



BBC—Cricket

On Thursday afternoon a BBC camera crew and interviewer came to film the Dolphins and Year 7 cricket coaching.

The cricket coaching is organised in lots of schools around England with real cricket coaches going to schools. It is called ‘Chance to Shine’ and is paid for by the Government and the English Cricket Board. The interview will be shown on the ‘Politics Show’ at 12:00 on BBC1 on Sunday.

Housepoints

Before half term the score was

Yellow 63 points Blue 53 points

This week Paul, Rachel, Yigit and Philip all got certificates and points for Blue Team and Ronnie, Teah and Bartek all got certificates and points for Yellow Team. The score is now

Yellow 66 points Blue 57 points

Classroom Changes

We have carried on moving some of the classrooms. Mrs Grant has now moved into her new room, Ms Caeils has moved to her room and Ms Wakeling is now in the new History and Geography room. Next will be Mrs Barnett moving down to the old Deaf Studies room but first it is being painted. Thank you to all who have helped.



Deaf Awareness

On Tuesday 8D, Ms Caeils and Mrs Wood gave a deaf awareness and BSL presentation some lady pensioners. 8D taught them about lipreading, fingerspelling, subtitles, minicomms and lots more. The ladies really enjoyed the presentation and treated Shanal, Josh R, Josh J, Amanda and Marielle to drinks and chocolate cake. On Thursday some pupils and staff had their Level One Signing exam. Ms Caeils said everyone tried their best.

Pirates of the Caribbean

On Monday some of us went to see Pirates of the Caribbean 3. It was really good.

Will there be a Pirates of the Caribbean 4? Roshan, our cinema expert, says “Yes.”



Best Maths

Well done to Tatiana who did lots and lots of maths work when she was at home.— Ms Barnett



Fruit & Vegetables

Year 7 say, “Remember to eat at least 5 fruit and vegetables everyday.” Fruit and vegetables are really healthy foods.



Assistant Head Teachers

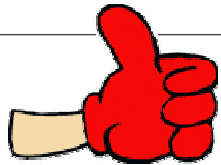


I am pleased to say that Mrs Peacock and Mrs Grant will be helping me with the running of the school. They are called Assistant Head Teachers.

— Mr Sheppard

Football Coaching

On Tuesday Ms Simmons sister Roanna came to do some football coaching with Years 8 & 9. Roanna plays for the English Ladies Deaf Team and went to Australia for the Deaf Olympics.



Prize



Vicky and Kay have won the Girls' House Prize this week. Their behaviour has been brilliant. We hope it helps to cheer them up because they are going to miss all the staff at HLS when they leave school soon!



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Hearing Dogs for Deaf People



On Friday three dogs came to assembly. They have been trained as hearing dogs for deaf people. They do jobs to help deaf people like telling them when someone is at the door, when there is an alarm, when the kettle is boiling and when their bath is ready.

