



# Tower House School

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## Sky's the Limit!

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Year 2 treated a packed audience of parents and grandparents to an assembly which was informative, musical and a great deal of fun!

The theme was exploration – taking in the realms of the Arctic, deserts and of course space.

Once again, watching adults were amazed at how the boys supported each other whilst trying to remember many facts and figures – all delivered with customary THS élan.

Fly Me to the Moon was suitably 'bluesy' and matters were brought to a conclusion with a hilarious video\* (filmed against a green screen apparently ...)

Huge thanks and praise go to Miss Hagger, Miss James and Mrs Minter for coaching the boys so well and putting on such a heart-warming production.

\* video can be viewed at <https://vimeo.com/673247118> (password is gDK4VUkk4szdP5L)



## CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

Children's Mental Health Week is taking place from the 7th to the 13th February 2022. This year's theme is Growing Together. Run by the charity, Place2Be, children's mental health week allows us, as a school community, to pause and reflect on our mental as well as physical health.

We have a number of activities planned, both for the junior and senior schools, to encourage children (and adults) to consider how they have grown, and how they can help others to grow.

The week will start with assemblies for both the Junior and Senior schools. Mr. Peyton will be reading special stories to the boys in the Junior School and everyone will be taking part in activities during their PSHE lessons, with a focus on emotional as well as physical growth. If you are interested in finding out more, Place2Be have some information for parents on how you can help support your boys and promote good mental health and wellbeing, which you can view by clicking [here](#).



## YEAR 7

Year 7 were set an exciting fundraising challenge this week. They have four weeks to try and fill their empty smarties tube with any coins/notes they manage to fundraise by doing activities in their community. They were also given £1 to help them buy any resources and see if they can make any profit on the £1! There's already been some great ideas floated about like car washes or selling sweets. The



whole idea is to encourage Year 7 to be as community-spirited and as entrepreneurial as possible. Watch out Lord Sugar, there's some budding Apprentices!

All money raised will go to Year 7's chosen charity - The Samaritans.





## MATHS WEEK PRIZE GIVING

Mrs Balogh and Miss Merrell would like to say a huge well done to all the boys for throwing themselves into the challenges of Maths Week with such enthusiasm! Special congratulations to the prize winners below:

### Reception Maths Champions:

Kingston Mawson  
George Cook  
Tommy Coles

### Year 3 quiz winners:

Inigo Carpenter  
Leo Del Zompo

### Year 3 best artwork:

Arthur Lazurus

### Year 4 quiz winners:

Alexander Plant  
Harry Mawson  
Angus McKinnel

Year 4 best artwork: Wilf Robinson

### Year 7 quiz winners:

Henry Boddy  
Ed Clement

UKMT top score: James Earl

Best artwork: Oscar Suddock

## Junior School

### Year 1 Maths Champions

Zachary Dickinson – For his beautiful Maths Art Work

Lucian Syrett – For his excellent team work during the quiz

Nicholas Edwards-Moss – For his great use of mathematical language

### Year 2 Maths Champions

Aidan Espin Rojo  
Lockie Robbie  
Ben Keith-Jopp

### Scavenger hunt winners:

Theodore Li from Reception  
Nathan Singh from Year 1  
James Tweed from Year 2  
Wilfred Pitchford from Year 3

## Senior School

### Year 5 quiz winners:

Hugh Lockhart-Mummery  
Rex Algie  
Raffy Lambrechts  
Charlie Harrison

Year 5 best artwork: Rex Algie

### Year 6 quiz winners:

William Tattley  
Dennis Philips

UKMT top scores:

Noah Esson  
Mustafa Siddiqui

Best artwork: George Gill

### Year 8 quiz winners:

Roscoe Crockett  
Matteo Garcia-Oliver

UKMT top scores: Roscoe Crockett  
and Enzo Manuel

Best artwork: Enzo Manuel

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## RUGBY

It's been an incredibly busy but successful time for THS teams across the age ranges over the past week or so. Despite some disruption due to COVID once more it has been fantastic to see that every boy from Years 4-8 have managed some game time and performed fantastically well.

Our U9 boys have enjoyed success against both Surbiton Prep and Falcons in their first competitive rugby fixtures. These boys are shaping up nicely and there is plenty of competition for places. The U10s also had some super games against St Philips last week and have got a great deal of pace in the team. Well done to our U11s who were victorious in their first game against Kingswood and they are our busiest team next week with two fixtures.

At the top of the school the 1st team are brushing aside allcomers with a fierce attacking brand of rugby. Some power play up front is allied with searing pace in the back line which other teams are finding hard to live with. Our 2nd and 3rd teams have also played in the last week and it was great to see all these boys playing so well. Again success against Kingswood and Falcons respectively has been brilliant to see.





### SCHOOL ABSENCES

If your son is off school for any reason other than an authorised event that has been approved by Mr Evans, could you kindly call or email Mrs Markwell in the school office as early as possible but before registration ends. If telephoning, it is option 2 on the menu.

Authorised absence request forms can be obtained from Mrs Markwell, [Secretary@thsboys.org.uk](mailto:Secretary@thsboys.org.uk)

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Children's Mental Health Week. Theme - Growing Together

Mon 7th	-	Junior School assembly - Children's Mental Health Week	8:40am
	-	Senior School assembly - Children's Mental Health Week	10:40am
	-	U11 A/B v The Mall (A)	2:45pm
	-	Year 6 Parents Evening	5:30pm
Tue 8th	-	Animal roadshow visiting Junior school all day	
	-	U10 A/B v Eaton House (H)	2:45pm
	-	U9 A/B/C v The Mall (A)	2:45pm
Wed 9th	-	1st/2nd v Twickenham Prep (H)	2:45pm
	-	U11 A/B v St Philips (A)	2:45pm
Thur 10th	-	Piano Concert	8:45am
		<b>Please note earlier start than advertised</b>	
		<b>Parents please leave through Junior school</b>	
	-	Open day	10:00am
		<b>For prospective parents unable to attend previous open day</b>	

Congratulations to this week's house point champions who are ... [Putney \(again!\)](#)

## Have a lovely weekend!

Mr Gregory Evans, Headmaster