

## Message from the Headteacher – Mrs John

As you will have seen in the news again recently, the largest union of teachers are taking industrial strike action on two days next week, Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July. We have assessed the impact this will have on our school and have decided to partially close for some year groups. Year 7, 8 and 9 students will remain at home; Year 10 and 12 students should come in to school. The Year 10 Get Ready for Work day will continue as planned on Friday. Please see the letter sent home yesterday for full details about both of these days and how your child can continue their learning if they are not in school. Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July will be a normal school day for everyone. We are very much looking forward to our StanFest music concert next week. We have a number of student acts performing on the night. Please see over the page for details. Finally, thank you to our SEND team who met with parents/carers at the Inclusion Review Day on Thursday this week. We hope it was helpful to the parents of our SEND children to discuss the next steps forward for next year.

## Headteacher's Commendations

**I Sallay, (Yr.7)** Going that extra mile when helping other students and demonstrating kindness and generosity;

**D Solomon, (Yr.7)** Receiving Parents Player of the Season with her football team, Welwyn Pegasus Under 12s Girls Azures;

**S Irianele, M Jagadish, J Rowe and K Chauhan (Yr.7)** Reading a million words since September and becoming millionaire readers;

**U Beqaj and E Burgess, (Yr.7)** Exceptional progress and achieving two grades above target in their History exam;

**A Knight, J Lawrence and H Saunders, (Yr.7)** Consistent hard work and effort across all lessons;

**S Messenger, (Yr.8)** Reading a million words since September and becoming a millionaire reader;

**G Carter, (Yr.8)** Outstanding citizenship and assistance to peers in lessons;

**D Bahzad, (Yr.8)** Outstanding citizenship when supporting a friend in an admission meeting;

**A Adekanye, (Yr.9)** Reading a million words since September and becoming a millionaire reader;

**L Ramdani, (Yr.9)** Consistent hard work and effort across all lessons;

**R Ogeer-Ali and S Pennell, (Yr.12)** Amazing support with the Stanborough Pride Day.



## Quote of the week:

*"I really think a champion is defined not by their wins but by how they can recover when they fall." Serena Williams*

Wish you a restful weekend.  
Mrs John



## Headteacher Commendations



## Forthcoming Events

3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> July

Week 2

3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 12 Careers Conference, online
4 <sup>th</sup> July	Additional Transition Day Year 7 -10 & 12 Presentation Evening, 5.30pm for 6pm start
5 <sup>th</sup> July	Strike Action, please see the letter emailed home
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 12 Holwell Primary visit – Drama Workshop, 9am – 12.30pm StanFest 2023 - Summer Music Concert, 5.30pm
7 <sup>th</sup> July	Strike Action, please see the letter emailed home Year 10 Get Ready for Work Day

## Student Success

### End of Season Parents Player Award

Congratulations Daisy, for receiving Parents' Player of the Season with her football team, Welwyn Pegasus Under 12s Girls Azures.



### 3D Design Chess Board

Dev Mathur has designed and constructed an excellent chess board in 3D Design Club afterschool. He has spent a few weeks building his technical skills in design to craft the three dimensional game board with precision.



Well done Dev on this exquisite outcome!

## Year 5 Primary School visits to Stanborough

*Mr Braybrook, Deputy Headteacher, writes:*

From Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June to Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, Stanborough hosted five local primary schools who came to visit the school to experience life at secondary school.

Year 5 students from The Ryde, Holwell, Applecroft, Templewood and Creswick came to experience two sessions in Science and Art, Design and Technology. Over the five days, 240 Year 5 students and their staff learnt lino printing techniques with Mrs Pearson and did a variety of experiments in science with either Mr Fanning, Mr Hind, Mrs Mabbs or Mr Christodoulou.

The overall experience was greatly enjoyed by our young visitors and they also enjoyed having a look around the school as they went from session to session.

A special thanks goes to not only the teachers above who delivered the sessions, but also the Year 10 students who helped out with the sessions. Thanks also to Mrs Shah, Senior Science Technician, for setting up the science extravaganza and also to Mr Hill for helping to transport the students from their primary school to Stanborough.

We look forward to welcoming all these five schools back to Stanborough next year along with other local primary feeder schools.



## RSE Information Opportunity for Parents

*Mr Braybrook, Deputy Headteacher, writes:*

I have written to you previously outlining how the RSE (Relationships, Sex and Health Education) Curriculum is delivered at Stanborough. I am also aware that some parents may have specific questions regarding key aspects of the curriculum and how it is covered at the school.

To enable parents to find answers to any questions they may have, we have organised for parents to be able to ask key members of staff responsible for delivering the RSE curriculum any questions they have about the RSE curriculum at Stanborough and its delivery.

The link below will direct you to a form where you can write your questions to the relevant member of staff who will then contact you with a response to your question.

For more information, please see the letter sent home to all our parents/carers today.

Please click the link below to submit your question about the RSE curriculum and its delivery. The form will close on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July.

<https://forms.gle/roAsdCpadWShnMpG8>

## Stanfest 2023, Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July

Tickets available now via  
Wisepay – see you there!



## DSPL5 Newsletter for Parents/Carer, Summer 2023

In this term's newsletter you will find information on lots of courses and workshops for the Autumn term aimed at parents/carers of children and young people as well as information on activities for families over the summer holidays.

[Click here for the newsletter](#)



## Question of the Week

### Mathematics

Mr Modi, Curriculum Leader: Mathematics, writes:



**SEND YOUR CORRECT ENTRY BY 05.07.23 TO EARN A GOLD AWARD**

Send your answers with workings by email to [smodi@stanborough.herts.sch.uk](mailto:smodi@stanborough.herts.sch.uk) or on a piece of paper to the Maths Office.

#### Answers to last week's QOTW

Yes, supported by correct figures shown below:  
eg a comparable figure in the range 31.8 to 31.9 (litres)  
or in the range 31800 to 31900 with 32000 (cm<sup>3</sup>)  
or in the range 3216 to 3217 with 3232 (litres)  
or in the range 3216000 to 3217000 with 3232000 (cm<sup>3</sup>)  
or in the range 7958 to 7963 with 8000 (cm<sup>3</sup>)

#### Question

A water tank is empty.

Marco needs to fill the tank with 2400 litres of water.

Company **A** supplies water at a rate of 8 litres in 1 minute 40 seconds.

Company **B** supplies water at a rate of 2.2 gallons per minute.

1 gallon = 4.54 litres

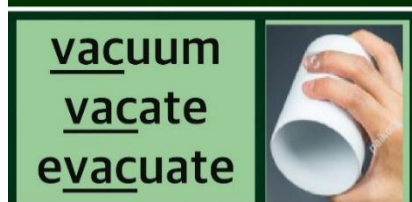
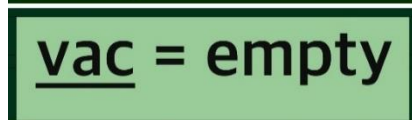
Company **A** would take more time to fill the tank than Company **B** would take to fill the tank.

How much more time?

Give your answer in minutes correct to the nearest minute.

## Word of the Week

W/c 3<sup>rd</sup> July



## Art & Design Exhibition

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July,

5.30-7pm

We proudly present work from our GCSE Art, GSE 3D and A Level Art students at our Art & Design Exhibition in the main hall.



## Summer Holiday Activity Programme (HAP) - Welwyn Hatfield

Bookings are now open for Summer 2023 HAP

Services for Young People are offering holiday activities throughout the summer at:

- Herts Young Mariners Base, 231 Windmill Lane, Cheshunt, EN8 9AJ
- Waltham Cross Young People's Centre, Stanhope Road, Waltham Cross EN8 7DJ
- Bishop's Stortford Young People's Centre, 14 Northgate End, Bishop's Stortford CM23 2EU
- Ware Young People's Centre, Marsh Lane, Ware SG12 9QB
- Hatfield Young People's Centre, Breaks Manor, Link Drive, Hatfield, AL10 8TP
- Welwyn Garden City Young People's Centre, Oaklands College, Welwyn Garden City AL8 6AH

Priority is for young people who are in receipt of Free School Meals (FSM) however, we are able to offer places to families experiencing particular hardship. Young people can meet other young people and get involved with a range of fun activities to help with a healthy lifestyle including sports, arts and games. A Free and healthy meal will be provided at each session.



Hertfordshire County Council Services for Young People

### HOLIDAY ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

at Hatfield  
Young People's Centre  
Breaks Manor  
Link Drive  
Hatfield AL10 8TP

Join us this Summer  
Mon 24 July to  
Fri 18 August 2023  
3.30-7.30pm each weekday

For young people aged 12-16

Priority booking for those eligible for  
benefits-related free school meals

- Fun physical activities such as sports, dance and team games
- Creative activities such as music production, cooking, arts and crafts.
- Informal healthy lifestyles workshops
- Meet and socialise with other young people
- Free healthy food every day

Use the QR code below or contact  
SYYP Welwyn Hatfield Team to sign up.

Area Team Manager: Mark Hughes  
Youth Work Practice Manager: Russell Cairns

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sfyp.welwynhatfield@hertfordshire.gov.uk  
www.servicesforyoungpeople.org  
@WelHatTeam



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### HOLIDAY ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

at Welwyn Garden City Young  
People's Centre, Oaklands  
College, Welwyn Garden City  
AL8 6AH

Join us this Summer  
Mon 31 July to  
Fri 18 August 2023  
12-4pm each weekday

For young people aged 12-16

Priority booking for those eligible for  
benefits-related free school meals

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- Creative activities such as music production, cooking, arts and crafts.
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