

Headteacher's Update

6th October 2017

Lasagne made from scratch!

Year 9 students worked very hard to create red sauce, white sauce and fresh pasta! Well done!





Try Dive – Scuba Diving Trial

If any Year 8 or 9 students wish to take part in a scuba diving trial session at Teddington Pool, please can you contact Mr O'Sullivan ASAP. The cost of these sessions is £15 and we are limited to four students per week. Dates available are: Weds 15th November, Weds 22nd November, Weds 29th November. Sessions start at 8.15pm.

Year 10 Iceland Trip

Please ensure that the deposit for this trip is paid via Scopay by Monday 9th October. If you have any queries about the trip, please contact Mrs Turner or Mr O'Sullivan at:

iceland@turinghouseschool.org.uk



Mensa Puzzle

A factory recycles plates for use in its canteen.

Nine used plates are required to make each new plate.

If there are 625 used plates, how many plates can possibly be made in total?

Last week's answer: Antelope, reindeer, buffalo and dromedary

Forthcoming Events

11 October: Turing House Friends Meeting, 7pm

18 October: Parents Social Evening

23 - 27 October: Half term week

30 October: INSET day – school closed

1 November: THS Bake Off

6 December: Christmas Craft Fair

Fixtures

9 Oct: U13 Boys Table Tennis AWAY v Hampton

10 Oct: Y7 Boys Rugby HOME v Twickenham
10 Oct: U13 Girls Football AWAY v Twickenham
11 Oct: Y8 Boys Rugby AWAY v Teddington

12 Oct: Y9 Girls Netball AWAY v RPA

Turing House Bake Off



Turing House is having its first Bake Off competition for this academic year. If you would like to take part, please read the information below.

Competition Details:

The theme is Halloween.

Cakes need to be handed in on the morning of Wednesday 1st November.

No nuts should be used in the making or decorating of cakes.

There are two categories for judging: Taste and Decoration. You can enter one cake or set of cakes into one category.

Students can enter 12 cupcakes or 1 cake into one of the categories.

Cakes will be sold on the November 1st to raise money for Smile Train, our chosen charity.

Please fill in the form available on Show My Homework and bring this along with your cakes on the day of the competition.

All cakes will be available to buy at break and lunch, cash only.

Please see Miss Parsons if you have any other questions.

Christmas Fair

6th December 5.30pm – 8.30pm



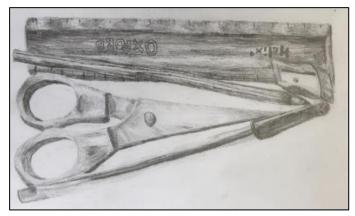
There is still some space left if you would like to run a stall at our first Christmas Fair. If you or someone you know is interested in running a stall, please email:

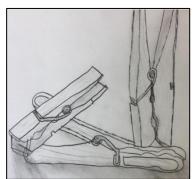
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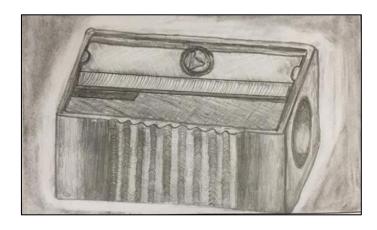
with a description of what you would like to sell and a photograph of your work. Each stall taker will have to contribute a small fee; this information will be given at a later date once more information is collected.

Year 8 Observational Drawing

Some great homework was done by Year 8. Well done Aliya, Finn & Will on these amazing drawings!







Packed lunch inspiration!



According to <u>NHS choices</u> a balanced lunchbox should contain: starchy foods like bread, rice, potatoes or pasta, protein foods like meat, fish, eggs or beans, a dairy item, like cheese or yogurt, vegetables or salad and a portion of fruit.

Parents Social Event

Hosted by the Friends of Turing House - come and socialise with parents from Years 7, 8 and 9 for drinks on Wednesday 18th October at the Teddington Arms, 38-40 High St, Teddington TW11 8EW - from 8pm.

Purple Pens!

Please could you ensure that your child has a purple biro in his/her pencil case. Purple pens are used daily by students to respond to teacher comments. Thank you.



Gum

Please be aware that Turing House is a gum-free zone. Over recent weeks we have noticed an increase in gum on the floor of our lovely building. Please support the school by ensuring that gum is not purchased. Students caught with gum will be asked to hand over any packets and will be given plastic gloves to clean an area of the school.



Congratulations!

Well done to Pacey Foster who has been selected to represent Hounslow Gymnastics Club in an International gymnastics competition in Prague. Good luck next week!

Football Win! RUTS 1 V Turing House 2

Our Year 7 and 8 girls' football team took on the new Richmond Upon Thames School this week. The game was incredibly intense as both sides were playing their first fixture of the season.

Chloe scored our first goal within 2 minutes of kick off, which calmed the nerves of our players. The girls scored again within 5 minutes giving us a comfortable cushion going into the second half.

Shortly after the start of the second half, RUTS scored a goal and the run of play changed. However, the girls defended resolutely and held on for a great win.

Rugby Win! Orleans 5 – Turing House 45

Congratulations to the Year 8 Rugby team who had a

very comprehensive win against Orleans Park on Wednesday.



This was one of our best performances

yet as a team. Coming into the game they were expecting to walk over us. We made ourselves present from the off and kept going. Then our first try came due to sheer pressure and perseverance, followed by a beautiful conversion, luckily bouncing in off the far upright. Soon after, another three tries were on the score board in our favour. Next, half time.

Determined to not concede at all, the whistle blew again. Within three minutes we scored again. Three phases after the restart we were over the line once more, motivated. Report by Finn