



Hulme Hall Grammar School

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Senior School Newsletter

7th June 2019

On the last Friday of the half-term, we welcomed over 100 guests to the school as we celebrated “Tea on the Lawn”. Thankfully the weather was kind to us and the afternoon was a huge success as parents, governors, neighbours and alumni from Stockport High School for Girls mingled and enjoyed some excellent food provided by our caterers, CH & Co. We were also privileged to receive a visit from the Member of Parliament for Hazel Grove, Mr William Wragg, a former staff member at Hulme Hall.

The afternoon was a great opportunity for me to meet a wide range of people, who all share an interest in the school and to showcase the improvements we have made to the outdoor areas of the site.

My thanks go to all those who attended, including our caterers for providing such a delicious array of treats, Piccolino for their free ice cream and all the school staff who worked together to great effect to ensure the afternoon ran smoothly. Thanks especially to Mrs Smith and Mr Bradford for coordinating the whole process and to the many students who donned their pinnies and acted as waiters and waitresses. It was a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon as I think you can see from the photographs and I hope that, next year, even more parents will be able to join us for the event.

Dean Grierson, Headmaster



On the Ball

Congratulations to our U15 Girls Soft Ball Cricket Team who played brilliantly in a cricket festival hosted by Stockport Georgians Cricket Club yesterday. The girls had a fantastic experience and recorded a notable victory over Cheadle Hulme High School in the three-team event. Very well done to all those who took part!

Goodbye and Good Luck

Yesterday we said goodbye to Miss Tabitha Smith, who left us after spending three years working as a Teaching Assistant in the JLC.

Miss Smith is much loved by the children and it was an emotional afternoon as they hosted a tea party in her honour. She has made a valuable contribution to their education in support of Miss Keddy and I am sure we would all like to wish her every success in her future career.





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The Hottest Ticket Sails Into Town

Ahoy there, me hearties! I have great pleasure in inviting you to our fantastic new stage production of *Treasure Island* – a tale of piracy, skulduggery and buried treasure!

Myself, the cast and crew have been working very hard to produce what promises to be a treat for your whole family. This musical play tells the story of Jim Hawkins and his search for the buried treasure of the notorious pirate, Captain Flint, and hopefully you will like our twist on some old classic songs!

To get into the spirit of the evening, and included in the price of your ticket, is a glass of wine or soft drink, a fishfinger or chip butty and sea biscuits. Should your fancy take a nautical turn, please feel free to dress up in piratey attire!

The play is on for two nights, Wednesday 26th and Thursday 27th June. Spaces are limited so please get your ticket requests in early to guarantee your place on board! **Sofia Ahsan (Drama)**



Introducing Fundstar

We are delighted to have been asked to be a trial school for an exciting new project with a not-for-profit organisation called FundStar. Their aim is to help schools raise money for worthwhile causes that will have huge benefits to them and their pupils.



Any money raised will go towards creating a Wellbeing Room for our pupils or will provide indoor sports equipment to help children improve their athletic skills all year round. The best part is that you are able to choose which project you would like to support and how much you would like to donate.

You can do this by signing up for a pre-loaded credit card that allows you to donate small amounts of money to school each time you use it. More information will be sent out in the next few weeks but in the meantime, if you would like to find out more, you can watch a short video by going to <https://vimeo.com/289256963>

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 12th June
Whole School Open Morning

Tuesday 18th June
Year 10 Taster Day at
Cheadle College

Thursday 20th June
Year 6 Transition Day
Year 11 Prom

Friday 21st June
Year 5 Taster Day

**Wednesday 26th &
Thursday 27th June**
Treasure Island Production

Monday 1st July
Year 10 Taster Day at
Aquinas College

Wednesday 3rd July
Senior Sports Day

Thursday 4th July
Rewards Day

Friday 5th July
Summer Term Ends
12.30pm