 01628 552758.