

Stormont House School Matters



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Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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Duke of Edinburgh Year 12 Practice Expedition

Following an expedition training day with H5 at Stormont House, Year 12 students were ready to take on their first Duke of Edinburgh challenge; the practice expedition. This included an overnight camp, students cooking their own food as a group and a lot of walking.

The students had to plan and train for the expedition so that they completed it through their own physical effort and with minimal intervention from adults. The practice expedition started at Higham's Park Lake in Epping Forest. The students were split into their 3 Duke of Edinburgh groups and had to use their orienteering skills to navigate their way to Gilwell Park Scout Camp. The groups used a map and compass, all the while carrying their rucksacks with equipment for the overnight stay, to navigate the route to their campsite. The Year 12's spent one night camping in Gilwell Park where they had to put up their own tents, cook their own evening meal and breakfast. On Thursday morning they had to pack up camp and make their way to the Queen Elizabeth's Hunting Lodge which marked the end of their practice expedition. They then travelled back to school by train from Chingford Station.

The Year 12's will have to complete their qualifying expedition on 13 and 14 June 2018 making sure they use what they have learnt on their practice expedition. Well done Year 12!



Half Term Sports Activities - Access to Sports Project

This week you will have received the enrolment forms for the Half Term Sports Activity Sessions which are run at Stormont House School by 'The Access to Sports Project' team of coaches. The project is completely FREE for our students to attend, they will be able to experience a wide variety of sports activities.

Tuesday 29 to Thursday 31 May 2018 - 1.30 to 3.30pm

If you would like your child to attend please return the 'Access to Sports' forms to school or call the project on 020 7686 8812 or via email to info@accesstosports.org.uk



Jack Petchey Award for April 2018

Malik was nominated for the Jack Petchey Award for April by the Sixth Form team for being the most caring and thoughtful person in Year 12. Malik is the person who cares about everyone and is always there to lend a helping hand. Malik is the Sixth Form's big brother, making sure no one feels left out or is mistreated and is happy to lend a sympathetic ear to whoever needs it. He goes out of his way to help others and contributes to every aspect of school and college life. Malik has only been at the school a short time but his impact has been huge and he is someone that everyone wants to be friends with. We are so proud of Malik and extremely happy he joined Stormont House School. Well done Malik!



Green Frog Awards for Excellent Behaviour

Each week students receive green frog tokens from members of staff for good behaviour / great work / reaching their targets etc. - each week all of the tokens are entered into a draw where two students receive a £5 gift voucher. The winners on Friday 11 May were - Key Stage 3 - Tyshan Year 7 / Key Stage 4/5 - Conrad Year 10. Well Done Tyshan and Conrad - keep up the great work everyone - you too could be one of the lucky winners.

Exam Update

Thursday 24 May @ 9am, some Year 11 / 12 students will be undertaking Maths IGCSE Paper 1 Foundation Tier
 Tuesday 5 June @ 9am, some Year 11 / 12 students will be undertaking English Language GCSE Paper 1 Foundation Tier
 Thursday 7 June @ 9am, some Year 11 / 12 students will be undertaking Maths IGCSE Paper 2 Foundation Tier
 Friday 8 June @ 9am, some Year 11 / 12 students will be undertaking English Language GCSE Paper 2 Foundation Tier

Year 9 Revaxis and Meningitis ACWY Vaccinations

On Tuesday 22 May students from Year 9 will be receiving the Revaxis and Meningitis ACWY Vaccinations. For those Parents / carers that have not returned their consent forms - the deadline to return is Monday 21 May. If you need further information please call the school reception to speak to Mrs Napier.

Term Dates for your Diary

Half Term	28/05/18 to 01/06/18
Year 12 D of E Qualifying Expedition	Wednesday 13 and Thursday 14 /06/18
Year 11 Record of Achievement	Thursday 21/06/18 - 1.15pm start
Year 12 Leavers Event	Friday 22/06/18 - 1.30pm start
Year 10 France Residential	02/07/18 to 06/07/18
Year 6 Transition Day	Thursday 05/07/18
Lanya Junior High Visiting Stormont	09/07/18 to 13/07/18
Reward Outing Day for Year 7-10	Thursday 19/07/18
Last Day of Summer Term - School closes @ 1.20pm	Friday 20/07/18