



Kenningtons Primary Academy



Summer Term Newsletter 13th July 2018

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Dates to Remember

16th July 2018 - KS1 and KS2 Prizegiving

17th July 2018 - Interhouse Day in-school event

18th July 2018 - Year 6 Leavers Assembly

18th July 2018 - Meet The New Teacher Day

18th July 2018 - School Reports Issued to Parents

19th July 2018 - Year 4 "The Great Roman Show" Event

20th July 2018 - Last Day of Summer Term

23rd July 2018 - 5th September 2018 - Summer Holiday

(Non-pupil Inset Days **3rd September 2018 - 4th September 2018**)

Success at the Borough Olympics!

Kenningtons pupils put on a fantastic display in the Borough Olympics today. They competed at Blackshots in Grays this morning.

We are delighted to announce that our team won the field events, as well as coming first overall in the Borough Olympics.

We hope you will join us in congratulating the team for this fantastic result!



Parent Drop In Sessions

Teachers will hold their next Parent Drop In sessions from 3:15pm-4:00pm on the days specified below:

Koalas / Kookaburras - Tuesday 17th July

1B - Monday 16th July

2M / 2Ma - Tuesday 17th July

3H / 3N - Tuesday 17th July

4S - Tuesday 17th July

5L - Tuesday 17th July

6FH / 6K - Thursday 19th July

School Dinner Price Increase & Free School Meals

We have been notified by our catering company that from September 2018 the price of school dinners will increase by 10p. This means that school dinners will cost £2.00 per day when pupils return to school from the summer holidays.

Parents of current Year 2 pupils are advised that they will need to pay for school dinners when their child enters Year 3 unless the family is in receipt of benefits based free school meals.



Helping children to get better and better at everything they do



Mathletes - Well done to our Mathletes of the week 06/07/18!

| | Number of tickets for scoring 50 or more | Mathlete of the Week |
|-------------|------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Kookaburras | 2 | Ryan |
| Koalas | 2 | Zane |
| Kangaroos | 1 | Victoria |
| 1B | 6 | Chizaram |
| 1K | 0 | Angel |
| 2M | 3 | Al-Ameen |
| 2Ma | 3 | Precious |
| 2TJ | 2 | Phoenix |
| 3H | 5 | Toluwani |
| 3N | 7 | Maleelan |
| 3S | 10 | Faridah |
| 4OC | 1 | Samuel |
| 4S | 4 | Indiana |
| 5L | 3 | Samuel |
| 5W | 3 | Joseph |
| 6FH | 1 | Luke |
| 6K | 0 | - |
| 6N | 0 | - |



School Uniform

A quick reminder for parents that for both Girls and Boys the standard school uniform is a **white** shirt/blouse or polo-shirt or school logo polo shirt, **grey** bottoms (skirt, trousers, shorts), **navy blue** jumper/cardigan or school logo sweatshirt and **plain black** shoes (no trainers or boots). **White socks** or **grey tights** may be worn.

School uniform may be purchased online (for free deliver to Kenningtons) from <http://www.sues-schoolwear.co.uk/>

In summer term children are allowed to wear black or white sandals, but they must be worn with socks. Navy blue and white summer dresses are permitted in summer.

The expectation is that pupils will wear **plain** shirts, jumpers, etc. if they are not wearing the school logo.

The P.E. kit is a plain white top, plain black shorts and black plimsolls. P.E. kit should be kept in a drawstring bag.



Do not ride bicycles or scooters on the school grounds

The ICT Spot - Online Game Concerns

This week the National Online Safety Team (www.nationalonlinesafety.com) have highlighted the risks associated with the "Doki Doki Literature Club" computer game. a visual novel game with suicide themes and a psychological horror plot, advised by its makers as 'not suitable for children'. The National Online Safety Team have created a guide to help support schools and parents to raise awareness of the online safety risks associated with it: <https://twitter.com/natonlinesafety/status/1014516601281007616>

The National Online Safety Team have also produced a guide for parents ahead of the launch of Season 5 of the "Fortnite: Battle Royale" game. Please follow the link to view the guide: <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/fortnite-battle-royale-parents-guide/>



End of Term Celebrations!

Pupils enjoyed a Bouncy Castle Day on Monday 9th July 2018 to reward their hard work this year. We would like to thank Mega Inflatables for running a great day for our pupils!



ESSEX FIELD CLUB PRESENTS

THE ESSEX NATURAL HISTORY SHOW

**on Sunday 19th August
11.00am – 5.00pm Free Entry !**

**Snakes Alive, Eden Falconry, nature in close-up,
wildlife photography, fossils, rocks, Rockwatch
activities, Essex woodcarving, Fablab 3-D nature
printing and robotics, puppet shows, storytelling**

**Activities taking place at: The Green Centre, Wat Tyler
Country Park, Pitsea, Basildon, Essex SS16 4UH**



- ◆ **Craft activities, badge making, natural history displays, wildlife walks, pond dipping & lots more!**
- ◆ **Living reptiles, spiders, scorpions, live birds of prey**
- ◆ **Bats and birds in Essex, beekeeping, ladybirds**
- ◆ **Basildon natural history, RSPB activities, dormice**



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MISCHIEF MAKERS

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2018



JOHN KIRK - STORYTELLER
PRESENTS

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BY NIGEL AUCHTERLOUNIE

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COMING TO...


Grays Library

Wednesday 25th July

11:00am

Tickets £3 per child. For ages 6+. Book at Grays Library.

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ImagiNation Digital Workshops

Create an animated film based on your favourite story or character.

For ages 10+ who are taking part in the older Summer Reading Challenge "ImagiNation".



Monday 30th July

Belhus Library 10.30am to 12.00

Tilbury Library 3.00pm to 4.30pm

Free events but booking essential.


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