

Dear parents and carers,

Today is red nose day for Comic Relief. In addition to our beans on toast breakfast we're all taking part in our red nose challenge and enjoying a zoom disco this afternoon! Our young people are having a great day!

This week two new external work experience placements started at Fooditude and another starts next week. Our internal work experience is very busy and young people are enjoying the opportunities offered in IT, recycling, canteen and library duties. Our college pupils were able to attend this week following a break due to COVID.

We know that some parents of pupils on school transport have experienced a lot of disruption this week. We have complained to transport and ask you to do the same if you've been affected. We understand how upsetting it can be for our pupils when buses are late.

Please do try to watch "When Barbara Met Alan" this Monday, 21st March, at 9.00p.m on BBC2 . telling the story about the fight for disability rights 25 years ago. Three of our former pupils: Alfie, Louis and Luke make an appearance (see below)!

Sam Croyle, our new Deputy is visiting school next week. He's looking forward to starting with us after Easter. We break up on Thursday 31st March, pupils will leave from 1-30pm.

The parent group will be meeting on Monday at 11am— please contact Don Burford on info@hpgroup@aol.com for more information.

Have a good weekend

Eileen



Pupils of the Week

7J	Jiba—For greater concentration and focus in Literacy and Maths
7R	James—For continually working hard in all lessons and having a mature attitude to difficult changes in class this week
8A	Casey—For settling well and actively taking part in lessons after disrupted travel in the mornings
8L	Selim—For a great piece of extended independent writing
9R	Kwabena—For being such a big help in the canteen
Y9	Lamin—For doing well in his weekly spelling tests and using the words of the test in sentence construction
10C	Nehemiah—For writing an excellent book review
10L	Ibrahim—For great participation during our daily meditation
11A	Hamza—For fantastic Literacy work and eye contact with his peers
11L	Chidi—For persevering with his guitar practice independently
Y11	Ali—For his incredibly supportive attitude towards his classmates.
12K	Miguel—For excellent work in the gym and kind interactions with his classmates
12V	Deniz—For a positive approach to work
13L	Macha—For excellent independent chopping in Life Skills
13S	Riley—For making an effort to turn up for school on time
14J	Francis—For independently talking to people and asking them how they are feeling
14L	Leah—For being mature and helpful towards others



Star of the Week

Albie—For his outstanding PSHE / Citizenship lesson explaining to his class about Russian invasion of Ukraine

Work Experience at Highshore!

Below you can see some opportunities our pupils have, both internally and externally. In School, we have the canteen daily, as well as School post, ICT support, admin support, stock delivery, a recycling team and much more. Offsite we have strong partnerships with Café van Gogh and Fooditude, alongside new exciting placements at a local nursery and theatre. There will be more to come and the next year will be busy!

We are always looking for new work experience partners - please feel free to email dfryer@highshore.southwark.sch.uk if you have any questions or would like to enquire about WEX partnerships.

Dom Fryer, Work Experience Coordinator

