

Stormont House School Matters



Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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Stormont Sports Day Competition 2019

On Friday 12 July Mr Hajdrych had everything organised for the annual Stormont House School Sports Day, all of the staff and students were very excited and ready for the day's events. The morning started with the cricket competition and the team work challenge, each team supported one another and worked together to get the best possible result. The Red team won both the team work challenge and the cricket competition. In the afternoon the teams took part in the following team challenges - Basketball Shootout / Penalty Shoot Out / Shot Put / Javelin / Standing Long Jump and the team relay - the Red team came out on top after all the points were calculated from this challenge. The last event was the 'Tug of War' each team tried their hardest to win, the maroon team were the eventual winners. Once the event was finished Mr Hajdrych tallied all the scores and the results were as follows: 1st place - Red Team / 2nd place - Yellow Team / 3rd place - Maroon / 4th place - Purple Team / 5th place - Green Team / 6th place - Blue Team. Mr Hajdrych selected the following students for 'Team Spirit Awards' - Vijay / D'yah / Pinar / Thomas and DJ. Well done everyone.



Lanya Junior High Annual Visit to Stormont House

On Tuesday 9 July Stormont House were visited by our friends from Lanya Junior High School in Taipei, Ms Alice Lai the Lanya trip organiser arrived at school with 17 very excited students. Year 7 and 8 have been skyping their pen pals from Lanya on a regular basis throughout the year and were pleased to finally meet their partners. The Lanya students experienced the Stormont curriculum by attending our children's classes. On Wednesday 10 July, Year 7 accompanied Lanya to Alexandra Palace Ice Skating Centre, the Lanya students were amazed by the spectacular views across London and thoroughly enjoyed rowing around the boating lake and feeding the ducks. On Thursday 11 July Lanya's final day came round all too soon, the Lanya students showcased their amazing skills including playing the recorder, singing and football tricks. All of the students said a fond farewell to their friends, wishing them a safe journey home.



An Orchestra Experience for Year 8

Throughout May, June and July this term, students in Year 8 have been involved in an exciting project with the Apollo Orchestra. Members of each section Brass, Woodwind, Strings as well as the Conductor David Chernaik visited Stormont House School to open up the world of the orchestra to our students. We had an introduction with each musician telling the students about their instruments and how they worked. Each ensemble played an exciting variety of pieces from Mozart and Ravel to the sound tracks from Star Trek and Harry Potter. David Chernaik gave us a master class on how to conduct a symphony orchestra. The project culminated by an invitation to an explosive and magical concert of Stravinsky's Firebird at the Hackney Empire. During the instrumental sessions, every student was fully involved. The members of the orchestra once again said that our students were most attentive and asked and answered quite difficult questions. Miss Cross was very impressed with the students' exemplary behaviour and with the way they engaged so well with every session.



FREE!!! Summer Holiday Sports Activities - Access to Sports Project

Don't forget to sign your child up for the Summer Sports Activity Sessions which are run at Stormont House School by 'The Access to Sports Project' team of coaches. The project is completely FREE for our students to attend, they will be able to experience a wide variety of sports activities.

Week 1 - Monday 22 to Thursday 25 July 2019 - 2.30 to 4.30pm / Week 2 - Monday 29 July to Thursday 1 August 2019 - 2.30 to 4.30pm

If you would like your child to attend please return the 'Access to Sports' forms to school or call the project on 020 7686 8812 or via email to info@accesstosports.org.uk. To find out more visit www.accesstosports.org.uk



Dates for your Diary

CPD INSET Day (School CLOSED to Students)

Autumn Term - Years 7 and 11 Start Date

Autumn Term - Years 8, 9 and 10 Start Date

Autumn Term - Year 12 Start Date

CPD INSET Day (School CLOSED to Students)

Autumn Half Term

Monday 2 September 2019

Tuesday 3 September 2019

Wednesday 4 September 2019

Friday 6 September 2019

Friday 20 September 2019

Monday 21 - Friday 25 October 2019