

11th October 2013

Dear Parent/Carer

REMINDER: SCHOOL CLOSED TUESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - INSET DAY

THURSDAY 17<sup>™</sup> OCTOBER
THE SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED FOR
YEARS 7, 8. 9 AND10 – PLEASE SEE
SEPARATE LETTER AND CHECK OUR
WEBSITE FOR UPDATES.

We are delighted to see Harrow buses driving through the Borough with our wonderful school advertised upon them. How many have you seen on your travels?

#### **QUOTATION**

"Education is for improving the lives of others and for leaving your community and world better than you found it"-

Marian Wright Edelman



## **6TH FORM INFORMATION EVENING**

Please be informed that there will be a 6<sup>th</sup> Form Information Evening on **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October from 6.30pm**. Ms Campbell, Head of 6<sup>th</sup>, together with members of staff will be available to talk about different subjects offered and answer your questions. Information will be available to parents and Learners in Year 11 about the application process to 6<sup>th</sup> form; explanation of Harrow Collegiate and how this collaboration helps learners in the Borough. Also information about our great 6<sup>th</sup> form here at HHS – exam success, subjects offered, life as a 6<sup>th</sup> former, destinations etc. We look forward to seeing you and your son and daughter.

#### JACK PETCHEY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD SEPTEMBER 2013

Congratulations to **Anton Sutherland 10AB** for receiving this award. Anton is a credit to Harrow High School and has shown 100% effort towards his learning. Anton has a professional work ethic, is always dressed in immaculate school uniform and is a wonderful role model for our learners. Anton is always keen to build on his knowledge from each subject lesson. Well done Anton!

### THE TEMPEST - ENGLISH DEPARTMENT



understanding of the Shakespeare play, *The Tempest* and to give them some food for thought as they start to think about what they will create for their creative writing coursework. They ended today by performing one section of a speech by the

On Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October we were very fortunate to have Eastside Educational Trust come in and work with our first group of enthusiastic and excited A level English Literature learners in the Sixth Form. They were guided through lots of drama based activities to help them gain a better insight and



character Ariel and blew our collective minds with their talent! Well done Year 12!



#### **FILM CLUB**

If your son/daughter would be interested in joining the Film Club (after school) which is run in conjunction with 'Love Film' please ask them to contact Mr Lilley – English Department. The films are sent to school and there are great opportunities to take part in exciting workshops etc. Members will be issued with their own lanyards and membership cards and there is a personalised members only webpage to log into. Hurry up and join now!

## **DUTCH SCHOOL VISIT**

The 6<sup>th</sup> form enjoyed hosting a visit from a school in Holland this week. 60 students with staff dropped into see us on two mornings this week. They attended lessons and spent break time with our Sixth



formers in the Common Room and classrooms. The purpose of their visit was to converse in English and improve their language and conversation skills in English. We look forward to seeing them again next year.

# **FORTHCOMING VISITS**

We look forward to visits to the following places

22 October Westminster Abbey Year 7 SMSC 25 October Kew Gardens Year 10 Art 25 October Apple Store Year 10 Spanish

#### **EID MUBARAK**

To all our families celebrating next week.

Yours sincerely

Paul Gamble, Headteacher