

THE ROCHE SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Dear Parents,

It's an emotional time of year right now with our Year 6 leavers involved in their "last evers...at The Roche School". On Tuesday night, they performed Bussy Malone. Mr Gunther was in his element with this jazzy piece set in a nightclub and the performers sang and danced like pros. Even better, I got my hands on a splurge gun at the end and had a great deal of fun with it. Enjoy your final days Year 6! We will miss you.

On Wednesday, Mr Gilbert and Mrs Lorna hosted Battle of the Books. Well done to our Year 4s for participating in this initiative for high-attaining readers. Eight schools across the borough competed in a quiz with Art and Drama challenges related to some wonderful books.

Thursday saw dozens of parents Zoom in for the Diversity and Inclusion update. Thanks to those of you who attended - we really appreciated your time. The [recording is available on the website](#) for those who couldn't make it, as is a [wonderful clip from our Jubilee Festival of Friendship & Culture](#). This version is eight minutes long but we will be uploading a longer version to the website soon. Take a look - it's very sweet. On a side note, in terms of Diversity and Inclusion, for those of you wishing to get further involved with "levelling up", [please do look into Learn2Love2Read](#). This excellent charity was established by a Roche School parent some years ago and they are currently looking for volunteers to help disadvantaged children learn to read.

The Nursery Art exhibition on Thursday was a charming success with parents admiring Art from our Nursery pupils. Work was inspired by Van Gogh, Kandinsky and others so huge thanks to Mrs Tulsi who led this creative project.

This morning, in an uplifting end to the week, we held our annual Moving Up assembly. Year 6 were sent off to pitch and putt for the morning so we could welcome our new Reception pupils who enjoyed some time with their teachers and a little tea party. All pupils moved up a notch to enjoy meeting their new class teachers and we had a special quiz about the teachers during assembly.

Next week on Monday 4th July, we hold a special assembly for any leavers who are not in Year 6. Parents are welcome to watch a little presentation and we will be Zooming this event to those of you who will be at work so you can have a sneaky watch. The Year 6 leavers' assembly is on Friday at 9am and Year 6 parents are invited to attend.

Tuesday is Prizegiving Day. Awards are given for a variety of reasons (progress, attainment and growth mindset) and there are a range of trophies. Above all, prizegiving is a celebration of all they have achieved this year, re-iterating our growth mindsets approach to life and excellent behaviours for learning.

The Summer Concert is on Wednesday at 2pm in All Saints Church - please do come and join this lovely event. The children sing so beautifully. Parents can take their children home directly after the concert from the church or they will be returned to school till normal pick up.

Year 1 are off to Kew Gardens on Thursday 7th July and on our very last Friday (in addition to the Year 6 leavers' assembly and class parties), we have a big drive for 'tinned soup' for DLAG. Thank you for your generosity this year. We are pleased to report that each charity received £3000 from all the fundraising we've done over the academic year.

Please contact Miss Lydia to get your download link from The Talent Show for £5 (all proceeds go to charity) and please also contact Miss Lydia if you won a prize at the Silent Auction that involves a staff member.

Miss Allana will be running sports camps through her sports company, Project Ace Sports, this summer. These camps are open to all children aged 6+ and will cover a variety of sports including, football, basketball, cricket and invasion games.

Fit for Sport still have spaces for their holiday club which will be taking place in our main building during the first two weeks of the holiday led by Marcia. Parents can book online by clicking this link. While we are on the subject of childcare, Miss Bella (Adams) is also available for childcare for the summer from 23rd July (07454 249394).

Miss Olga is grateful for the interest shown in her new role teaching in Accra, Ghana, in October. Kidcare International focuses on educating orphans and poor children in Ghana, Kenya, South Africa and the Philippines. This charity will be the Blue House charity for 2022-2023, and Miss Olga will be sending regular updates. She is happy to be contacted on her personal email, olinkakrizkova007@hotmail.com

Enjoy the weekend and your final week of the term!

Vania

Summer Term 2022

Monday 4th July, 9am, Non Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Tuesday 5th July, 9am, Prizegiving Assembly

Wednesday 6th July, 2pm, Summer Concert, All Saints Church, Wandsworth

Thursday 7th July, Year 1 Trip to Kew Gardens

Friday 8th July, 9am, Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Friday 8th July, End of Term

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