

# **BANK VIEW HIGH SCHOOL**



## **Spring Break Newsletter**

### **Letter from the Headteacher**

Dear Parents/Carers

One of the highlights of this term has been our recent Ofsted inspection. Two inspectors inspected Bank View for two days. The outcome was very pleasing with the headline "Bank View is a good school which provides an outstanding level of care, guidance and support for its students".

The inspectors were staggered by the high level of parent/carer questionnaire return which showed very high levels of support for the school - Thank You!

The report will be published on our school website ([www.bankviewhighschool.com](http://www.bankviewhighschool.com)). Hard copies have been sent out to all parents.

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and wish you a pleasant Spring break.

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## **Whole School Merit Award Prizes**



During the Spring Term there were two winners of the 'Merit Award' ski trip, year groups 7 and 12 both had eventful days out. Lunch was enjoyed at McDonalds and the students were a credit to themselves, their families and the school.



**WELL DONE TO EVERYONE  
CONCERNED**

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### **Camelot Trip**

This year the pupils will be having a day trip to Camelot. The trip will take place on Tuesday, 28 June.

More information for Parent/Carers will be available nearer the time.

### **Correct P.E**



### **Footwear**

For pupils own safety, can parents/carers ensure your child has the correct footwear for their P.E lessons (ie training shoes)

Thank You

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## Year 12 Aquarunning Classes

Most year 12 students enjoyed two 'taster' sessions of Aquarunning at Kirkby Leisure Centre. Aquarunning involves a range of exercise in water, led by an Aquarunning instructor. All students had a great time and did very well. Our thanks go out to Rachel Boyle, Aqua running instructor and TNAR (Terry Nelson Aqua running) who allowed us to use his equipment and staff to enable year 12 students experience of a new leisure activity as part of their course work.

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## COMIC RELIEF 2011



Thanks very much for supporting this very worth while course. All students engaged in a variety of fun filled activities, most notably, the penalty shoot out competition which raised over £40.00. Certificates of achievement/participation will be given out during assembly on Monday 28 March.

If you could send in any outstanding sponsorship money then a final total raised for Comic Relief can be worked out and then banked. Your support is much appreciated.

Yours in Red Noses!

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## Year 12 Solar System

Year 12 have been researching the solar system. They chose a planet and studied it on the internet.

Then they decorated balloons and a made a display to represent the solar system.

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## Year 8 Transport Project

Year 8b have been doing a transport project. They have studied all about public transport, fares and timetables.

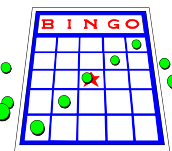
They went on the internet and studied the Mersey Ferries, then measured one out in the yard.

They have now made a large model ferry.

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## Easter Bingo

There was an excellent turnout for the Bingo Night which was held on 23 March.



A total of £598.00 was raised and we would like to say a big thank you to Lorna T. who managed to raise £140.00 on a sponsored bike ride.

A big thank you to all who donated prizes and helped make the night a success.

## Own Clothes Day - Thurs, 31 March 2011

Last day of term, this Thursday is Own Clothes Day and there will be a charge of £1. The monies raised will go to charity.

## Summer Term Residentials

During the Summer Term there will be two trips to Barden Tower in the Yorkshire Dales.

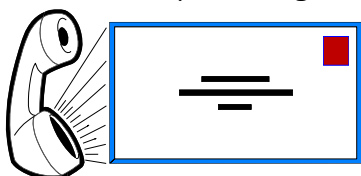
Year 12 students are away  
w/c: 16/5/11.

Year 7 students are away  
w/c: 4/7/11.

All activities are booked, more information nearer the time for parents/carers concerned.

## Pupil Information

We would like to remind all parents of the importance of providing the school with any change of address or phone numbers,



please let the school office know immediately. There have been a number of incidents when it has not been possible to contact a parent when their child has been unwell, due

to us not having up to date phone numbers.

## School Holiday Dates

School finishes at 1.30 pm  
on Thursday, 31 March

**Fri, 1 Apr - INSET DAY**

Mon, 4 Apr - Fri 15 Apr - Spring Break

**Summer Term commences Monday  
18 April at 08:50.**

School will be closed for the following Bank Holidays:

Fri, 22 Apr Good Friday

Mon, 25 Apr Easter Monday

Fri, 29 Apr Royal Wedding

Mon, 2 May Bank Holiday