



Hulme Hall Grammar School

Senior School Newsletter

21st September 2018

Celebrating the individual since 1928

Tatton do the Double!

At our first assembly of the year, Tatton House was declared Sports Day victors and overall House Champions for the academic year 2017/18. This week all Tatton members celebrated their win by attending the House Prize and being treated to ice-cream and a movie.

Well done to all the pupils in Tatton House whose hard work, academic success and sporting achievement earned them a victory over Dunham and Lyme. We look forward to our first House event for 2018/19 which will be the House Tug of War before half term.



Role Models

It is fantastic to see our older pupils working so well with the younger members of our School community and being brilliant role models.

Our House Captains went over to the JLC in their own time to explain how the House competition runs and to encourage our JLC members to work hard and earn merits for their House.

The JLC Manager, Mrs Keddy, made a point of saying how well spoken and enthusiastic the House representatives were. Fabulous comments Year 11. Keep up the good work!

Elevating Outcomes

Year 10 and Year 11 parents and pupils were invited to school this week for a GCSE Preparation Evening. A big thanks to Elevate Education who delivered a Study Skills session, demonstrating to parents a variety of ways in which they can support and encourage their sons and daughters with their studies.



With the increasing rigour of GCSE exams and the mounting pressure young people face, school is committed to ensuring that we are not only stretching our learners, but supporting them too. The key to this is a solid home-school partnership which was evidenced by fantastic attendance. Thank you to all who came along – your engagement and feedback is most appreciated.



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A Window To The Past

The next time you venture into our School Hall, take a minute to appreciate the beauty and design of such an amazing historical building.

During the holidays we undertook the first step of a restoration project, by arranging for the word 'Self' to be put back in the stained glass windows so the full motto of Stockport High School for Girls' once again reads: 'Self Reverence, Self Knowledge, Self Control – These Three Alone Lead Life to Sovereign Power.'

Huge thanks goes to Mrs Jean Tudge, the Chair of SHS Old Girls' Association who personally funded the restoration. Jean was once again delighted to return to her old school this week to see the window and reminisce about school life and original 'girl power!'



Digging Up History

Our Year 8 History class were making trenches Hulme Hall-style this week!

They had 10 minutes to build two opposing trenches in their classroom out of any materials they could find.

It was a creative way to connect the children with their topic and great to see everyone so engaged.



Sporting Fixtures

Our U16 Netball and Football teams were in action this week against St James' School, Grimsby. Despite two losses it was a great effort from all those involved and the children showed enthusiasm and tenacity.

Dates for your Diary

Fri 28th September
Macmillan Coffee Morning
8:30am – 10:00am

Thurs 4th October
PTA Meeting
Governor's Pub,
Cheadle Hulme
7:00pm

Wed 10th October
Curriculum Enrichment Day 1
Years 7-11

Sat 13th October
Open Morning
All pupils should attend
9.30am-12noon