



# THE WALLINGTON WEEK

## *Message from the Head Teacher*

Dear Parents and Carers

Over the last week or so, we have been saying goodbye to some of our senior year groups.

On Friday 10 May we wished Year 11 the best of luck for their GCSEs at their Celebration Breakfast, before their examination leave commenced. This was also an opportunity to look back on and reflect on their time at WHSG so far.

We also said farewell to Year 13 at their Leavers' Day last Tuesday. It was a very good natured yet emotional last day before examination leave. Part of their day included enjoying a bouncy castle, an inflatable assault course and ice creams on the top field during break and period 3 before going into the Hall to enjoy their farewell breakfast and look back at their time at Wallington. They have been a fantastic year group that have given a huge amount back to the school during their time here and we wish them, and Year 11, all the best for their public examinations.

However, things have not stood still in their absence and on Monday afternoon we held the First Give Final which involved seven teams of Year 10 students each advocating for a particular charity and why it should win the £1000 prize money. Represented charities included Stem4, Sutton Nightwatch and Sutton Vision. The standard of presentations was extremely high this year with the charity 'Lives not knives' coming out as the overall winners.

Have a great week.

R V Booth  
Headteacher

## **Easyfundraising**

Easyfundraising.org.uk is a very easy way to raise funds for our school. All you have to do is register on their site (link below) and then, whenever you shop on-line with many well known retailers such as Amazon, John Lewis, eBay, Tesco and many more and a percentage of what you spend is donated to the school at no additional cost to you. It is very simple and easy to use and there are 3,665 retailers to choose from! Please register to support us today.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/whs4g/?q=Wallington>

Thank you for supporting the school in this way.

## The Week Ahead

### Monday 20 May

Year 12 Personal Statement Day

### Tuesday 21—Friday 24 May

Years 7 & 8 End of Year Exams

### Wednesday 22 May

15.00-15.30—DOE Bronze Kit Drop & briefing for practice expedition

### Saturday 25—Sunday 26 May

DOE Bronze Practice Expedition, Surrey Hills

## Dates for your Diary

**Monday 27—Friday 31 May**  
**Half Term**



### Monday 3 June

Return to school

### Tuesday 4 June

18.30—KS3, GCSE & A Level Music concert

### Monday 10—Thursday 13 June

GCSE & A Level Art Exhibition—viewing for parents/carers on Thursday 13 June

### Monday 10—Friday 14 June

Year 10 End of Year Language Oral Exams

### Tuesday 18 & Wednesday 19 June

08.25-14.50—Y10 Photography End of Year Exam

### Wednesday 19 June

UCAS Convention Year 12

### Thursday 20 & Friday 21 June

08.25-14.50—Y10 Art End of Year exam

### Thursday 20 June

15.00-17.00—Women in Engineering Day Energy Quest Year 7

13.00-15.00— Well-Being Festival for students and parents

### Monday 24—Monday 1 July

Year 10 End of Year Exams

### Monday 24 June

19.00-23.00—Year 11 Prom

### Wednesday 26 June

15.00-17.30—DOE Bronze Route Planning & Kit Drop for qualifying expedition

15.30-17.30—DOE Gold Route Planning for Practice Expedition

### Thursday 27 June

08.25-14.50—Sixth Form Induction Day

### Saturday 29 & Sunday 30 June

DOE Bronze Qualifying Expedition

### Wednesday 3 July

New Y7 Induction Day

### Thursday 4 July

16.00-20.30—Open Evening

## Wellbeing Event

If you were unable to attend our wellbeing event on Wednesday, you may like to visit our website and view the presentations shown on that evening. The presentation from this event is entitled “Are young people more stressed than ever” and the handout was entitled “Managing Stress and Anxiety”.

All the presentations from our Wellbeing Evenings are available to view on our website.

Please click here to view on our website:-

<https://wallingtonhighgirls.fluencycms.co.uk/Information-for-Parents>



## HPV Injections for Students in Years 8 & 9

### **HPV 1<sup>st</sup> Injection Year 8**

The School Immunisation team are coming into school on Wednesday 12 June 2019, to do HPV 1<sup>st</sup> injection.

The second injection will be in June 2020 which will be confirmed after Easter Holidays 2020. Your daughter will be advised by her tutor nearer the date what time this will take place.

**It is vital that your daughter eats breakfast before coming to school and drinks plenty of water through the day. Your daughter should wear a sleeveless T-shirt under her school uniform shirt.**

Should you have any concerns regarding HPV injection please contact Sutton and Merton school age immunisation team 0203 538 0502 or 07880 262648 or email

[HRCH.ImmunisationTeamSuttonMailbox@nhs.net](mailto:HRCH.ImmunisationTeamSuttonMailbox@nhs.net)

### **HPV 2<sup>nd</sup> Injection Year 9**

The School Immunisation team are coming into school on Wednesday 26 June 2019, to do HPV 2nd injection. Your daughter will be advised by her tutor nearer the date what time this will take place.

**It is vital that your daughter eats breakfast before coming to school and drinks plenty of water through the day. Your daughter should wear a sleeveless T-shirt under her school uniform shirt.**

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## Year 11 Celebration Breakfast

Year 11's signing shirts, listening to performances and enjoying an ice-cream before going on study leave. Best of luck in your GCSEs.





## Year 13 Rag Week



“What you  
wanted to be  
when you were  
younger”



## Rag Week—TV or Movie Characters





## Year 13 Leavers' Day





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## Amazon App Design Competition

Last week, a selection of year 8 students attended the final for the Amazon app design competition at the ExCel centre in London. Over 130 projects were submitted and our students reached the top 10. Here is there account:

“The AWS Get IT competition was definitely a once in a lifetime experience we will never forget. It was a wonderful opportunity which was both fun and educational; it allowed us to let our inner creativity thrive. We saw technology in a new light and learnt loads, through our research and through the research of other groups.

“When we got there, we had time to enjoy ourselves and then we had lunch. The options were chicken or vegetarian, and can we just say they were both great! It was a great experience to actually go to Excel and present in front of people which massively improved our confidence. When we started our presentation, we were scared and nervous but as we continued we gained confidence and portrayed our ideas with great passion. Watching the other teams was fun too. They addressed the problems of the world and different solutions which we are starting to really take on board in our lives.

“In the final, there was a huge audience and it was amazing to see how many people had come to see who would win the final competition. They presented all the children with small goody bags, but just because their size was small, didn't mean their value was too! They gave us a badge, a notepad, a pen and out very own Alexas! We were so excited and this won't be an experience we will be forgetting any time soon.”

Alishba, Lucia, Hibah, Shrija & Sasha (8 Sharman)



## **Rugby Summer Camp 2019**

The Biggest Rugby Camp in the South east is very much on. Bookings have been flying in and on track for yet another huge camp.

In addition, there will be a superstar coaching team which includes a number of 1XV Men and Women who will be taking on National League and Championship rugby respectively next season.

Celebrating 11 years of Summer Camps at Sutton & Epsom RFC! The Summer Camp is back with more WaterFights, Mini Olympics', Dress Up Days and that's not including the rugby!

Early Bird Offer - FREE S&E DRAWSTRING BAG- for bookings received **before Sunday 26 May 2019**.

**Week A – Monday 12 to Friday 16 August 2019**

**Week 2 – Monday 19 to Friday 23 August 2019**

**To book on-line, please click the link below**

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdwSu-vyBjIYTdml\\_oax8OuSXfJFWwBdNouKkZ9OltXnNTj9Q/  
viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdwSu-vyBjIYTdml_oax8OuSXfJFWwBdNouKkZ9OltXnNTj9Q/viewform)

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