

CUMNOR HOUSE SCHOOL The true mark of a school is what lies within

# A Message from the Headmaster

Welcome back to the second half of the spring term. Despite the weather, I do hope you had a super break and were able to enjoy some family time. Well done to all of our students that were successful in recent selectivity tests, the number of scholarship offers and places offered to excellent senior schools have been a testament to the hard work put in by the boys, staff and families. We shall be producing a definitive list of our results in the near future; as soon as we have feedback from parents regarding final choices.

I had an amazing start to the week with the exciting news that phase one of the playground development had been completed. Our outside caged area has now been resurfaced and the boys were very excited to learn about the new Astroturf, goals and basketball hoops that they will have access to at break times and for sport lessons. The glue will be dry by Friday and the boys will officially be able to use the facility.

Have a great week.

Mr Cummings

### New Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) installed

We are pleased to announce the installation of the new Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) is now complete. The finishing touches were made on Tuesday 20th February and the boys will be able to begin using in the coming days. The MUGA features basketball hoops, goalposts and promises to be a new favourite lunchtime/PE area for the boys to enjoy.



### Thursday 1st March 2018

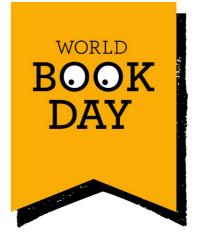
#### Pre-Prep

Please could your son come to school wearing his pyjamas, to set the scene for 'Bedtime Stories', and he should also bring along his favourite book. We will share and discuss all the wonderful books together.

#### Prep

Boys are invited to dress up as a character from a fiction or a non-fiction science book. There will be a prize for the best costume! We will be looking at the theme of Science in our English lessons. Some ideas to get you started can be found here

We look forward to seeing all of the Boys' wonderful characters next week.



#### **Book Fair**

The Book Fair will take place in the dining hall or in the main school playground (depending on the weather) from Monday 26th February to Friday 2th March from 3pm – 4:15pm. For Reception, the Book Fair will be held in the Reception library area. Each boy will receive a World Book Day Voucher which can be used when purchasing a book. Please use this opportunity to buy some fantastic, exciting books. Boys will also receive a raffle ticket with each book bought and a class draw will take place on Friday. The winner from the draw will be able to choose a book of their own choice from the Book Fair on Friday afternoon. All boys must please be accompanied by an adult when visiting the Book Fair.

**Reminder:** As per our school policies, any child suffering from sickness or diarrhea, must be absent from nursery for 48 hours from the last episode.

## Upcoming Events



The Cumnor House Parents' Association would like to invite you to the Parents' and Teachers' Quiz Night!!! Come down and enjoy a lovely Caribbean Buffet at the Old Whitgiftian Rugby Club on Friday 9th March from 7pm and test yourself against both the Teachers and other parents with a battle of wits!!

We will have Wayne Trice as our Quiz master for the evening who will be sure to put us through our paces!

Tickets are £15 which includes entrance and a Caribbean buffet.

To purchase tickets please click on the link below. See you there!

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