



High March School Bulletin

Week 8 28.02.20

From Mrs Gater:

It has been great to be back at High March this week – I hope your daughters were as eager to return as I was!

It has been another action-packed week across the school with visitors to Reception as part of their topic on 'People Who Help Us' – particular thank you to Mr Birt (Miss Birt's daddy!) and Mr Honiball for sparing some time to explain what they do to help as part of their jobs.

I was particularly impressed this week by all the children in the Nursery classes, when I visited to present 'Star of the Week' certificates. The children have all grown-up so much since September and are making brilliant progress in their learning and social development. Fabulous little humans!

It was a busy day on Wednesday for the girls in Upper School as everyone headed out for Educational Visits Day – the V&A Museum, Natural History Museum, Ashmolean Museum and a Waste Recycling Plant (honestly!) were the destinations and there were some super photos shared on Twitter – do take a look.

To finish, I would like to thank all parents for their continued support and timely communication with the school as we manage our response to the COVID-19 situation. I am personally grateful for the positive and understanding comments and actions of the whole community and will keep you informed as advice and strategies change.

All best wishes for a peaceful and happy week ahead.

Mrs Gater
Headmistress

Congratulations to the following Junior House Stars of the Week:

NC	Inaya
NR	Sofia
RB	Amber
RD	Amelie Rose
1D	Arya
1M	Maya
2GS	Ava
2HN	Poppy

Congratulations to the following Upper School Stars of the Week:

3E	Sylvie Naomi
3G	Alexandra
4C	Ngaire Erica
4W	Eleanor
5BH	Alexa
5JN	Millie
6G	Verity
6K	Annabel

House Points Results for First Half Term

Daffodil	4 th - 705	Rose	3 rd - 769
Shamrock	1 st - 869	Thistle	2 nd - 779

Notices

Touch Typing and Shine

Touch Typing and Shine will take place in the first week of the Easter holiday from 30th March to 3rd April.

Touch typing - 9:00am - 10:45am - £25 per session or £120 for 5 sessions. Years 2 - 6

Shine - 11:00am - 4:00pm - £40 per day or £185 for the week. Years 3 - 6

It will be possible for Years 3 - 6 to transfer straight from typing to Shine.

The booking form for Touch Typing is: <https://tinyurl.com/v799b29>

The booking form for Shine Activity Camp is: <https://tinyurl.com/y3ppm5xp>

Easter Holiday swimming courses:

Monday 6th to Thursday 9th April 9.30am – 11.30am: there are limited spaces left for 1-2-1 lessons on Wednesday 8th April only.

Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th April 9.30am – 11.30am: there are a few spaces left for 1-2-1 lessons each day.

The format for both these weeks will be 30 minute 1-2-1 lessons at 9.30am and 10.00am followed by a **one-hour group lesson from 10.30am -11.30am for squad and stronger swimmers**. To book places on these courses please email

swimming@highmarch.co.uk.

Summer Holiday 1-2-1 swimming courses:

Monday 20th – Friday 24th July

Monday 17th – 21st August

Monday 24th – Friday 28th August

JRSO March Photo Competition

During March the JRSOs are running a photo competition. Take a photo of something you would not be able to see from your car on your way to school. Send your photos to stp@highmarch.co.uk or print them and hand them into the School Office with your name and form by the closing date of Friday 20th March. There will be prizes for both Upper School and Junior House.

Keep Beaconsfield Beautiful

The campaign for a plastic free Beaconsfield continues with a community litter pick on Saturday 14th March between 10am and 1pm. Meet at the Town Hall Green where equipment and refreshments will be provided.

Social Group Notices

Quiz Night – Saturday, 29th February

For those who are coming to the Quiz Night, please find some practical information below:

SCHEDULE: We will start serving food at 7.30 pm. The quiz will start at 8.15pm sharp. There will be a break half way through the quiz for the dessert auction.

GLUTEN FREE: In order to avoid cross contamination, these food orders need to be cooked and served first. If you have ordered gluten free fish & chips, please arrive just before 7.30pm so we can serve you at 7.30pm sharp.

CASH BAR: We have a cash-only bar on the evening! If you have pre-ordered drinks, these will be ready for you upon arrival. Drinks will be served all evening so don't forget extra cash for that all important second round.

We are looking forward to seeing you all on Saturday. If you have any questions, please do give us a shout.

Watch this Space!

The Junior House Space themed craft party will take place on Saturday 21st March, 2.00pm - 4.00pm in the hall at Junior House. More information will follow next week.

High March Social Group