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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

Welcome back for the Spring Term at WLA!

Uniform Notice...

Students have returned to the Academy in excellent spirits and with very pleasing uniform. There are however several students wearing brightly coloured rosary beads around their necks – we would really appreciate parental support with ensuring that these beads remain at home and are not worn to the Academy. They will be confiscated and disposed of if brought into the Academy.

KS4 Student Council News

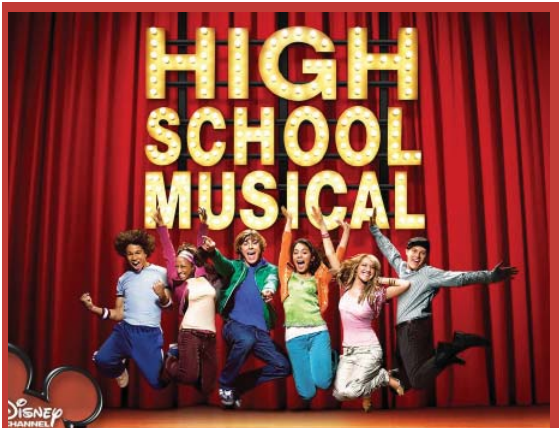
- The mobile phone raffle raised £40.00 with proceeds going to the Anthony Nolan fund.
- The winner of the phone was Emily in 10WI. She was reluctant to buy a ticket at first as she didn't think that she stood the remotest chance of winning. Emily therefore got a very pleasant early Christmas surprise.
- The Christmas bazaar/cake sale did even better. It raised £185.00. The proceeds went to CRISIS the homeless charity.

Well done to students and staff who contributed the delicious cakes, many of them home made. The winner of the Christmas fruit cake raffle was Ms John

Year 11 Mock Results

The Year 11 mock results will only be available at the Year 11 Parents' Evening on Thursday 15th January 5.45pm – 8.00pm.

This is your opportunity to find out your child's mock results and meet with each of your child's teachers to discuss how we can all work together to help ensure your child is successful in the Summer examinations.



The cast for High School Musical has been announced and the nine week rehearsal schedule will start next week.

Please make sure you have the dates of the performances in your diary: 25th, 26th and 27th March.

SCIENCE CORNER

WITH PROFESSOR WEEKLY



Good Morning Class! Time for your weekly quiz again! As always get your answers into Mr Gaza by Wednesday for your chance to win a fantastic prize at the end of term!

- The red planet?
- The path of earth's movement?
- Atom or group of atoms with a negative or positive charge?
- A device used to capture useful light radiation from the Sun?
- This device is turned by steam during electricity generation?

Your clue for this week is:

1	2	3	4	5
M	O	I	S	T

GOOD LUCK!

The answers for last time were:
1: cochlea, 2: analogue, 3: red, 4: ossicles, 5: lava, 6: skin

MyBnk

My Honey, our future.

The doors are open at MyBnk!

When: Thursday Lunchtime, **Where:** Portacabin, **Why:** You can save money every week or take out loans for money-making, world-changing activities.

Come talk to the MyBnkers every Thursday!

OHSL Clubs Timetable - Spring Term

Day Activity Area	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dance Studio		GCSE Dance Years 9-10 4-5pm	Ballet KS3 Girls 4-5pm	Dance All Years 4-5pm	
Gymnasium	Sports Hall Athletics Year 7+8 4-5pm	Trampoline Girls - All Years 4-5pm	Boxing Invite Only 4-5pm	Karate All Years 4-5pm Rock Climbing All Years 4-5pm	
Sports Hall	Everybody Counts JC Students 1.15 - 1.50pm Basketball Boys - All Years 4-5pm Everybody Counts JC Students 4-5pm	Netball Years 7-9 4-5pm Basketball Years 7-9 1.15-1.50pm	Table Tennis Girls, JC Students 3.30-5.45pm Netball Years 7-9 1.15-3pm	Table Tennis All Years 3.30-5.45pm Badminton All Years 1.15-1.50pm	Everybody Counts All Years 1.15 - 1.50pm
Grass Area		Table Tennis WLA 3.30-6pm			
Theatre					
Astroturf (Shared)		Club Football Boys - Year 7+8 4-5pm	Club Football Boys - Year 9-11 4-5pm	Girls Football All Years 4-5pm Hockey All Years 4-5pm Fun Football KS3 Boys 3.30-4.30pm	Fun Football KS4 Boys 4-5pm
MUGA		Everybody Counts JC Students 1.15-1.50pm	Netball Years 10-11 4pm-5.30pm		
Fitness Suite			Indoor Rowing Competitions All Years 4-5pm	Indoor Rowing Fitness All Years 4-5pm	
Classroom (12.1)		Wii Active Invite Only 4-5pm		BTEC Theory Club 4-5pm	
Breakfast Clubs		Breakfast Wii All Years - Room 12.1 8-8.30am	Fitness Club All Years - Fitness Suite 8-8.30am	Breakfast Wii All Years - Room 12.1 8-8.30am	

Team Managers

Football

Year 7
Mr Honey-Jones
Year 8
Mr Squires/Mr Daneshi
Year 9
Miss Hernandez/Mr Francois/Mr Cullen

Year 10

Mr Cordwell

Year 11

Mr Honey-Jones

Girls Under-14

Miss Lim

Girls Under-16

Miss Lim

Netball

Year 7

Mr Cordwell

Year 8

Mr Honey-Jones

Year 9

Miss Batt

Year 10

Amanda

Year 11

Amanda



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PRIMARY NEWS

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Happy New Year!

The Primary Phase staff team have organised a fun packed Spring term with a number of events for both children and parents planned over the coming weeks. The first of these is the Numeracy Curriculum evening on Thursday 15th January 2009 between 6 and 7pm. This will focus on problem solving skills in Maths and will be interactive, with the opportunity to try out some of the challenges we use with the children. Refreshments will be served from 5.30pm, so book the date in your diary and send back the response slip that has been sent out with a letter today, to let us know you are coming.

We understand that parents with pre school children can find it difficult to attend evening events, so we will repeat this session on Tuesday 27th of January at 9am. Watch out for further information.

Colouring In!

Have some fun colouring in this picture!



Notices

- This term you will be able to practise your football skills three times a week after school if you wish.

Many of you have already responded to the letter that went out to Phase 2 children regarding coaching on Thursday and Friday afternoons provided by Gary Meakin and we are pleased to announce that he is working in conjunction with Eduardo, a coach from Middlesex FA who has been doing some football sessions in school and who will be offering a coaching session on Monday nights, open to children in Phase 1 and 2.

A letter has been sent out about the Monday session earlier this week. Please be sure to send your response slips in to secure your place.

- The Christmas Fair at the end of last term raised over £500, which will be used purchase new ICT equipment for the Primary Phase.

We are very grateful to all those who gave their time or made contributions in some way, but a special 'Thank you' is due to Mrs Singleton, Father Christmas and the PSA Committee members, without whom this fundraising event would not have been so successful.

THE FA TESCO SKILLS PROGRAMME



The Skills Programme aims to help children develop better agility, balance and coordination, making them better at all sports! Coaching activities will help improve children's ability to work as part of a team, solve problems and make decisions, whilst building confidence towards physical activity.

It will make them better footballers too!



The FA Tesco Skills Programme aims to provide 5 – 11 year olds with professional coaching and advice to help develop their football skills.

**OPENING A NEW FOOTBALL CENTRE IN EALING! (Monday 12th Jan)
WEST LONDON ACADEMY**

(Compton Crescent, Northolt, Middlesex, UB5 5LP)

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