



### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

**FAMINE FOR INDIA** It's now one week until my famine day and I am definitely feeling the excitement. From 07:00 on Friday 14th March to 07:00 on Saturday 15th March I am going to fast for the Nowhere Children of Chennai in India. They have no rights, family, shelter or food. I am going without for one day so they don't have to. The school have been fantastic with helping to raise as much money as possible for the cause. Chips have been moved to Thursday so everyone can have soup and a roll on Friday and the money for their lunch will go towards the famine. Sponsor forms have also gone round in every register. Thanks for all your support. **Elaine Fellows HJ**

**MUSIC FESTIVAL WINNERS' CONCERT** After a very successful Music Festival the Winners' Concert will be on Tuesday 18th March at 19:00 in the Great Hall. The tickets are available from the main office for which there is no charge. Refreshments will be provided and as tickets are limited please apply early so as not to be disappointed. **Mrs McWilliams**

**SPONSORED READ** The pupils in Years 1 to 6 have all received their Sponsor Forms, chosen their books and started their 'Sponsored Read'. We hope lots of books will be read over the coming week and lots of money will be raised for the NSPCC. Thank you for your support. **Miss Sutcliffe**

**SUBTRACTION BY DECOMPOSITION** The parents of children in Year 2 are invited to observe and participate in a Mathematics lesson about decomposition on Wednesday 12th March at 08:45. **Mrs Grime**

**REMINDER—YEAR 10 PARENTS' EVENING** Year 10 Parents' Evening will take place on Wednesday 12th March in the Dining Room. Pupils will be making appointments for parents to meet with subject teachers and Mentors between 18:00—20:00. **Mrs Taylor**

#### **SKI TRIP - Saturday 8th—Saturday 15th March**

The ski trip to Kranjska Gora will depart at 06:30 on Saturday 8th March. Pupils are reminded to pack their helmets and ski vests as they will not be allowed to ski without them. We will be reporting back daily through the ski blog which can be accessed through the News and Events on the website.

#### **BRING A FRIEND DAY—Thursday 20th March**

Many pupils in the Prep School have invited friends to join them in school on Thursday 20th March and to attend the Disco between 15:00—16:30. Pupils and their friends should be collected from the Great Hall at 16:30.

Pupils may wear their own clothes on this day in exchange for the usual minimum donation of £1.

#### **MEDIEVAL BANQUET—Thursday 20th March**

A Medieval Banquet and Murder Mystery evening is being organised for Senior School pupils on Thursday 20th March between 18:00—22:00. Tickets are now available from the Office at a cost of £5 per person. Pupils will be allowed to bring a friend of the same age with them.

### SPORTS NEWS

#### **ISA CROSS COUNTRY**

On Friday 29th February three nervous members of Kingswood College Trust travelled to Princethorpe College Rugby for the ISA cross country National Championships. We arrived early and walked the course to familiarise ourselves with it and realised that Southport is flat compared to Rugby. A telephone call to school confirmed that it was raining at home but we had managed to stay dry so far. First up was Jess Bolton, she ran very well and finished 41st in a field of 80. Next up was Jared Morgan who paced himself well, moving through the field on the second lap to finish 24th. Finally after a long wait Ben Collinson started the longest race of the day and finishing with a sprint he came 18th. All runners scored for the North. The North produced some excellent overall results winning 5 out of six team events. Thank you to Mrs Morgan for the support on the day and well done to the runners. **Mr S Wynne**



# SPORTS NEWS Cont/.....

## ISA NETBALL TOURNAMENT

Congratulations to the following girls: Paige Duffy (Capt.), Tarnia Bleasdale, Louisa Williams, Shara Edgar, Leoni Edgar, Jessica Bolton, Greta Sergeant and Taylor Williams who came runners up in the ISA Netball Tournament at Grange School, Hertford. They beat the following schools: Hillcrest, Culcheth, Cransley, Tower College, Bridgewater, Mostyn House, Hulme Hall and drew with Hull. They lost a well fought game against Grange who were the eventual winners. All the girls played as a team encouraging each other throughout all the games. This is an exceptional result considering the number of girls in these years. Well done.

## SOUTHPORT SCHOOLS' NETBALL TOURNAMENT

The Years 10 and 11 Netball team are playing in the above tournament on Monday 10th March at Formby High leaving school at 12:30 and returning at 16:30.

The Years 8 and 9 team are playing in the above tournament at Formby High on Tuesday 11th March leaving school at 12:30 returning at 16:30. Good wishes to all the players. **Mrs Makin**

## UNDER 11'S FOOTBALL TEAM

We are pleased to confirm that we have two friendly matches arranged: Wednesday 19th March at 15:30 at home against Holmeswood Primary and Tuesday 25th March at 15:00 against Pinfold Primary, with the league matches commencing the first week in April. Letters will be sent out to all 'A' team players. Training takes place on Monday evening 16:00—17:00. All 'A' team players are encouraged to attend. All Year 5 and 6 pupils are also welcome to attend the training session. A big thank you to ISS Healthcare who have agreed to sponsor our team jackets.

Hope to see you all at training on Monday. **Jade Headley**

### **Special points of interest:**

- *Ski Trip*
- *Bring A Friend Day*
- *Medieval Banquet*
- *Parents' Evening*
- *Music Festival Winners' Concert*