

THE HAMLET HERALD



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HEAD OF SCHOOL'S NOTE

Enrichment Fever has begun... It was just lovely seeing the entire school, pupils and staff, all moving to different 'homes' around the school and beyond for their first session this afternoon. There was a real sense of anticipation and excitement as the children moved like clockwork to one of the 25 activities on offer. This afternoon, the children have been enjoying cartoon graphics and illustrations, Forest School, digital music, and yoga and relaxation to name a few.

Enrichment was brought to DHJS by Miss N Thomson many years ago now and is a firm feature in the calendar enjoyed greatly by the children. It's an opportunity to have a break from the norm, possibly try your hand at something a bit different, while meeting Hamleteers from different classes and year groups. There is a real sense of community spirit.

It was fantastic to see so many of you yesterday joining us for the final Open Classroom of the year. The children really do value the time you spend with them engaging in conversation about their learning and the work they have produced, which they were clearly very proud to 'show-off'. Teachers are now busy compiling the end of year academic reports for your children. They will be coming home via the book bags on Monday 16th July.

'Thank you' to the parents who joined us yesterday for our annual Governor morning: your time was much appreciated. The Governors will be putting together a piece for the Hamlet Herald to feed back their reflections in the next few weeks.

PACKED LUNCHES FOR TRIPS AND VISITS

Many of you have approached us over the past few months and questioned our historic system of asking you to provide a packed lunch in a disposable plastic bag. We have discussed this as a staff and agree whole heartedly that we should be changing this approach and instead, be promoting a culture where we limit the use of plastics, recognising that we all have a responsibility to conserve resources and protect the environment in which we live. As such, we are now going to be asking children to bring in small ruck sacks to carry their lunches when we are out and about on school trips.

KEY DATES

Monday 11th June

Y3 to Dulwich Woods, pm

Tuesday 12th June

'The Weekly Mile' – gates open **8:15-8:30am** Griffin Field
Class photos

Wednesday 13th June

Choir performing at The Tower of London

Thursday 14th June

'The Weekly Mile' – gates open **8:15-8:30am** Griffin Field
Y3 and Y2 DVIS joint break time

Friday 15th June

Enrichment session 2

PTA UPDATE

Thank you so much for supporting our cake sale just before the half-term break. A super £111.00 was raised.

We have one week to go before our 'Carnival' themed Summer Fair. Donations are trickling in via the boxes under the shed in Village playground – please keep them coming!

You still have time to purchase your raffle tickets. We have some amazing prizes that have been generously donated by local businesses and supporters including: a three month membership at Dulwich College Sports Club, a one week holiday course at JAGs, as well as numerous vouchers and gifts. The deadline for the return of your stubs and payment (£1 per ticket) is Friday 15th June, via the school office in a sealed envelope. Please retain your tickets! The raffle will be drawn at 2:30pm on the day of the Fair.

WEEKLY HOUSE POINTS

Topaz Water	Ruby Fire	Garnet Earth	Sapphire Air
			
Roll-over!			

