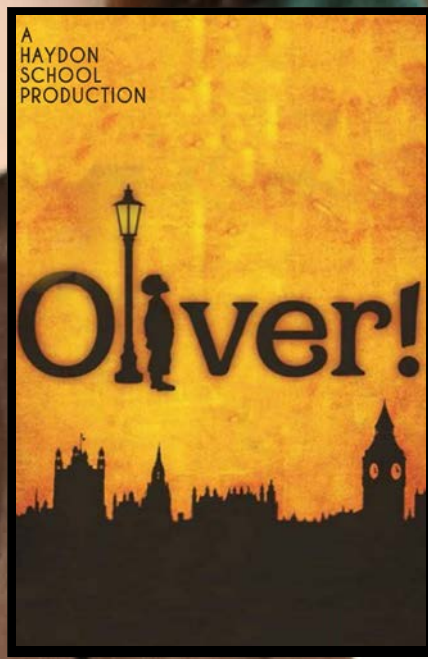


HAYDON SCHOOL

NEWSLINK

EASTER 2019



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MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

MR ROBERT JONES



You will have seen from my update letters throughout the term and this edition of 'Newslink' that as ever this has been a very busy term.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank parents for their ongoing support with the changes we have made to the Relationship Charter which is having a positive effect on the students in school.

There have been a number of highlights since the start of 2019 including the outstanding school production of 'Oliver', Spring Concert and Year 7 Arts Alliance; several school trips including the Ski Trip to Switzerland, the Science trip to Iceland, the Year 12 trip to Italy, Geography field trip and Duke of Edinburgh trip; a very enjoyable Book Day and a successful Careers week. Our sports teams have also enjoyed much success.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the staff at the school for their dedication and hard work which will hopefully enable many of our students to achieve excellent examination results in the coming weeks. I am sure that the students in Years 11 and 13 will be following a well-planned revision timetable during the holiday but also taking the opportunity to relax and enjoy their time at home.

All that remains is for me to do is to wish you all a very enjoyable Easter and remind you that school resumes on Tuesday 23 April at 8.40am.

R W Jones
Headteacher

CAREERS WEEK

Careers Week

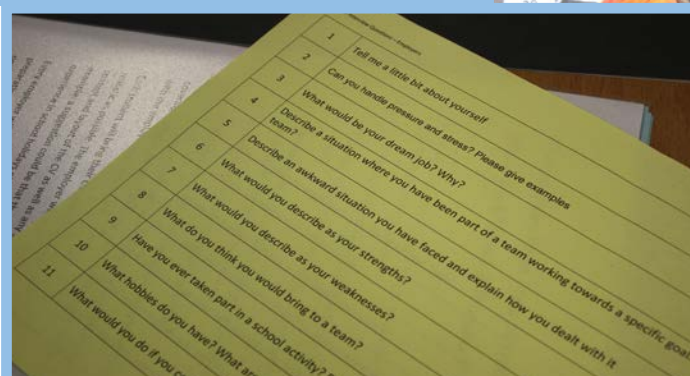
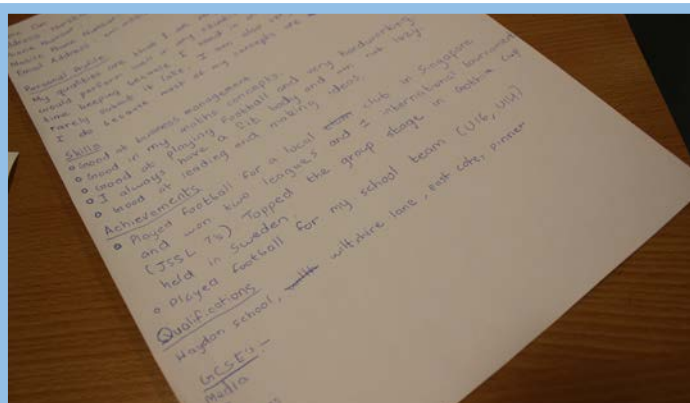
Careers Week took place during the week Monday 4 March – Friday 8 March. The main focus during this week was to provide students with an insight into careers and the world of work and to support them thinking about the choices they will make in the future.

Year 7 and 8 students were presented with a careers focused assembly, introducing them to the world of work and what a typical working day would entail. We invited some guest speakers who provided more information on the companies that they work for.

Year 9 students undertook a work experience day. Mock Interviews for the workplace took place for Year 10 students. This involved them preparing CVs and learning about interview techniques, appropriate attire, body language and eye contact. The Mock interviews were conducted on 6 & 7 March with employers.

Year 11 students attended an assembly that focused on work skills, how they can build their CV and gain key skills through work experience, an apprenticeship invite also took place in the afternoon for a selected group of students who wanted to follow this route into employment.

Our teachers shared their personal journeys of education and experiences with their classes throughout the week in each subject, and also focused on the employment opportunities that their subjects may lead to.



Standing Out From the Crowd

The Year 10 basketball qualifiers for London Youth Games took place last month at Uxbridge College.

There were a number of schools representing Hillingdon, Oak Wood, Rosedale, Bishop Ramsey, Uxbridge High and Haydon School. Our basketball team in particular had one special player among all of the boys. Just before International Women's Day, 14 year old Shauna from Haydon School was the only girl competing in the London Youth Games tournament at Uxbridge College.

Haydon School won the final against Bishop Ramsey in double overtime and will now represent the Hillingdon Borough going forward. We would like to say a huge well done to Haydon PE/ Basketball team and to Shauna for breaking down the gender barriers in sports.



HAYDON SPORTS BULLETIN – Extra-Curricular Clubs Timetable Summer Term 2019

	AFTERSCHOOL 15:00 – 16:15			
Mon	Badminton – KS4 Dobson JRB Yr9, Yr10, Yr11		Trampoline – All Years (see Mrs Richards to sign up) St Marys 3-5pm MFR Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10, Yr11	
Tue	Trampoline – All Years (see Mrs Richards to sign up) St Marys 3-5pm MFR Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10, Yr11	Cricket – KS3 Dobson / Courts / Field EJW / NXT / JRB / PAA Yr7, Yr8,	Cricket – KS4 Dobson / Courts / Field EJW / NXT / JRB / PAA Yr9, Yr10	Boxing St Nicks Sweet Science (email mchang.312@lgflmail.org to sign up) Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10, Yr11
Wed	Athletics Field MFR / EJW / HNE / PAA / KLG / JRB / RON / NXT Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10	GCSE Athletics Field MFR / EJW / HNE / PAA / KLG / JRB / RON / NXT Yr9, Yr10	Tennis Top Courts NOM / EJW Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10, Yr11	
Thu	Softball Field PAA / RON Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10	Rounders Field HNE / KLG / JRB / NXT Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10	Gymnastics St Marys 3-5pm MFR Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10, Yr11	
Fri	Basketball Dobson PAA Yr7, Yr8, Yr9, Yr10, Yr11		Badminton – KS3 St Marys JRB Yr7, Yr8	



Trampolining After School Club - Summer Term 2019

Haydon Trampolining Club will be from 2.50pm-4.50pm on the days and dates below.

Monday 29 April – Monday 15 July – 10 weeks - COST: £61

(NOT 6 May – May Day)

(NOT 27 May – half term)

Tuesday 30 April – Tuesday 16 July – 11 weeks - COST £67

(NOT 28 May – half term)

Trampolining Club is run by an external coach who has a level 3 Club Coach qualification.

Students will work towards level cards and develop moves and routines through a scheme of work. They will also have the opportunity to enter the end of term school club competition. Places are limited to a maximum of 18 per night and are allocated on a first come first served basis.

Places can be booked by emailing your son/daughters full name, form and preferred day

to: mchang.312@lgflmail.org

SWEETSCIENCE BOXING AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS



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SweetScience have been working on the curriculum in schools across the country since 2005. With exceptional, documented and tangible results, our unique programme is about a lot more than just simply boxing.

OUR PROGRAMME TICKS ALL THE BOXES

SELF DISCIPLINE - SweetScience shows young people the benefits of developing self-discipline, how to achieve it and how it will improve their lives.

CHILDHOOD OBESITY - Obesity is at an all-time high and rising. We educate students about healthier food choices and expose the tricks used by the food industry, as well as the importance of exercise.

SELF CONFIDENCE - What happens when kids take part in the SweetScience programme? Overweight kids burn fat, bullies learn humility, girls become empowered, weak become strong, the wild develop control and the timid find courage.

ANGER MANAGEMENT - This term is becoming more and more common in schools. the reality is that young people today have a very little opportunity to learn how to channel and release stress in a productive and safe way.

EXERCISE-HEALTH-FITNESS - Very few young people enjoy running or sitting on a bike in the gym. The SweetScience programme makes getting in shape almost unnoticeable through fun and engagement.

SELF DEFENCE - Young people do not carry knives because they are tough and strong, they carry them because they are scared and weak. Our programme gives young people confidence. There is absolutely nothing wrong in knowing how to defend yourself - without knives.

OUR PRICES

Our programme runs over the course of ten weeks, Each session is one hour, and we provide all the necessary equipment.

Each class requires a minimum of 16 students, and we can cater for a maximum of 22 students per class.

The total cost of the entire programme for one student is just £49.50.

All SweetScience coaches are fully qualified, experienced and enhanced DBS checked.

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A SELECTION OF TESTIMONIALS ABOUT THE SWEETSCIENCE PROGRAMME

"The SweetScience Programme has impacted on student behaviour significantly. This has been used as a 'prevent rather than cure' programme, showing pupils the right direction not only in school but in the wider community".

MAIDEN ERLEGH SCHOOL

"The transformation in my daughter's confidence is unbelievable thanks to the SweetScience Programme".

VYNERS SCHOOL PARENT

"SweetScience is great for students who need a boost in their self-esteem. It is suitable for all and will teach each participant something that they will value for life"

THE WEMBLEY STADIUM LEARNING ZONE

"Boxing engaged pupils, it raises self-esteem and confidence, teaches discipline and of course is a good workout".

BURLINGTON DANES ACADEMY - Dame Sally Coates

"I fully support SweetScience Boxing Programme in schools because it is dear to my heart. Non-contact boxing can be enjoyed by boys and girls and not only teaches them discipline but will keep them extremely fit. I have always thought banning boxing in schools was a retrograde step. I am delighted that authorities are slowly coming around to my way of thinking. Boxing training allows youngsters to channel their natural energy in the right direction".

SIR HENRY COOPER - British Heavyweight Champion for 12 years

OLIVER!

Years 7 to 13 were involved in the whole school production of 'Oliver!' as actors, musicians, technicians and backstage crew. The show was first performed to Coteford Junior School and then to staff, students and parents on Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th March. The show was a fantastic opportunity for the many year groups to unite in order to create an impressive and entertaining performance of a classic musical. The show was well attended and gained great praise from staff and parents alike. Many thanks and well done to all of the students involved in the performance and to the Performing Arts Faculty and all of the staff involved and a special thanks to our musical director Mr Bowman, our technical director Mr Lapham and our director Ms Pennell.

Mr T Daley - Head of Faculty of Performing Arts, Music, Media and Film



SPRING CONCERT 2019



TRIPS

SKI TRIP TO SWITZERLAND

From 15 to 22 February, thirty nine students and six staff went to Crans-Montana, Switzerland for the annual ski trip. A large number of students learned to ski for the first time. This trip helped students develop resilience, patience, teamwork and social intelligence. The weather was sunny and the snow was plentiful and students were able to ski every day. Each morning students woke up to stunning views of the Swiss Alps. In the evenings the group took part in a torchlight led walk around a lake, played tennis, badminton, table tennis, went tubing, visited a thermal spa in Saillon, ate chocolate and danced in a disco. Everyone enjoyed themselves and will look back on their trip to Switzerland with fond memories.



Mr S Clarke - Trip Leader

ICELAND TRIP

During half term in February, the Science Faculty took twenty nine Year 10 students to Iceland for a fun packed four days. After a 3am start on the first day the party arrived in Reykjavik around 10am and went straight off for a coach around the southern peninsula stopping at the bridge between continents on the boundaries of the North American and the Eurasian tectonics plates, where the students 'walked to America' across the bridge and saw many sulphurous vents of the geothermal field. The students were not too impressed with the smell of 'rotten eggs' but were impressed with the wonderful sights. The trip also took in a tour to see the Northern Lights catching a small glimpse of the 'Aurora Borealis'.

The group visited three famous waterfalls including Gullfoss, which is the biggest waterfall in Europe they caught glimpses of the Eyjafjallajökull Volcano made famous for the ash cloud in 2010, and Hekla, which is Iceland's most active volcano. They visited the Lava Centre, an interactive, high tech educational exhibition depicting volcano activity across Iceland and visited the Secret Lagoon, where they could bath outside in the natureal thermal waters. They also had a tour of the Geothermal Power Station and the Great Geysir, which has lent its name to hot springs around the world and is home to Strokkur the most active Geysir that spouts 30 metres into the air. Finally they visited Iceland's most historic site, Pingvellir National Park where again the tectonic plates meet but it is also the site of the world's oldest democratic parliament founded in 930 and offered fabulous views across the open land.

This amazing educational experience and one which the students will remember in years to come.

Mrs C Brook - Trip Leader



SCHOOL SCIENCE COMPETITION 2019

On Wednesday 27th March four of Haydon School's STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) students were shortlisted for the final of a science competition at Imperial College London. As part of the competition the group had to design and develop an idea that would meet one of the 17 UN Global Goals. Our students chose to investigate and develop a new idea to access affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy. Out of over 150 schools that entered the competition, with schools from places like Macau entering, we were chosen as one of seven finalists. The competition was fierce, with judges such as Lord Robert Winston and Helen Sharman the first UK female astronaut asking difficult questions. Our group wanted to implement piezoelectric plates, which are plates that generate a potential difference when pressure is applied. The group's idea was to place piezoelectric plates in train stations, specifically before and after ticket barriers. The high footfall through train stations would therefore generate a large amount of renewable power which could be utilised. We are proud of the achievements of our students who were awarded as runners up for their idea.

Mr L Rowe - Science Teacher



BOOKDAY 2019

On Friday 8th March, everyone at Haydon celebrated 'World Book Day' with a brilliant book themed menu in the canteen, a hunt for Wally, spotting the teacher reading and a bookmark competition organised by our librarian. It was a fun filled day enjoyed by all the staff and pupils; especially those who managed to win themselves some prizes. Everyone also received their World Book Day voucher entitling them to a FREE BOOK! The theme this year was 'Share A Story', so everyone read/listened to a part of a story at the start of every lesson, and had to wait until their next lesson to find out what happened next - the twist at the end really was worth the wait!

Our lucky competition winners were:

Where's Wally competition: Leithusha Ambikapathy

'6 word story' tutor competition: 11KAS

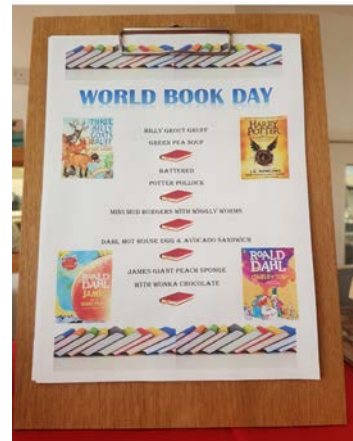
Spot the Teacher Competition: Erica Martins

Bookmark competition:

1st - Bianca Bodrug

2nd - Kara Harot

Joint 3rd: Noor Razzaq & Molly Dorricott



Ms K Sajjad| KS3 English Co-ordinator| Haydon School





STAFF RAFFLE PRIZE



LETTINGS

New Indoor Cricket Net Facilities

We have been working with Eastcote Cricket Club and a Haydon Alumni; Marc Broom - Eastcote CC Director of Cricket to install 4 indoor cricket lanes with 2G Flicx pitches in our Dobson Sports Hall. Having a close relationship with Eastcote Cricket Club means that we were able to make sure that we installed the best indoor cricket facilities within the Hillingdon Borough.

A small opening ceremony was held on Monday 1st April for our new cricket nets facilities. We invited Mr Jones, the Chairman of Eastcote Cricket Club and the Director of Eastcote to cut the ribbon. Alongside this we had demonstrations from our PE Department and Haydon PE students, we also invited some Junior Eastcote Cricket Club Colts from Haydon to test our new facilities. Moreover, we got Mr Jones to get involved in the demonstrations and he showed us his cricketing skills.

We hope that our new facilities will encourage more students to take on Cricket as a sport and help our current students with enhancing their skills. Alongside this, we aim to become a central hub during the autumn/winter months for local cricket teams to help them train and practise using our facilities here at Haydon.

For more information on booking our cricket net facilities please email: lettings@haydonschool.org.uk or visit our website: <https://haydonschool.schoolbookings.co.uk/>



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- 2G Flicx Pitch
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- Free Parking available on site

Book Now!

ALUMNI EVENING



HAYDON SCHOOL



A chance for old and new faces to gather together to celebrate Haydon School's history and achievements.

ALUMNI EVENING

Haydon School
St Marys Hall
Wiltshire Lane, Eastcote
HA5 2LX

Tuesday 21st May
7:00 -9:00pm

- Headteacher's Talk
- Refreshments & Networking
- Musical Entertainment
- Tour of the school
- Updates about upcoming projects
- Presentations from current / former students

Book Now : <https://haydonalumni.eventbrite.co.uk>



KEY DATES & CONTACTS

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PLEASE NOTE: DATES CAN BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. WE ADVISE YOU TO CHECK THE SCHOOL WEBSITE ON A REGULAR BASIS.

Monday 8 April – Monday 22 April 2019 – Easter Holiday

SUMMER TERM 2019

Tuesday 23 April Term starts

Monday 6 May May Day (School closed)

Monday 27 May - Friday 31 May – Half Term

Friday 19 July Last day of term



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