



*The William Hogarth School aims to be a community where children acquire a love of learning and the tools with which to learn*

### What's happening this term?

- 21/10/14 Key Stage 1 Harvest Assembly at 9.15am, followed by Friends Coffee Morning (PTA)
- 22/10/14 Open Morning for children joining early years in September 2015 *\*please phone to book in\**
- 22/10/14 Year 6 trip to The Victoria and Albert Museum
- 23/10/14 Key Stage 2 Harvest Assembly at 9.15am followed by Friends Coffee Morning (PTA)
- 24/10/14 Year 6 trip to British museum
- 24/10/14 Last day of half term
- 27/10/14 Half term
- 03/11/14 INSET (no school for children)
- 04/11/14 INSET (no school for children)
- 03/11/14 No after school clubs all week
- 05/11/14 First day back for children

### NSPCC Big Workout

A big thank you to all of the children who returned their sponsor money. For anyone who hasn't returned their form and money it can still be handed in until Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October.

### Postbox

A reminder to all parents:

In the entrance hall there is a red post box in which you can deposit forms and slips rather than queuing to hand them in at the office. Money can also be placed in the box as long as it is in a clearly marked envelope (with your child's name, date and what it is for). The post box is opened daily.

### Lost Scooter

A blue micro scooter belonging to a Reception child has been missing since Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October. If your child has brought home a scooter by mistake, or you find one please bring it to the school office as the child is very upset.

### Drivers

There have been 2 incidents outside the school gates where children and their families have been distressed and felt threatened by the driving of parents from The William Hogarth School.

For the safety of all of our children **do not** drive your car past Fraser Street. Cars are not allowed up by the school gate.

### Uniform

Please can you ensure your child is in full school uniform. Children should wear grey trousers/skirts yellow polo shirt and jade cardigan/ sweatshirt and black footwear. Year 6 should wear a white shirt (tucked in) school cardigan and school tie.

## **Stranger Danger**

Please remind your children of the basic 'Stranger Danger' rules which include:

- Never accept gifts or sweets from a stranger
- Never get in a car with a stranger
- Never go anywhere with a stranger
- Never go off on your own without telling your parents or a trusted adult
- Always play with other children
- Walk to school in pairs or groups for safety

Stranger danger is not just about teaching children who or what to avoid but also includes positive rules so that children know how to keep themselves safe.

## **The Friends of the William Hogarth School**

A big thankyou to Year 5 Ofili who baked and bought lots of delicious goodies at their cake sale last Friday. Today is the Eid celebration, many thanks to all who have cooked for this festival. Next week will be both Yr 4 classes together.

### **Dates**

10th October - Eid Celebration

17th October - Yr 4 cake sale, BOTH Classes together

Tuesday 21st - Harvest Festival Coffee Morning (KS1)

Please join us after Harvest Assembly for coffee and cake.

24th October - Yr 3 cake sale, BOTH Classes together

## **Harvest Donations**

It is Harvest time and the Upper Room are appealing to the generosity of the community to make donations of food and household goods. Please can parents and carers to bring in items to donate and put them onto the display in the school hall. The Upper Room provides a broad range of services for the homeless, vulnerable, socially disadvantaged and ex-offenders of West London and they aim to help people gain enough confidence to get back into the mainstream of society and become self-sufficient.

The charity helps over 1,500 different people every year and serves over 26,000 hot, nutritious meals.

Donations at Harvest and throughout the year are greatly appreciated. Please give generously. Foods with a past sell-by-date cannot be accepted. We prefer tinned food with at least 12 months remaining for consumption.

**Tinned Foods:** vegetables, fish (salmon or tuna), meat, fruit, tomatoes, tomato puree, pulses

**Dry Goods:** sugar (preferably granulated or caster), dried herbs, seasonings (esp. stock cubes), pepper, salt, plain flour, powdered potato, lasagne, lentils, chickpeas SWEET biscuits (please not crackers or cheese biscuits)

**Other:** pasta sauces, olive oil, cooking oil, soya sauce, white wine vinegar

Beverages: instant coffee, tea bags (please NOT loose tea or ground coffee), long life milk, squashes, juices

Cleaning: anti-bacterial hand wash and sanitizer, LARGE strong black garbage and bin liner sacks, rubber gloves (large size), latex/hygiene gloves, washing up liquid, sponges and brushes, kitchen towel and toilet rolls

**Clothing:** trainers, shoes (good condition), new men's and women's tee-shirts, underwear and socks, winter coats, winter hats, gloves (large), clean casual warm clothing in good condition

**Toiletries:** disposable razors, shaving foam/gel, toothbrushes and toothpaste, shampoo, body lotions (small sizes), soap, deodorants, pocket-size packets of tissues

**Equipment:** sleeping bags, blankets, plastic/metal cutlery, soup bowls, cling-film and tin foil (catering size)

### **They do not need:**

breakfast foods (cereal/porridge/jams etc), tinned spaghetti / macaroni & cheese, any wholemeal pasta, spaghetti / cannelloni / unusual sized pastas, chutneys, pickles, chilli sauce, bbq sauce, dried pulses which require soaking, baked beans!