

Stormont House School Matters



Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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Jack Petchey Annual Achievement Awards Ceremony 2016

On Thursday 6 October the 'Jack Petchey Annual Achievement Award Ceremony' for Hackney took place at Stoke Newington Town Hall. The event was attended by students from 4 secondary schools and a selection of clubs and youth projects from across Hackney borough.

The Jack Petchey organisation supports almost 2,000 schools, colleges and youth organisations throughout London and Essex. The scheme which has been in operation for the last 15 years is a reward and recognition initiative which enables schools and youth organisations to celebrate the achievements of their young people. The presentation event is an opportunity to highlight the positive contributions being made by students across Hackney. Achievement occurs in many forms and the award ceremony is a celebration and acknowledgement of the range and diversity of the award winners developments.

The following students attended the ceremony from Stormont House School - Shekinah (Yr 10), Jojo (Yr 9), Tia (Yr 12), Ben (Ex student), Ty (Yr 11), Brett (Yr 10), Chardonnay (Yr 8) and Joshua (Yr 12). The awards were presented by His Worshipful, The Mayor of Hackney - Philip Granville. The evening was a great success with entertainment provided by Springfield Soul and The Petchey Vocal Ensemble. Thank you to parents /carers and family members for supporting their children at this fantastic event.



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If you use Twitter, please "follow" us to get the latest news and information about the school in your Twitter feed.

This is an additional form of communication which will allow us to get information out quickly and help us promote the school and the outstanding achievements of our children and staff. We are committed to demonstrating safe, positive and responsible use of social media and encouraging the use of 21st Century technology.

Please note that this will run alongside the usual communication methods such as face to face contact at school, home letters and the existing school website and will not replace them. At this time we are using Twitter as a one way "broadcast" account, so will not respond to replies to tweets. Please use the usual methods of contact if you have something which you want to discuss with the school.

Year 8 Step Back In Time at the Tower of London

On Monday 3 October Year 8 visited the Tower of London to support their work on Tudor Kings and Queens and Tudor crime and punishment. It was a wonderful sunny day and the students really enjoyed seeing where the Tudor monarchs lived and worked. Year 8 saw the crown jewels, the ravens, Henry VIII's armour and the torture chamber! It was a brilliant day which has helped all the students to be able to talk in greater depth about their learning.



'The Riot Act' Road Safety Drama / Workshop

The Riot Act, a theatre in education team, came into school on Wednesday 5 October to deliver an engaging learning experience about road safety to Year 8 students. The performance included a workshop where students were able to share their ideas and thoughts about road safety.



Term Dates for your Diary

Autumn Half Term	Monday 24 to Friday 28 October
End of Autumn Term	Wednesday 21 December
Spring Term Start	Tuesday 3 January 2017
Spring Half Term	Monday 13 February to Friday 17 February 2017
End of Spring Term	Thursday 31 March 2017
Summer Term Start	Tuesday 18 April 2017
Summer Half Term	Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June 2017
End of Summer Term	Friday 21 July 2017