



Record of Achievement Day Thursday 20 June 2013



*On Thursday 20 June we said farewell to **Year 11** by celebrating their achievements in our Record of Achievement Ceremony. Year 11 were joined by a number of guests, our Chair of governors Bernard Hawes, Williams Lea Mentors, Beryl Grosvenor our previous Deputy Head, Gordon Bell MBE as well as many proud parents/carers and family members.*

Year 7 Woodrow House School Journey

On Monday 1 July **Year 7** depart for Woodrow House Outdoor Education Centre and return on Wednesday 3 July for an adventurous three days. Activities such as pond dipping, swimming and scavenger hunts are to name but a few of what they will be participating in whilst there. **(Reminder of what to pack is listed below:)**

- Several pairs of comfortable trousers (preferably not jeans as they are uncomfortable if they become wet) and shorts (season/weather and activity dependant)
- Warm clothing such as a tracksuit, long and short-sleeved t-shirts and a couple of fleeces/jumpers
- Underwear
- Pyjamas
- Waterproof coat and trousers
- Swimwear + Towel
- Hat, gloves, scarves, sun-cream, (weather dependant)
- 2 x towel (please note that the centre does not provide towels)
- Toiletries (please avoid aerosol products as these set off the fire alarm)
- Personal medication - handed to SHS staff member
- Indoor and outdoor shoes
- Trainers with non-marking soles suitable for the sports hall
- Drinks bottle suitable for water
- Day bag (to take on bus and large enough to contain a packed lunch, drinks bottle, and wet weather gear). If arriving in the morning, we anticipate groups will not have clear access to their large bags until being shown to their rooms around 5pm.
- Camera (disposable is preferable)
- Torch and batteries
- A book to read or any small travel games
- Plastic bin bags/carrier bags for wet clothing

Watch this space for photos and a report of their trip in our next issue of School Matters

Year 9 Visit to London Metropolitan Archives



Year 9 will be visiting London Archives as part of their English courseworkwork. London Metropolitan Archives is home to an extraordinary range of documents, images, maps, films and books about London. The office of Archives offers an insight into the archives, with practical advice on how to research and use them, both at London Metropolitan Archives and online. A wide range of selection of talks, guided tours, film screenings, exhibitions and other events, are provided so it will be a very informative and interesting visit for Year 9.

Interborough Athletics Championships – Watford Saturday 30 June

Stormont House pupils will be taking part in the Interborough Championships on Saturday 29 June in Watford. They will be competing in various track and field events. Results to follow in next newsletter.

Year 8 School Journey to Kench Hill

Year 8 enjoyed an exciting week at Kench Hill Centre recently. Kench Hill is a Georgian mansion located in the Kent countryside. A variety of activities are provided at the centre included orienteering, bread-making, brick making and team building. They played football in a field and tried out the monkey bars. Pupils also took turns to feed the chickens and hold the guinea pig. Whilst they were there they visited local areas such as, Camber Sands and Bodiam Castle.



Year 8 pupils enjoying a range of activities at Kench Hill

Achievement Board

Brandon Year 10 was awarded a Bronze Certificate of Achievement in Maths

Nikita Year 9 was awarded a Silver Certificate in Literacy

Tia Year 8 was awarded a Silver Certificate of Achievement in Maths

Rebecca Year 10 was awarded a Silver Certificate of Achievement in Maths

Hoaí Phong Year 9 was awarded a Bronze Certificate of Achievement in Art