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# News Weekly

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West London Academy's weekly newsletter, Informing Parents, Students and the Local Community of Academy events

## Parent/Governor Vacancy

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We feel sure that there are parents prepared to take on this important role and give their time and commitment to helping us to continue to improve the Academy's performance.

If you feel you are such a person please contact the Clerk to the Governors, Rachel Grogan, for an application form which will need to be completed and returned to the school by 12.00 noon on 27th March 2009.

Please note that for the protection of children all governor appointments are subject to a vetting process and a fully enhanced CRB check.

If there are more applications than vacancies, we will hold an election and you will be sent a voting paper. You may return the ballot paper either via your child or by post.

Year 7 Savings Competition

### MyBnk



Portacabin 4  
Thursday Lunchtimes

Prizes Can Be Won !  
House Points Can Be Won !

DOING SOMETHING

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## Inter House Fundraising Week

Monday 9th March-Friday 13th March 2009 (Red Nose day also!)

The Aim of this week is for each House to raise as much money as possible and to beat the record amount last year of £1,264.05. Some of the money raised will be donated to the Red Nose Day charity and the rest of the money will go to the John Chilton School, to help purchase much needed wheelchairs and equipment for their students to access sport more easily.

Students will be able to take part in activities such as go-kart races, pie the teacher, SingStar competitions, BMX tricks and many more!

For more information see the plasma screens in your pod area and details will be given out in your year assembly.



l-r: Danielle, Hanin and Efsathios

Congratulations to Efsathios and Hanin who join Danielle as Senior Student Leaders, supporting the Academy Leadership Team and Senior Student Volunteers.

This high profile role is the most senior position a student can attain at West London Academy and we wish them every success.



3 Weeks to go!

Tickets will be on sale from 10th March.  
Look out for the posters.

## Happy Reading!

Year 7 will have access to a wide range of new and exciting books for the reading club as of next week.

The club will run on Tuesday lunchtimes (Room 7.4), Wednesday after school (Room ST7) and Thursdays before school (Year 7 pod).

All are welcome and we hope to see you there!

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## Notices...

- Congratulations to Mrs Singleton, on her appointment as Headteacher at Hamborough School in Southall. Sadly this means that she will be leaving us at the end of term and we know that she will be greatly missed. We would like you to join us in thanking her for all her contributions over the last seven years and wish her the best of luck in her new role.
- Primary Phase Parents consultation meetings are on Monday 9th and Thursday 12th of March. If you haven't made an appointment, please can you see your child's class teacher as soon as possible.
- We are now able to accept debit/credit cards in the Primary for payment for trips, dinner money, uniform etc.

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As part of the fundraising for Comic Relief children are being encouraged to collect pennies and bring them into school where they will be collected in their house jars. They will then be asked to lay these on the MUGA as part of the penny boat race on Friday 13th March. Please support the work of Comic Relief by gathering loose change and sending it in!

Primary staff will also be taking part in a special "WLA's Got Talent" where they will showcase their talents in front of the demanding judges!

**DOING SOMETHING**

**FUNNY FOR MONEY**



Year 5 pupils get to grips with structures on Maths Enterprise Day

## Marshmallow Mathmagic

Year 5 pupils in Oak class enjoyed a fun day this week with Year 5 pupils from Wood End Junior School working on maths and enterprise activities.

They built structures, played games involving calculations and came up with enterprising ideas for future businesses.

All in all great fun was had learning to learn together.

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