chool Matters: information for parents/carers and pupils

Stormont House School

Our school vision: Achievement for all in a unique world class school

Important Information / Dates to Remember

- End of Year School Reports being issued Friday 15 July
- School closes at 1.15pm on Friday 22nd July for the summer holidays
- School re-opens Monday 5 September 2011 for staff training closed to pupils
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Parent/carers are welcome from 1.45pm Hackney Downs See you on Hackney Downs next to the school!

Olympic Park Visit

On 5 July our winning team from The Secondary Schools Sports Championships received an additional prize of a guided tour of the Olympic Park in Stratford. Pupil's staff and our Chair of Governors, Bernard Hawes were able to see the developments

up close on a guided bus tour of the site.

Work in progress at the Olympic Park site.

Many thanks to all parent/carers who returned the questionnaire on whether we should have a school uniform.

School Uniform Consultation

We will let you know of the outcome as soon as all the replies are collated.



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Enterprise within the Garden (2)

As part of Year 10 Maths lessons pupils have been using the garden to help complete 'Functional Skills' tasks. The pupils have now delivered their orders of seedlings and collected payment. In just three weeks the project made £50. This money will be used to open a bank account and invest in the project in order to make a further profit.









Ismail checks his order with payment.



Ms Packer and Richard

Gardening in English Year 7

Mrs Whitbread's successful Year 7 English group used the gardening project to write about the seeds they have sown and plants they have grown and designed a group crossword puzzle. **Can you work out the answers?**

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Across

- **1**. A fruit that grows in the summer. Often used in salads. It is red. T _ _ A _ _
- 2. If you leave a banana for a long time it will R _ _
- 4. A fruit that is green and rhymes with bear. P _ _ _
- **5**. It feels soft. It helps plants to grow and it is brown.
- _OM_O_T
- **7**. You can dig this with a fork. S _ _ L
- **8.** It's not coffee but a cup of _ _ _
- **9.** When you get injured you say '___
- **10.** You can eat corn on the _ _ _
- **12**. It helps the flower to stand up and it is long and green. S _ M
- **13**. Hard to get rid of. W _ _ D _
- **14**. Another word for chew. _ _
- 15. You get these from plants. N_TR__NTS

Down

- **1**. The opposite of short. Runner beans become this.
- 2. These are under plants and tree, help them to stay alive and collects water and nutrients. R _ _ T
- **3**. Another word for equals. T T S
- **6**. You can grow plants from these. It rhymes with weeds.
- **7**. Strawberries are S _ _ _ Lemons are sour.
- 11. They grow in pods. They can be baked, found in a can in tomato sauce. B _ _ _
- 12. It's hot and yellow. You need to use special cream to stop you from burning. _ _ _

Answers will be printed in next week's issue

Term Dates

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