

## HEADLINES

**MC win House Sports day**  
**Overall House winners are EB**  
**McNeil Athlete of the Year is Malika De Alwis 10JA**

### From the Headteacher's Desk

As term draws to a close, it is time to say goodbye and thank you to those staff who are moving on to the next chapter of their lives including me! Also, to welcome those who are starting their careers at Swakeleys and joining the school in September.

The summer term has been busy with our Y11, 12 and 13 students sitting their exams. It has been so nice to see them actually taking exams that they have worked so hard for after two years of COVID disruption. We have our Y12/13 results day on Thursday 18th August and Y11 results day on Thursday 25th August. I have had the pleasure of interviewing Year 10 pupils for the role of prefect and look forward to the successful candidates taking on their leadership roles. Once again the standard of the candidates was most impressive.

The end of term has also been busy. I am pleased to say that we had a fantastic House Sports Day at Uxbridge stadium, a superb School Production and a highly enjoyable Year 11 prom at Brunel University. We have also had our house literacy and numeracy competition, 6th form Induction and our Year 6 taster day and transition afternoon. On top of all this we had our first ever 'Cultural Day' which was embraced wholeheartedly by the school community. The sight of so many students and staff in their cultural dress and engaged in a whole host of cultural workshops was quite something to see!

We still have our Festival of Literature and FAB week to look forward to. Both of these events involve a variety of activities for pupils to take part in and provide a great way to finish off the school year. All pupils should either be on a school trip for FAB days or coming in to school to do activities on site. Everyone should be attending until Friday 22nd July.

As you know, this is my last newsletter and so I want to take the opportunity to thank everyone for the support I have been given. I have been Headteacher at Swakeleys for 17 years and so the school will always hold a special place in my heart. I am very proud of everything that pupils and staff have achieved and have many fond memories of my time here. It is the start of a new chapter for the school but also for me. I wish you all the very best for the future. Thank you once again.

Sue Pryor (Headteacher)

Thank you to Y11 pupils who donated their blazers to help others who may not be able to afford a blazer. Pupils had written a postcard, which they placed in the blazer pocket, for the new owner!



# Sports Day!

## SPORTS DAY!

YEAR 7		YEAR 8		YEAR 9	
1st	MC	1st	MC	1st	EB
2nd	EB	2nd	FN	2nd	MC
3rd	FN	3rd	DS	3rd	JA
=4th	JA DS	4th	MY	4th	MY
=6th	AF RP	5th	EB	5th	AF
8th	MY	=6th	JA AF	6th	FN
		8th	RP 28	7th	RP
				8th	DS



### THREE School Records!

Adriana Boreland 7MC  
Long Jump 3m 97 (was 3m 73 set in 2006)

Christiana Wema-Reeves 9EB  
High Jump 1m 55 (was 1m 46 set in 1994!)  
Triple Jump 9m 40 (was 9m 08 set in 2010)

## SPORTS DAY!

OVERALL	
Position	House
1st	MC 320
2nd	EB 248
3rd	FN 224
4th	JA 215
5th	AF 167
6th	MY 165
7th	DS 153
8th	RP 128

McNeil AWARD:  
ATHLETE OF THE YEAR



Natalia  
70 points

Christiana  
TWO school  
records!!  
105 points

Ibuku  
55 points

## SPORTS DAY!



House  
2021-2022

10 year  
anniversary!



## THE FINAL RESULTS!!

ALL STAFF AND  
PUPIL POINTS  
COMBINED!

1st	EB	4274
2nd	JA	4226
3rd	MC	4209
4th	FN	3787
5th	MY	3863
6th	RP	3670
7th	AF	3227
8th	DS	2918

A full calendar of House events has been back this year post Covid, in our 10 year anniversary of the House System! A highlight has been Mascot Mayhem and the mascot relay at Sports Day! Results from this year award MC the Sports Day trophy and EB the overall winners! They join MC in the exclusive 'triple star' club!

Congratulations to all! Mrs Devereux



## hegarty maths **Super School** 2021-22

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded a **Bronze HegartyMaths Super School award** for our students answering over 500 thousand questions over the year!

Thank you to all the students for the huge effort they have put into HegartyMaths this year.

Swakeleys School for Girls

## JUNIOR

## MIDDLESEX CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Junior Middlesex Championships were held at the end of June. Two of our Y7 pupils represented the Borough - Edey Kestell and Daisy Capp who both won their individual events! Hillingdon achieved the best results they have ever done, so well done to all pupils and teachers for taking part.

### Results

Y7 Girls – 1<sup>st</sup>  
 Y8 Girls – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 Y7 Boys – 1<sup>st</sup>  
 Y8 Boys – 3<sup>rd</sup>



Our winners above as voted for by the whole school following a short list of seven finalists.

Congratulations to all, especially the winner **Malika De Alwis in 10JA!**

Mrs Devereux

## SPORTS PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR



## Upcycle Competition 2022

Congratulations to the following

### Winners:

Afsheen Fatima & Ruby Sadler (year 7)

### Runners up:

Eklive Kaur 8DS & Alicia Davies-Ajiboye 7AF



## Fantasy Wings

I had been attending Fantasy Wings for 10 months since October and each session consisted of a speaker from the aviation industry; the speakers ranged from aerospace engineers to commercial, airline captains and they were very inspirational. All of the speakers were also from a BAME background and they had an admirable mission of striving for a diverse and inclusive programme that allows for more representation from the BAME community and women within the Aviation Industry.

Recently, on 2nd July, Fantasy Wings held an annual conference in Marylebone and I was awarded a flight trial! I have always been keen on aviation and Fantasy wings has enhanced this passion. I am extremely grateful as this programme has also enabled me to network with different flight schools and airlines. Anushka Singh



## Teacher of the Month

**March:** Miss Huang & Mrs Yates

**April:** Miss Austin & Mr Hepner

**May:** Ms Allan & Mr Taylor

## Support Staff of the Month

**March:** Mrs Pooley & Mr King

**April:** Mrs Annett & Ms Sheldon

**May:** Mrs Afroze & Ms Mall



## Jack Petchey

On Tuesday 24th May it was a great pleasure to see some of our Jack Petchey Achievers Award winners collect their certificates and prizes for their outstanding achievement at the Beck Theatre in Hayes.

We are most proud of all our winners!

Well done, girls!



## The Addams Family 2022

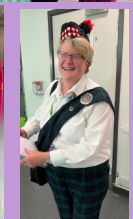
The Performing Arts department hosted a two night run of The Addams Family. It was absolutely amazing to see students from Year 7 to 10 take to the stage to demonstrate their skills in dancing, singing and acting. It was also fantastic to see students getting involved with sound, lighting, photography and set design. A big congratulations to all those that participated.

*Next year could it be you?*



Watch this space for information about next year's show!

## Culture Day 2022!



Friday 2nd September	Y7 Induction Day
From Monday 5th September	Return to School for Y8-Y13
Thursday 15th September	Y6 Open Evening
Wednesday 28th September	Y7 Safe, settled & successful evening
Saturday 8th October	NVR Assessment for Y6