

## Newspapers

Old school newspapers are now in the library. The earliest newspaper is from 1982. Look at them when you are in the library but please do not take them away. 9D enjoyed looking at old news and photos.



## Dance Tshirts

Kate, the dance instructor, gave t-shirts to all the street dancers on Tuesday evening.



She has encouraged them to customise them in any way they choose and wear them to the dance session every week.

# Hamilton Lodge

## School & College Newspaper

Friday 30th January 2015 Issue no: 1204 — Est. 1981 (32 years ago)

Weather: Very cold with some windy wintery showers.

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## Holocaust Assembly

Ms Wakeling and 11T gave an assembly about the Holocaust this week. It is 70 years since the prisoners in the death camps were freed. 11T showed a drama that was based on one of the true stories that they learnt last week from the Holocaust survivor, Dorit Oliver Wolfe. They showed how when she was 5, Dorit escaped from the German soldiers by hiding in a laundry basket and was driven into the forest to be reunited with her mother. Ms Wakeling told pupils why the holocaust had taken place and who was involved.



## Bikeability

Patrick is a member of the Bikeability group. On Tuesday evenings, he practises riding a bicycle on the astro pitch. This week, he was very pleased because he cycled from one end to the other without stopping. Well done!



## Bacon Soup

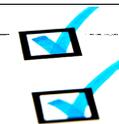
On Monday night the boys at 1B House made a delicious bacon



soup with cheese and marmite rolls.

## Climbing

Furqan is close to completing his NICAS climbing qualification, Level Two. On Tuesday evening he achieved a complex climb after many attempts. Well done!



## Care Inspection

Last week was the annual Ofsted Care Inspection. Two inspectors arrived at the school unannounced on Wednesday lunchtime and stayed until Friday! They looked into everything we do in the care department, the activities, the food, how comfy the beds are how children and staff feel about boarding. They visited the houses and ate meals with the children. They had formal meetings with groups of younger and older children.

Once they'd done all this they judged that Hamilton Lodge was a Good school which gave boarders Outstanding opportunities. They praised the children for being so confident and honest and they clearly enjoyed their inspection. Thanks and well done to all the care staff for working so hard and for everyone else for supporting them with their jobs.



## Healthy Choice

Year 9 think that burgers are very unhealthy but Mrs Trabucchi showed them that home made burgers can be healthy. They also made sure that the meat was stored in the fridge and cooked properly to stop food poisoning.

## Fair Play

At lunchtime on Tuesday year 8,9 and 10 pupils organised a ball game in the sunshine.

Everyone played fairly and helped each other so there were no arguments. The staff felt proud that everyone co-operated and had fun!



**Brighton 10K**

Sunday 12th April

## Meet The 10K Runners

I have been running for many years, but haven't done much for the past 4 years due to studying for a degree, just enough to stay fit and to keep my boyish good looks!. My studies are now complete and I'm keen to get back in to running and running events.

By joining the HLSC running team this has given me the focus and motivation to increase my training, with the target of raising as much money as possible for Hamilton Lodge. At present I'm up to 4 mile runs and have done a few 5km *Park runs* I'm pleased that the team is spread across the whole school with a teacher, care officer (me), parent and pupil taking part. I'm looking forward to the race, as the atmosphere on the day is fantastic and I'm hoping that this is a stepping stone to doing the full marathon next year. Show us all your support! — *Darren*



## School Council

Congratulations to the new school council reps, James G: Chair, Lutricia: Deputy, Louis, Shopna, Catherine, Esmee, Patrick and Thomas. They had their first meeting on Thursday.

## Derby Football

The teams for Derby are now finalised and permission letters are being distributed to the pupils involved. The Derby tournament happens every year and last year HLSC were the winners. Confidence is high and coaching sessions are going well. Good luck to both teams!

**Good Luck!**



## Planning

The boys from No.1 visited No. 15 to play some new games that Natasha, Lutricia and Morgan plan to teach at their next *Rainbows* session.



## A Great Week For PE

Well done to **Lucy, Patrick, Reece and John** for good passing skills and great teamwork in football on Monday.

Special mention to 10M as the fittest class in the school this week:

**Shopna and Molly** racing for the 100 calorie rowing challenge and doing weights work,

**Marcel v Ms Mundy** in the challenge (now only 4 seconds difference! Guess who leads?)

**Dani (TA)** doing 15 minutes cycling.

Well done 10M you have made me very proud — *Ms Mundy*