



You may have seen on social media that our Form 6 pupils have created their own business, written their business plans, presented their ideas to an external panel and are now ready to launch as part of their 'make £5 grow' initiatives! Next Monday 4th and Friday 8th they will be selling their wares at break time. Please do encourage your children to support these businesses by giving them a little money to spend.



This Week's Shooting Stars



Kaylan:	Great subtraction
Nael:	Good communication
Joshua S:	Great communication
Claudia:	Her happy and positive disposition
Leo:	Being a Team Player
Azikiwe:	Being a STEM club superstar
Sid:	Correctly laying out and answering questions during column addition
Tobias:	Showing a good understanding when subtracting using the column method
Sophia E:	Great work multiplying and dividing
Elenor:	Correctly laying out and answering questions during column addition
Izzy:	Great independent writing work to create her TV news report
Lara:	Great independent work creating a TV news report
Husain:	His fantastic retrieval and inference skills
Victoria:	Being such a kind, loving and caring person
Adam K:	Achieving highly in his non-fiction writing about biomes
Owen:	Achieving highly in his narrative writing
Elijah J:	Thoughtful contributions during Healthy Minds sessions
Kiyan:	Thoughtful contributions during Healthy Minds sessions
Viraaj:	Taking responsibility for his actions

This week, 2 **Head Teacher's Award** have been presented – Congratulations to **Faith** for excellent, thoughtful contributions in RSHE and to **Leela** for sharing a wonderful lesson about 'honesty' with EYFS! Congratulations to you both.

Golden Tea is an opportunity for children to show Mrs Wilson the work they have completed that week of which they are most proud, whilst enjoying juice and biscuits together. The following children will meet with Mrs Wilson during break-time on Monday

Leela

Avi M

Amar L

Reni

Term Dates 2022 - 2023

Summer Term 2022:

Term Ends: Friday 15th July 2022

Autumn Term 2022

Return to School: Wed 7th Sept 2022

Half Term Break: Mon 17th Oct - Fri 28th Oct 2022

Term Ends: Friday 9th Dec 2022

Spring Term 2023:

Return to School: Wed 4th Jan 2023

Half Term Break: Mon 13th Feb to Fri 17th Feb

Term Ends: Friday 31st March 2023

Summer Term 2023:

Return to School: Tue 25th April 2023

Half Term Break: Mon 29th May - Fri 2nd June

Term Ends: Friday 14th July 2023

Autumn Term 2023:

Return to School: Wed 6th September 2023

On Wednesday, Form 6 enjoyed a much-anticipated day trip to Lille in Northern France. Meeting bright and early at Mill Hill Broadway, the children were excited and enthusiastic about the day ahead. Arriving in Lille just before lunch, they hotfooted it to the *marche*. Here they used their much-practised French phrases to buy cheese, vegetables and fruit for lunch. After consuming their baguette and other French delicacies and patisserie products, they bought postcards of Lille and stamps from the *tabac*. The afternoon took the children to a place of local interest, *La Maison Natale de Charles de Gaulle*. Returning to the old town centre, the children looked around the main town square, visiting speciality chocolate and cheese shops. A great day was had by all!

Thank you so much to Mrs Boxer whose meticulous planning and organisational skills ensured this trip was a great success. Thank you too to Mr Guyster and Miss Bergen for accompanying the children as the perfect travel companions. Merci Beaucoup!

Diary Dates

- Wed 6th July:** Transition / New Parents' Tea / Meet your next teacher / Art exhibition
- Friday 8th July:** Bring a bottle into school for the bottle tombola! (Wear your own clothes)
- Sun 10th July:** St Martin's School Fete – come and join us from 11am – 3pm for fun, games and food!
- Monday 11th July:** Whole School Trip – end of year fun trip at Kidzania
- Wednesday 13th July:** Sport's Day 1.30 – 3.30 at Mill Hill Park
- Thursday 14th July:** Topic Homework walk about
- Prize Giving (all welcome) - 2pm at St Michael and All Angel's Church, Flower Lane NW7 2JA
- Friday 15th July** Form 6 Leavers' service 2pm in school – Form 6 parents welcome

Please be reminded that the final date for orders to be placed for school photographs with free postage to school is 8th July. Orders can be placed after this date but additional postage will be charged to deliver to your home.

On Monday afternoon, Form 5 will be undertaking mock 11+ exams at Hartley Hall. The exams will include Maths and English and will be individually targeted. These papers will be marked and the results and areas of development shared with the children. However, the main focus will be stimulating an environment that the children will be unused to – they will have to follow exam conditions which can be daunting - we know this will help them prepare for their 11+ exams in December / January.

Please be reminded The School Council's sponsored walk will take place on Thursday 7th July. Prizes will be given to the individual who raises the most money, the form who raises the most money, children who walk the furthest in each age category and the most supportive walkers. Please return your sponsorship forms by Thursday. Thank you.

Congratulations to the winners of the Spirited Arts competition:

EYFS

First Place: Quinn

Second Place: Alisha

Third Place: Sara

Form Four

First Place: Hussain & Samarth

Second Place: Avelyn, Siyona & Christina

Third Place: Victoria & Beau

Form One

First Place: Zahi

Second Place: Dylan

Third Place: Kush

Form Five

First Place: Jinny, Molly & Yunqing

Second Place: Rohan, Adam, Amar & Philip

Third Place: Olivia W, Sarah & Avani

Form Two

First Place: Bhim

Second Place: Rania, Ariana & Sophia T

Third Place: Stella Amba Sophia E

Form Six

First Place: Zac & Max

Second Place: Chloe & Kiyan

Third Place: Michael & Reni

Form Three

First Place: Joshua, Shayan, Adam & Oliver

Second Place: Izzi, Emika, Lara & Hashini

Third Place: Yoahan & Amar

We look forward to submitting our winner's entries to the national competition and we wish you all the very best of luck!

The children all looked very smart for their photographs on Monday. Please ensure you check your child's bag for the QR codes to access these. Thank you very much to the Healthy School Council for their excellent Assembly on Sun Safety and well done to all the children for keeping safe in the sun – please keep this up by ensuring you wear sun screen and bring your sun hats! Form 6 are continuing their journey of self-identity through the healthy minds and forest school units in their curriculum and it is lovely to see them becoming more self-aware and growing in confidence as they prepare for their move to secondary schools. They were particularly brilliant on their trip to France this week and staff commented on their exemplary behaviour and engagement – Thank you for representing our school so well, Form 6. EYFS had their last session with Talya, our visually impaired reading volunteer with learning difficulties, and gave her their thank you cards to show how much they appreciated her reading to them throughout the year.

Preparing for our Fete! Sunday 10th July 11am – 3pm

- Bring a bottle on Friday 8th July for our bottle tombola
- Bake / buy cakes / biscuits for our treat stall – please bring with you on the day.
- Bring in bric a brac or books from Monday 4th July
- Bring in uniform for our Pre Loved Uniform Sale
- Tell your class rep if you can help (11-1 or 1-3)
- Come along and enjoy!!

**** All proceeds will be donated to this year's chosen charity, North London Hospice ****

On Monday, our Head boy (Kiyen) and Head girl (Faith) will be in charge of the school including greeting you and your children on the door and delivering assembly.

Also next week: Form 5 will be sitting their Mock exams at Hartley Hall on Monday. Form 6 continue their Healthy minds program on Monday and Forest School on Tuesday. On Wednesday, Form 6 will be continuing their Holocaust Education sessions and Upper School will be practising Sports Day in the afternoon and Thursday 7th July is the School Sponsored Walk afternoon.

Wednesday is our whole school transition day – Upper school children will meet their new teachers in the morning from 10.30 – 12.00 and Lower School will meet their new teachers in the afternoon. We are welcoming parents in to meet their child's new teacher from 3.45 followed by an invitation to view the children's work from our Spirited Arts project in our exhibition - taking place in the Form 3 and Form 6 classrooms and also in EYFS. Parents of siblings are welcome to drop in to talk to multiple teachers after the initial presentation. The new Form 5 'meet the teacher' will also include information about their residential in September including a kit list. All information will be shared on the parent website area afterwards and important curriculum information will, of course, be shared again in September.

Parking – Mrs Mbah has asked that parents please, please, please be considerate to our neighbours when parking and do not block their drives. This behaviour (and potential adult exchange of words it may cause) does not reflect our school values and gives a negative model to our pupils, not least your own child. We are very aware that this is causing some tension and we are asking all parents to be respectful when parking as well as supremely polite when dealing with our neighbours. Additionally, we are speaking to our neighbours to ask them to be polite in their handling of this problem, however, they are understandably, collectively frustrated. We recognise that this is sadly a minority of parents affecting the reputation of you, our parents and our school. Senior leadership team spend a vast amount of time dealing with insensitive parking and neighbour complaint - we would much rather be using this time to further develop your child's education.