



High March School Bulletin

Week 11 22.3.19

From Mrs Clifford:

Many congratulations to the children in Year 1 for a fabulous performance of "Eddie the Penguin Saves the World" this week. The costumes were stunning as was the singing, acting and dancing. It was lovely to see such young children performing with such confidence. My thanks go to Mr Hayes for the music and to the whole Year 1 team led by Mrs Mullin and Mrs Dale for preparing the girls so well.

I very much enjoyed listening to every girl in Year 6 sing this week as they competed in their annual Singing Competition. The set piece this year was an extract from "Tell Out My Soul" which is a Christian hymn paraphrasing the "Magnificat" written by Timothy Dudley-Smith in 1962. We often sing the hymn in morning Prayers and it is particularly tricky in terms of breath control so well done Year 6! I am pleased to report that Iris and Sacha were commended; Sophie B, Jasmine, Jessica, Elise and Sofia were highly commended and my congratulations go to the winner, Chloe A-S.

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

Elvira in 5J

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NCR	Elora
NWR	Livleen
RD	Iris
RT	Rose
1D	Phoebe
1M	Zarina
2GS	Giselle
2HN	Madeleine

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3E	Siri
3G	Annabel
4C	Hannah
4W	Isla
5BH	Eloise
5J	Maliha
6K	Connie
6O	Iris

House Points

**The winner of the House Cup will be announced
in Prayers on the last day of term**

Diary Dates for week commencing Monday 25 Mar

Mon 25 Mar	09:00 – 15:00	Year 1 outing to Chiltern Open Air Museum
	09:15 – 10:15	Year 2 Poetry Recitals in the Junior House Hall
	16:00 – 17:30	Senior Management Team Meeting
	16:00 – 18:15	Gymnastics Club ends (Parents invited to watch)
Tues 26 Mar	14:15 – 15:15	Year 3 Show 'Peter Pan' Dress Rehearsal
	16:00 – 17:30	Themed tea Time Concert
Wed 27 Mar	09:00 – 15:00	Reception Classes outing to The Roald Dahl Museum
	14:30 – 15:30	Year 3 Show 'Peter Pan' Performance to Parents
	16:00 – 16:45	Eco Committee Meeting
	16:00 – 17:30	AFTER SCHOOL CARE ENDS
Thurs 28 Mar	12:00 – 12:00	Term ends for Nursery and Junior House
	12:15 – 12:15	Term ends for Upper School
	12:30 – 14:00	Staff Lunch
Fri 29 Mar	10:00 – 12:00	Level 1 Bikeability for Years 3 and 4
Sat 30 Mar	09:00 – 13:00	Saturday Swimming ends

Sporting Notices

There are no Clubs or Sporting Fixtures next week

Notices

Easter Holiday Intensive Swimming Course Monday 8 - Friday 12 April

There are a few spaces left on the Neil Bailey Swimming Intensive course running in the Easter Holidays. Lessons are at 9:30 am for Nursery age children and their siblings and at 10:30am for Reception age children upwards. To book places on this course, please email swimming@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk.

Holiday Swimming Courses – Save the Dates

Half Term: Tuesday 28 – Friday 31 May
Summer Holiday: Monday 22 – Friday 26 July
Monday 5 – Friday 9 August
Tuesday 27 – Friday 30 August

JRSO Walking Initiative in May

We are exhorting all Year 6 and any others in Upper School to walk all the way to School from home or from St Michael's Green on the Fridays in May (10th, 17th and 24th). The JRSOs and the STP team will coordinate the walk from St Michael's Green, which will follow the crocodile trail used some years ago. Further details will follow.

Level 2 Bikeability – save the date

We have secured 12 funded places for the Level 2 Bikeability course for Year 5. The course will take place on Wednesday 10 July from 4pm to 6pm and Friday 12 July from 10am to 3pm. Girls must be able to attend both sessions. To register your interest in this course, please email stp@highmarch.bucks.sch.uk

Scooter Training

The STP Team will be arranging in-house Scooter Training for Year 1 and 2 pupils during lunchtimes in the Summer Term. Dates are yet to be finalised.

Footsteps Training

The team of Footsteps Trainers will be taking all the Year 2 girls out during lunchtimes in the Summer Term to teach them to cross the road with care and basic road safety. Consent forms will be emailed before the end of term.

Young Food Writer of the Year 2019

We invite children to write a story on the theme of 'Food for Sharing' for a chance to win lots of fabulous prizes and an invitation to the 'Winners' lunch to meet some food writing heroes. The story can feature any occasion from a family Sunday lunch to a seaside picnic with friends. Click on the link for more details about how to enter

<https://www.pinkladyapples.co.uk/competitions/write-it-2019/enter-competition>

The closing date for entries is 30 April.

The Tempest in aid of Child Bereavement UK

The Garden Players will be performing an exciting new production of William Shakespeare's The Tempest every evening between Tuesday 18 and Saturday 22 June 2019 in aid of Child Bereavement. This will take place on the lawns of Stubbings House near Maidenhead. Further information is available on their website www.thegardenplayersweb.co.uk where there is also an online booking option.

Notices Continued

BRFC - Girls' Rugby & BRFC on TV!

Please see information below from Russ at Beaconsfield Rugby Club:

As you may know, we started our first girls' rugby session last Sunday. We are pleased to advise we had 30 girls/young ladies join in an amazing session with Lucy our Head Coach. We are so proud as a club to be able to offer girls rugby now from the minis all the way through to youth. We hope this will continue to grow over the weeks, months and years to come. If you know any girls who may be interested, we are training this Sunday at 10:30am. No experience is necessary.

On another note, BRFC has made the national press! Check out our Twitter page for latest information. <https://twitter.com/beaconsfieldrfc>

Russ

Social Group Notices

Easter Craft Party 23 March 2019 2pm -4pm

We are looking forward to welcoming those of you who have signed up for the craft party. We do have space for a few more girls, so please email JennyRSharp@yahoo.co.uk if you would like to come. Tickets are £12 each.

Please remember to bring your reusable water bottle, and, if you have volunteered to help, please can you aim to arrive at 1:45pm.

Social Group Coffee Morning 27 March 2019

The Social Group is hosting a coffee morning on **Wednesday 27 March** at Junior House, when you can find out about what we do and how you can become a member. Our new Headmistress, Mrs Gater, will also be there for you to meet. Please confirm your attendance by replying to the email which was sent earlier this week, or by emailing the School Office.

A Night of Magic 11 May 2019

Ticket sales for this event went very well last week. We do have a couple more tables left, plus some individual spaces if you would like join a partially full table and make some new friends. If you would like to attend/find out more, please email JennyRSharp@yahoo.co.uk.