



HIGHSHORE SCHOOL

22nd May 2015

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 1st June—Pupils return
 Weds 10th June—Dragons Den Day & Rotary Chessington Trip
 Thurs 11th June—Kinetica Parents Night
 Fri 12th June—SaLT Parent drop-in
 Mon 15th June—Literacy Week



OT Tip of the month

All fine motor activities are improved by paying attention to posture. Children are required to accurately use their hands to access things like a pencil; computer or book.

This means that good posture and positioning are crucial to ensure success. This should be the first thing to consider. Make sure your child has his chair tucked in. Feet should be flat on the floor and his bottom should be right back in the seat. Place a foot stool or large heavy books on the floor by your child's seat if their feet do not reach the floor. Seat height should be adjusted so that upper arms hang vertically, with elbows bent at 90 degrees. Further things to think about are positioning of items on the table; for example in the middle, or angled as necessary.

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's hard to believe that we are breaking up for half term this evening. The past few weeks have gone so quickly!

On Monday a group of pupils spent the day at the National Portrait Gallery with Nick and Carisma. Charlie, Selcan, Alfie, Alan and Hayden were excellent representatives of Highshore.

On Wednesday Cat Rolley our work experience co ordinator together with Nick and Chris from the Art Department sold products made by our pupils at a stall in Borough Market. They took takings of £66 on the day in addition to making contacts which we hope will lead to further opportunities for our young people. Well done to Toni, Paige, Selcan, Jordan and Habib for all their work on the day.


Also on Wednesday almost all of 12Jand 12T departed for their residential at Kingswood. I've been in touch with Julia Manning the party leader who tells me that everyone is having a great time and that they are all very tired by the end of the day's activities. Thanks to Ali, Chris, Dan and Melissa who have accompanied the group.

During half term our SaLT team are running a storytelling group on Wednesday 27th May. Palaces have already been allocated. We hope to run more events like this during the summer holiday.

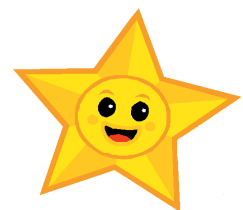
We return to school on Monday 1st June. Meanwhile do check the website and our twitter feeds which are updated regularly.

Eileen

Pupils of the Week

7E	Miguel For fantastic story writing using speech mark.	9	Emmanuel For great work in English using sophisticated vocabulary when describing book characters	12T	Daniella For working hard in Enterprise
7S	Tom For starting to read independently	10M	Taheer He has made a concerted effort to be more helpful to his classmates	13M	Alfie For coping well with a difficult situation
8	Jada For always working hard	10N	Josiah For being a good role model and support for a new pupil	14	Peter For a good week
8/9	Peter For his contribution in Assembly. He knew all his lines, spoke clearly and most of all showed great confidence	11L	Abu For being more mature and brave	PUPILS OF THE WEEK WELL DONE!!!!	
Garnet	Temi For showing greater enthusiasm with his work and helping out in class	11S	Alastair For co-operating more and being helpful in class		

STAR OF THE WEEK



Habib
 For fantastic help at
 The Borough Market