

The Fairley Flyer

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What's been happening recently at Fairley House...

Thursday 28 January

Talk from Mrs Bridget Patterson about the experiences of living pre World War 2

A Year 7 reading group was privileged to be visited by Katie's grandmother, Mrs Bridget Patterson, who shared her memories as a German Jewish girl leaving Germany pre World War II. Katie's great grandfather showed foresight, careful planning and enormous courage to ensure his family's safe getaway during a time of great uncertainty. The children heard how one of Bridget's brothers went to school with Count Von Stauffenberg who became a senior member of Hitler's cabinet and who was instrumental in the attempted assassination of Hitler. (See 'Valkyrie' starring Tom Cruise). Bridget's story is fascinating and one that has a happy ending. The timing of the visit was particularly poignant as last week was dedicated to the Holocaust.

Claire Jostins

Friday 29 January

Girls Netball Match vs Hampshire Schools

The girls all played very well in the match on Friday and the end result was 8-1 to Fairley House so congratulations to everyone involved!



Picture of the girls during the match – Hampshire School attempting to gain a point

Tuesday 2 February

Willow Class visit Lambeth Mission and St Mary's Church

Willow class visited the local church: Lambeth Mission and St Mary's Church. It is a Joint Anglican-Methodist Church and the children enjoyed the trip immensely.



Lucas drawing the Font in the Church

Wednesday 3 February

Year 6 HMS Belfast Overnight Trip

On Wednesday Year 6 went to the HMS Belfast, a warship used by the British Navy in past decades, but now docked permanently near Tower Bridge.

The children were taken around the ship in small groups and we were able to get a sense of what it may have been like for sailors on rough seas for many months on end.

The following children performed tasks well and their behaviour and enthusiasm throughout was exemplary –

Conway
Arthur
Thea
Daniella
Nicole

Well done to the children and thanks to the all staff who made the trip possible. **Greg Sherman**



On Board the Ship: Nick, James, Zen, Faisal, Aaron, Noah, Alexander, Adam.



Picture of Leyla, Thea, Daniella, Florence, Nicole and Sophia sleeping over on the ship



Israel, Nick and David taking the front seat as captain!

Junior Department Star Badges

Oak

Stars of the Week – Joseph and Agatha

Pine

Star of the Week – Simon

Maths Stars of the Week – Matthew, Rhys and Alan

Willow

Star of the Week – Jao-To

Senior Department Top Credit Scorers

This week's top credit scorers are:

Max	34
Massimiliano	29
Henry S	27

What's happening next week...

Monday 8 February

Lambeth Road Hockey Match vs Newton Preparatory School at Newton Prep at 2.15pm

Year 5 Football Match vs Hampshire Schools at 2pm at Battersea Park

Thursday 11 February

KS2 Tag Rugby vs Oliver house at 2pm

Friday 12 February

Mufti Day: Children should not come to school in uniform – funds raised will go to Cancer Research in memory and honour of Anne Fitzgerald, Senior Dept School Secretary.

Reminders

Sainsbury's Active Kids 2010 Scheme

From 17 February - 8 June Fairley House is supporting Sainsbury's Active Kids Scheme so if you collect any vouchers please bring them into school and post them in the voucher collection boxes situated at reception and in the staff room. Vouchers are available from Sainsbury's stores, petrol stations and with online groceries. For more information please visit the website – sainsburys.co.uk/activekids

Half term

School ends at 3.00 pm on Friday 12 February and resumes on Monday 22 February.