Great Oaks Weekly

Friday 24th May 2013
Enabling success through working together

Fashion Show

Many thanks to everyone who participated in last night’s Fashion Show. It was a great fun evening and raised nearly £400 for the school. For those who weren’t able to make it, the evening featured over 20 pupils and staff modelling a range of the nearly new fashion items that we had on sale. The event was hosted by our very own Gok Warner (middle below) and included a range of outfits from casual to evening wear. There was also an appearance by a rather rough looking Julia Roberts (below right). Strangely none of her (his) clothes sold.

The evening also featured a range of stalls offering massages, face paints, makeovers, beauty products and Indian snacks.

Following this up, Key Stage 3 pupils have been having a French Fashion morning this morning—designing some outfits and learning some French words for different clothes.

Video of the highlights from the evening can be viewed on the GoPlatform.

Summer half-term: 27th—31st May
Inset Day - 3rd June
End of Term for Pupils in Year 11—Friday 28th June (except those staying on to Year 12)
Year 11 Leavers Assembly—Friday 28th June
Arts Week: 8–12 July
Parents Evening and BBQ: 11 July
End of Summer Term Tuesday 23rd July

Don’t forget Half-term next week Followed by INSET Day on Monday 3rd June.
We start back on Tuesday 4th
Have a good holiday
On Wednesday 22nd May 7W were given the opportunity to travel from Hythe Marina to Hamble river and back on a special boat designed for people with disabilities. The boat was named after a lady called Alison MacGregor and is run by a team of volunteers called the Solent dolphins. We also celebrated Robert Martin’s 12th birthday.

Shayne, Damien and Oliver demonstrated their Archery skills in Assembly on Wednesday using Bows and arrows that they had made with Mr Olvison over lunchtimes. It’s been a great project and the boys have learnt lots through it.

As part of their music curriculum last Monday, a visiting Samba instructor taught children from across the school samba instruments and rhythms. They had great fun and made a lot of noise!

The year nines were set a challenge this week in Humanities to create an air raid shelter just as families were asked to do with limited resources during World War Two. In the spirit of pulling together against a common enemy, (Mr Warner, the teacher), they decided to make one huge shelter for the whole class excluding adults (only Mr Hardy was allowed in!). We are not sure it would hold up to many bombs but the class showed great teamwork to put together a shelter in 25 mins for all the class to fit in. Well done

Last week’s headlines were all titles of Pink Floyd Songs. This week—can you spot the rubber duck in one of the pictures. Answer after half-term