



Stormont House School Matters

Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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Reminders:

- ✚ Friday 21 March - Staff Training Day - school will **CLOSE** to all pupils at 1.15pm
- ✚ Monday 24 March School reopens at the usual time.
- ✚ Wednesday 26 March Parent/Carer Coffee Morning POSTPONED due to NUT Teachers Strike - rescheduled for Monday 31 March at 11am
- ✚ Wednesday 26 March Year 12 Consultation proposal response forms to be returned to Hackney Learning Trust
- ✚ Friday 4 April at 1.15pm School will close for the end of Spring term
- ✚ Wednesday 23 April Summer term begins school reopens at the usual time.

SCHOOL CLOSURE

NUT TEACHERS' STRIKE ON Wednesday 26 March

School will be CLOSED to all pupils

School will re-open at the usual time on Thursday 27 March



A 'thank you' from Ofsted

The Lead Ofsted Inspector would like to thank the pupils, parents/ carers, staff and governors for making their visit to Stormont House School such a welcoming and positive one. Both inspectors said that it had been a pleasure to be here. I can tell you that the pupils were a credit to us all, and the positive feedback from parents and carers was very valuable. As always, the staff gave of their best despite the understandable extra pressure of inspectors coming into any lesson at any time; our World Book Day assembly went on as planned, including the parade of pupils dressed as their favourite characters. Inspectors were impressed by the range and depth of the curriculum, right the way from Maths and English to Circus Skills! We look forward to the report being published!

Sporting News

National Junior Indoor Rowing Championships Lee Valley Centre

Today the following pupils competed in the Rowing competition at Lee Valley Centre. Year 7 Ashley and Victoria Year 8 Kevin and Kane, Year 9 Lorell, Year 10 Nikita and Shaquille and Year 11 Tori and George.

East Regional Final Panathlon Championships Competition

Tuesday 25 March Year 9 and 2 Year 10 pupils will be attending the Multi Sports East finals at the UEL Docklands to compete in the regional final games.

London Youth Games – Tennis

Thursday 27 March Stormont House pupils will be competing at The Westway Centre in the Tennis finals.

Best of luck to all competing – watch this space for all results that will be published in future newsletters

Sports Relief Day - Friday 21 March 2014

During the morning of Friday 21 March we held a Sports Relief fund raising activity session; pupils participated in a selection of sporting activities instead of their lessons they would normally have during periods 3 and 4.

This was a non-uniform day so pupils paid £1 NOT to wear uniform. Members of staff also contributed so they were able to wear casual clothing, but it cost them £2 to do so.

All proceeds from the morning's events will be going to 'Sports Relief Charity'. We will let you know how much was raised in our newsletter in the coming weeks.



Next week's events

- ❖ Mon 24 March 10M Art trip to Kew Gardens
- ❖ Tue 25 March East Regional Finals Panathlon Championships
- ❖ Wed 26 March **SCHOOL CLOSURE TEACHER (NUT) STRIKE (school closed to pupils)**
- ❖ Thur 27 March London Youth Games Tennis Championships
- ❖ Fri 28 March Year 11 GCSE Art trip to The Tate Modern Gallery

Dates for your Diary 2014

Staff Training afternoon

Year 7 Easter Play
Reward Outings

Friday 21 March (school closes at 1.15pm)

Friday 28 March (parent/carers are welcome)
Thursday 3 April

End of Term for Pupils

Friday 4 April 2014 (school closes at 1.15pm)

EASTER Holiday (7 April – 21 April)

Staff Training Day

Pupils return for summer term

Bank Holiday
Half term

Tuesday 22 April (School closed)

Wednesday 23 April

Monday 5 May

Monday 26 May to Friday 30 May

End of Term for Pupils

Friday 18 July (school closes at 1.15pm)

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