



High March School Bulletin

Week 3 20.9.19

From Mrs Gater:

Dear Parents,

Time seems to be flying by here at High March as we reach the end of Week Three!

It was a pleasure to see many of you at the Anderson Social Evening last Friday evening and I hope all who attended enjoyed a pleasant evening and made new acquaintances within the school community.

High March girls appear to enjoy a good party and I have been lucky enough to be invited to join the Reception classes this afternoon for a 'Party in the Playground' – it promises to be lots of fun!

As I write, the Year 5 girls (and many cuddly companions) are safely on their way to Shropshire; ready for the adventures that lie ahead and to step outside their comfort zones. It is always remarkable to note how much these experiences develop girls' self-confidence and maturity. I am looking forward to welcoming them back on Monday evening and hearing all about it.

Best wishes for the weekend,
Mrs Gater.

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NC	Evie
NR	Aria
RB	Clara
RD	Annabelle W
1D	Naya
1M	Sienna
2GS	Honor
2HN	Edith

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3G	Anna Leila
3E	Suri Audrey Naomi
4C	Anya Inez
4W	Iris
5BH	Tansy Megan Charlotte
5JN	Katie
6G	Lamorna
6K	Elisabeth

House Points

Daffodil	273
Shamrock	238
Rose	263
Thistle	248

Notices

October Half Term Holiday 1-2-1 Swimming Lesson Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November

We are offering a programme of 1-2-1 intensive swimming lessons to all High March pupils and their siblings during the half term holiday. The courses will be run by Neil Bailey Swimming and his team of qualified and experienced ASA and club instructors. There will be four concurrent 30 minute 1-2-1 lessons which will run from 9:00 to 10:30am each day. These lessons are suitable for all levels from those just starting to swim to our squad and club swimmers. To book these lessons, please email swimming@highmarch.co.uk. Please note some days and times now have only limited places available.

Pencils for Pupils

Pencils for Pupils is a donation scheme where parents and children who are fortunate enough to have more than enough stationery donate any surplus yet useable pencils, pens, pencil cases etc., to schools which have very low or no budgets. The scheme was started by Mrs Kirkham, who has a daughter in Year 4, for her niece who works in a school in London in a very low income area. The donation scheme has gone so well that she is now working with more schools in need of stationery and has extended the deadline for donations until 27 September. If you are interested in donating any items, please email Mrs Kirkham at emma.kirkham@yahoo.co.uk and she will organise for you to drop them off to her. Mrs Kirkham is also going to organise a volunteering day by the Year 4 girls to sharpen and sort all the pencils and pens.

Mrs Kirkham does not have a charity number and is not affiliated to an organisation but strongly believes that colouring and access to art and doodling is imperative for children and we can all help by supporting this initiative.