

# Stormont House School Matters



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achievement for all

## Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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## Stormont House School - Football Championship Finalists

The teams that qualified for the finals of the Panathlon Football Championships were: Haringey (Riverside School), Enfield (West Lea School), Hillingdon (Pield Heath House & Meadow High Schools), Merton (Cricket Green & Perseid Schools), Bromley (Glebe School), Lambeth (Lansdowne School), Islington (Samuel Rhodes School) and Hackney (Stormont House School).

The championship finals took place on Wednesday 29 November at Wembley Stadium Powerleague Arena, this was the first time that the competition had been played at this new venue. In the morning each team had to play 3 games to decide in which group they would play in the afternoon session. Our under 13 team won 2 and drew 1, the under 16 team achieved the same result.

The afternoon session kicked off with the Hackney team playing sides from Lambeth, Enfield and Haringey. The results from this session were 'Won 3 / Lost 3'. This result meant that the Hackney team finished in second place overall which was a fantastic result. The winning team came from West Lea School representing Enfield, they will keep the Panathlon Championship trophy until November 2018.

The Stormont House School footballers played fantastically and showed excellent team spirit. Mr Hajdrych was very proud of their success



## Jack Petchey November 2017 Winner



The winner of the Jack Petchey Award for November 2017 is Miriam from 10E.

Miriam was nominated for the award by Ms Elford her form tutor. Miriam has grown in confidence since

her transition to Stormont House and has become a valued member of her tutor group. She works to the best of her ability and is always willing to help others, this has been evident in Expressive Arts where she has put herself out to help younger students in her photography sessions. Well Done Miriam.

## Speech and Language Corner - Parent Coffee Morning

We are looking forward to parents joining us next week to discuss ways we can promote vocabulary skills at home and talk about the whole school vocabulary approach we have been using this term.

**Date: Tuesday 5th of December**

**Time: 9:30am (digital studio room)**

**The new WORD OF THE WEEK is...**

**Predict**

What does it mean? To say what happens before it happens

Ideas to try at home: Try and predict what the weather will be like. Predict endings to books or films...

Remember it is not the same as guessing – to predict you have to have some knowledge about the situation. It is not seeing into the future and knowing for sure what will happen.

Speech and Language Therapy Team: Ms May, Ms Burn & Ms Malik



## Year 7 Theatre Trip to 'The Snowman'

On Wednesday 29 November, Year 7 went on a wintery adventure into central London to watch a magical performance of 'The Snowman' at the Peacock Theatre. The story was told with music and dancing, the students were amazed by the fantastic costumes. The stage was really beautiful with huge snowy trees on either side, and lovely lighting which made the show feel very Christmassy.

The students enjoyed many aspects of the performance, such as the penguins bumping their tummies together, the ballerina dancing on her tiptoes and Santa strutting his stuff. Deniz, in 7M declared that the show was 'Very nice!' and Harvey P loved the music. The best moment for Darryl was watching the snowman and the boy flying through the air. It was really sad when the boy found the melted snowman at the end though!

Thank you very much to Ms Driver for organising everything and well done to Year 7 for being a great audience.



## Exams Update

**Tuesday 5 December @ 9am, students from 10J will be undertaking a Functional Skills Entry Level Maths (EL1) exam.**

**Wednesday 6 December @ 11am, students from 10E will be undertaking a Functional Skills Maths Entry Level 1, 2, 3 exam.**

## Term Dates for your Diary

**Reward Outing for Students (Years 8/9/10/11/12)**

**Reward Outing for Year 7 Students**

**Christmas Lunch**

**End of Autumn Term**

**Spring Term Start**

Friday 15 December 2017

Wednesday 20 December 2017

Tuesday 19 December 2017

Thursday 21 December 2017 - School closes @ 1.20pm

Wednesday 3 January 2018