

Newsletter // 17th October 2014

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?		
2	0/10/15	Key Stage 1 Harvest Assembly at 9.15am
		Followed by Friends Coffee Morning (PTA)
2	3/10/15	Key Stage 2 Harvest Assembly at 9.15am
		Followed by Friends Coffee Morning (PTA)
2	3/10/15	Last day of half term
2	6/10/15	Half term $(26th - 30th)$
0	2/11/15	First day back for children
0	2/11/15	Year 6 Bikeability Training (all week)
1	1/11/15	Year 3 Trip - Science Museum
1	2/11/15	Individual school photograph
1	6/11/15	Year 5 Cycle Training (mornings only, all week)
1	7/11/15	Parents Evening 5pm-7pm
1	8/11/15	Parents Evening 4pm-6pm
2	3/11/15	Book Fair (23rd – 26th)
2	6/11/15	Visit from Author Neil Arksey
2	7/11/15	INSET (NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN)
0	4/12/15	Last day for afterschool clubs this term
0	8/12/15	EYS and KS1 Christmas Panto – Sleeping Beauty
1	0/12/15	Trip to Lyric Theatre (KS2) 12.00-5.00pm – Cinderella
1	5/12/15	KS2 Christmas Concert (5.00pm)
1	7/12/15	KS1 Christmas Concert (9.15am)
1	8/12/15	Last day of term-finish at 2pm

The gates automatically open at 3:20 for parents to come into school and collect their children at 3:30.

St. Nicholas Festival

On Saturday 10th October the choir performed at the St. Nicholas Festival in Chiswick. The children all came smartly dressed and ready with beautiful singing voices. They were a joy to the festival and sang beautifully.



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Secondary Transfer Note to Parents with Children in Year 6

Secondary school admissions Advice from LB Hounslow below

If your child was born between 1 September 2004 and 31 August 2005 he/she will need to apply for a secondary school place from September 2015.

You must apply online <u>using e-admissions</u>. We will not be using paper application forms this year. All online applications must be submitted by the closing date of 31 October 2015.

If you do not live in Hounslow, you must apply directly to the council in which you permanently live, even if applying for schools in another borough. Please note we do not process applications for independent fee paying schools.

We advise all parents to read our <u>Transfer to Secondary School in 2016 brochure</u> (<u>PDF Help.</u>, size 2258kb) before making an application. This brochure gives you full information on the application process.

View a list of all secondary schools and their open days here (PDF Help, size 513kb).

Supplementary Information Forms

You must check the admission criteria of the schools you are applying for. Some schools (such as faith schools) require the completion of the school's supplementary information form (SIF) in addition to Hounslow's Common Application Form (online application).

You can download a copy of the SIF for Hounslow Secondary Schools on this page.

Key dates and drop in sessions

If you need help with your application, you can attend one of our drop in sessions. An officer from the School Admissions Team will be available to help with the online application process. A list of the drop in sessions can be found here

Contact us

Email: admissions@hounslow.gov.uk

Tel: 020 8583 2711 School admissions team

Civic Centre Lampton Road Hounslow TW3 4DN

If you have any questions or need any help completing the application, please do come to the school office and we will be able to help you.

Scooters

A scooter has gone missing and the child is very upset. Please check that your child has taken the right scooter home. Can we remind parents and carers that scooters and bicycles should be locked up during and after the school day and to not allow their children to use, play, move or take any scooter or bicycle that does not belong to them. Children should not ride bikes or scooters whilst inside the school grounds.

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. <u>Please can parents and carers to bring in items to donate and put them onto the display in the school hall</u>. 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. <u>Foods with a past sell-by-date cannot be accepted</u>. 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!

Quiz Night

The **Quiz Night** is this coming **Tuesday**, **October 20th at 7.30pm**. Mr Harpley will be our sharp-witted and eloquent quiz master and we are very much looking forward to a fun and trivia filled evening.

You can put a team together with a maximum of 6 people or you can just show up on the night.

Entry is £6 per person which includes cheese and bread for your table. Soft drinks, beer and wine are available for sale on the night. Please let us know if you plan to attend @fowhs14@gmail.com

Last Friday the Friends Annual General Meeting took place. A new committee has been formed and class reps have stepped forward.

Class Reps

Nursery - Morgan Geiss

Reception 1 - TBA

Reception 2 - TBA

Da Vinci - Kelly Smith (Connor yr1)

Van Gogh - Morgan Geiss(Aubrey yr1)

Matisse - Maaike Wierks (Miles yr2)

O 'Keefe - Camilla Paulsen (Frida yr2)

Lowry - TBA

Blake - Caroline Field (Sam yr3)

Fedden - Gabriella Stickler (Alessandra yr4 and Lara yr 6)

Warhol - Elizabeth Cook and Kim Sellis (George yr 4 and Madeline yr 6)

Kandinsky - Teresa Rubina Rogers (Theo yr 5 and Amy yr3)

Hepworth - Eileen Atkinson (Evelyn yr5) and Heleen Miller (Olwen yr 5)

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Picasso - Caroline Karaca (Lauren yr 6 and Ella yr 3) and Saeeda Abdullah (Noah yr6) Ofili - Donna Freed (Dexter yr6)

We are still looking for class representatives for both reception classes and yr3 Lowry. If you would like to get involved and want to step forward for any of these three classes, please let us know @ fowhs14@gmail.com. Being a class rep is a great way of getting to know the people in your class. Your main role will be to help organise the stall your class will host at the summer and Christmas fair and to get your class to bake cakes for your class cake sale, You can make it a joint role with another parent/carer if you don't want to do it on your own, but you will most likely not spend more than 30 minutes of your time per week on this very valuable role.

Committee

Chair - Caroline Karaca

Secretary - Clare Gambling

Treasurer - Emily Cameron

Communications Maaike Wierks and Teresa Rubina Rogers

Members

Morgan Geiss

Kim Sellis

Gabriella Stickler

Elizabeth Cook

Most of the meeting was spent discussing what we could spend the money on which is being raised throughout the year. We would like to spend the money on things or events that all the kids in school will benefit from. This may range from musical instruments to playground equipment, school trips, after school clubs etc. If you have ideas on what to spend the money on, please let us know @fowhs14@gmail.com

In the next PTA meeting on the 5th of November we will set out a fundraising strategy for the coming year so it will be great to hear your ideas before then.

Cake Sale

The year 6 cake sale last week raised £80.50. Thank you to all who brought in the treats! This week it is Year 5's turn to host the sale.

The second hand uniform sale raised £34.50.

Halloween Mufti Day: Friday 23rd of October.

Come to school in your most scary outfit (or your favourite princess dress), and bring a donation for the childrens tombola for the Christmas Fair. Books, small toys, little games etc. make good items for the tombola.

Dates for the Diary:

October 20th: Quiz Night

October 23rd: Mufti day(Halloween theme) and Year 4 Cake Sale

November 5th: PTA Meeting November 6th: yr4 cake sale

Managing Your Child's Behaviour' - the essential guide to behaviour management for parents.

This two hour workshop with Parenting Consultant and author Gill Hines will clarify and simplify the essential process of managing behaviour in ways that encourage children to take responsibility for their own choices and make things right again after mistakes.

Tuesday 20th October, 7.30 - 9.30pm. Kitson Hall, Barnes. Booking is essential as places are limited - some £1 places are available for those who need them.

http://gillhines.co.uk/workshops-for-parents/managing-your-child-s-behaviour.html

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