



Howard Headlines:

Congratulations!

We are extremely proud of all our staff for the wonderful job they do, however some special congratulations are in order for this issue of the Howard Headlines!

- We are delighted to announce that **Miss Handley** has been appointed as the new Deputy Head Teacher of Howard Primary School. I'm sure you will join us in wishing her every success in her new role.
- Congratulations to **Miss Stroud** (Y2 Hungerford) for completing the London Marathon! It takes a lot of commitment to achieve such a difficult task. Miss Stroud has raised an amazing £2,786 for the Alzheimer's Society.
- Another athletic accomplishment was achieved by **Miss Allcorn** (one of our TAs in Year 4 Southwark) this month when she successfully completed a 10 kilometre swim, again for charity. Miss Allcorn swam for Marie Curie and Cancer Research.



Please show your support by attending our Howard Summer Fair on **Saturday 16th June**. As well as being a fun day out it helps to raise money for resources that can help to enrich the children's learning experiences. As always, the Friends of Howard have put a lot of time into organising fun activities, games and refreshments. Weather permitting, we will have the barbecue out... fingers crossed!

Sports day dates:



Quick reminder about sports day!
Please make a note of the relevant dates:

- Thursday 7th June: Key Stage 2 – at Croydon Arena.
- Tuesday 10th July: Key Stage 1 – at the Old Whitgiftian Rugby Club.
- Reception sports day will be held at school on Friday 13th July.

School Holidays:



Here's another reminder of the dates for the upcoming holidays:

- **Summer half term** – Monday 28th May to Friday 1st June. Monday 4th June is an INSET day. Children return to school Tuesday 5th June.
- **Last day of Summer term** – Thursday 19th July.

Late arrivals to school – a gentle reminder.

Please could we remind all parents that children should be in school at 8.50am ready for 9.00 registration. Children arriving after 9.15am will unfortunately be marked on the register as an unauthorised late arrival in line with the Department for Education's guidelines. Consistent lateness could result in Local Authority fines.

Please also be aware that we are noticing an increase in Local Authority fines for unauthorised absences (e.g. holidays during term time).

Royal wedding!

Classes are currently deciding how they would like to celebrate the marriage of Prince Harry to Meghan Markle during the afternoon of Friday 19th May. More details to follow. Congratulations to the happy couple!