

Weekly Newsletter

Dates & Events for the Diary

- ◆ **International Celebration:**
Monday, 18th July — EYFS @ 10am-11.30am & 1pm-2.30pm
- Tuesday, 19th July — Y1, Y3, Y6 @ 1.30pm
- Wednesday, 20th July — Y2, Y4, Y5 @ 1.30pm
- ◆ **Y6 Prom:**
Wednesday, 20th July @ 6pm
- ◆ **Y6 @ Nando's Stratford:**
Thursday, 21st July
- ◆ **Magic Show — Parents welcome:**
Thursday, 21st July — EYFS & KS1 @ 9.10am
- Thursday, 21st July — KS2 @ 9.40am
- ◆ **Kensington's Got Talent:**
Thursday, 21st July PM
- ◆ **NO Uniform Day:**
Friday, 22nd July
- ◆ **Last Day of Term—FINISH @ 1PM:**
Friday, 22nd July

Attendance & Punctuality w/c 04/07/2016

Whole school attendance: **96%**
Best Attendance: **Y6J 99.6%**
Best Punctuality: **Npm, Y4E 100%**

Learner of the Week

Khadija Nursery AM
Talha Nursery PM
Karim YRH
Aamelia YRL
Aseela YRU
Manha Y1I
Cheyanne Y1L
Anastasia Y1M
Sana Y2B
Priyan Y2R
Miraz Y3I
Hamritha & Ismail Y3U
Ian Y4C
Maherun Y4Cr
Mihai Y4E
Sidra Y5D
Yuvraj Y5M
Haroon & Adriana Y6C
Nicolae Y6J

This week @ Kensington

As you all know, the school was visited by OFSTED this week. We look forward to sharing the report with you when it is published in September.

We've had a fantastic week. Despite the rain, we had two very successful Sports Days. The children loved competing and showed their usual enthusiasm and endeavour. As always, it was wonderful to see their will to win and their positive attitudes – whether they won or not. We've also been celebrating Art Week with lots of amazing art going on across the school. The children have been busy producing some incredible pieces, including two giant mosaics – one to welcome visitors to the school and the other to remember Ms Cross, who many of you will remember sadly passed away last year.

Paul Harris
Executive Headteacher

Ben Levinson
Acting Head Teacher

School finishes 1pm on Friday, 22nd July.

No Nursery PM.

Children return to school Monday, 5th September 2016.

Staff Leaving

The following staff will be leaving the school at the end of this academic year.

- Mrs Brewood is retiring after many years at Kensington Primary.
- Miss Derrick has got a promotion and will be going to a new school in Hornchurch.
- Miss Lucas is moving to Amsterdam.
- Miss Creavalle is taking a year out of teaching.
- Ms Edge has got a promotion and will be going to a school in Waltham Forest.
- Mr Mirza has got a new job at a school in Hackney.
- Miss Mills will be starting her teacher training.

We wish them all the very best of luck in their new endeavours.

Pokemon Go

I am sure you will have already heard of the new game for smartphones – Pokemon Go. The game is an 'augmented reality' game. This means that you use your phone's camera and GPS to find objects in the real world. There are already some very serious concerns regarding the safety of this game as it is possible for users to drop 'beacons', thereby encouraging other users to visit a specific location. Clearly there is the potential for dangerous adults to use this feature to lure children to a particular place at a particular time. We will be talking to the children about this and the potential dangers and we would encourage you to reinforce this and, as always, to be extremely vigilant.



Library Books

Please make sure your child brings back to school any library books they have taken home to read.

DEADLINE for books to be RETURNED to school is Tuesday 19th July.



Festival of Youth 2016 @ Troxy

On Tuesday, Year 5 performed their end of year music performance at the Troxy, alongside a live band in front of a large audience. It was a great success! Thank you to all parents who attended to watch the concert and support the children; thank you also to all the parents who collected their child from the venue. If you missed the performance, we will be performing all our Troxy songs again during International Week, come along and listen!



Sports Days

This week we have been engaged in our art and fitness week with 2 very successful sports days on Tuesday and Wednesday. The pupils had a wonderful time showcasing all of the skills they have been developing over the year to compete in a range of activities in their school houses. Tuesday the winners of the Spirit Cup was Shelley and the KS1 Champions Trophy winners for 2016 was Browning.

Wednesday the spirit cup winners were again Shelley and the KS2 Champions Trophy was won by Byron.

Well done to everyone for taking part.



Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

Dear parents/carers, if you shop in Sainsbury's and have Active Kids Vouchers, please hand them in the office by **Monday, 18th July**. We will be sending off the vouchers in exchange for playground and PE equipment. The more in the more resources we can get for the children.

Extended After School Club

We are currently planning to run an extended after school club from 3.30pm till 6pm and would like to ask for your views. If you would be interested in the school providing this, please let the office know before the end of term. Please bear in mind this service can only be provided if we have a high level of interest. There will be a cost towards this service in order to meet the running cost.

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