



# KEW RIVERSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## WEEKLY BULLETIN

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### Key Dates for Next Week

#### Art Week – Whole School

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### Whole School Information

#### Message from Michael

The football team had a great day at NPL in Teddington on Wednesday and got through to the semi-finals, which is a great achievement for the children – especially after their lose last week! To support their work on Buddhism, Rhino class visited the Buddhapadipa Temple in Wimbledon – this included a talk from a Buddhist monk and a *tour of temple*.

It was lovely to see so many of you at our Bangers and Bubbles social last night. Many thanks to everyone who come along, and especially the PTA for organising it.

#### School Trips

Please remember that all parent volunteers are picked from a hat for each trip, the selected parents will receive a letter of confirmation.

**Parents Consultations** – a letter confirming the date and time will be in your child's book bag today. A crèche will be available on both days.

**Home Learning club** – next week 23<sup>rd</sup> October and also the 20<sup>th</sup> November have been cancelled.

#### Sickness and Absence

If your child is unwell and cannot attend school, please inform Lisa at the office on the first day of sickness/absence.

### **Special School Meal to celebrate Black History Month**

To Celebrate Black History Month, the school will be offering an African menu on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Apologies for the changed of date from the 15<sup>th</sup> October – the cost will be £2:30. Please sign up in the office if you would like one.

### **The Big Book of Brilliant Behaviour**

Giraffe	Marven Panis
Zebras	Bruno Pereira
Elephants	Adrain Kuhlhoff-Masa
Monkeys	Malvika Agarwal
Crocodiles	Zoe Weston
Rhinos	Zuzanna Kretowicz
Lions	Mischa McRae

### **House Points**



**3108**



**2910**



**3033**



**2943**

**Attendance:** Crocodile Class

**Punctuality:** Elephant, Crocodile, Monkey and Lion Class

### **Craze of the Week**

The week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> October – Loom bands.

**Half Term Camp and Activities** – Please see the attached leaflet and information sheet, regarding all activities.

### **Repeated Messages**

#### **Parent Voice - Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November – 7-9pm**

The next Parent Voice will be run by Gill Hines on *Developing your Child's Resilience (Friendship & Playground Issues)*.

Gill is also running a number of different evening workshop for parents across Richmond & Kingston over the next few months. For more details and booking go to [www.gillhines.co.uk](http://www.gillhines.co.uk)

### **Art Club**

Art club is cancelled on 22<sup>nd</sup> October

### **Parent Volunteers**

A big thank you to the parent volunteers who read with our children last year. Your support made a real difference to the children's progress and achievement. If you would like to volunteer this year, please can you make an appointment with Sonia to find out more.

### **Playtime**

With the weather being so unpredictable, please could your child bring a coat to school every day.

### **Family Support at Kew Riverside School**

We have a new Family Support Worker – Monique Dixon will be in school every other Monday morning 9:30 – 12:30. Please see the website in archived bulletins for a leaflet with further information.

### **Pensford Field**

The Magic of Nature – 22<sup>nd</sup> October 16:30 to 18:00, please see the website in archived bulletins for the leaflet.

### **Love in a Box**

Please return your 'Love in a Box' shoebox to the office by **Monday 7th November**.

### **£250 Aiming High Grants**

Children who are on the Disability Register or receiving support from the Disabled Children's Team may qualify for a £250 grant. Please see the school website in achieved bulletin for further information and eligibility.

### **Key Stage 1 (Giraffe, Zebra & Elephant)**

#### **Giraffes**

**Monday Giraffes class will stay all day finishing at 15:15.**

**Orleans Gallery** – 23<sup>rd</sup> October workshop in school.

**Hearing Test** - 11th and 12th November - if you wish our child not to have the hearing test, please tell Lisa.

**Christmas Panto** - 17<sup>th</sup> December 'Panto in a day' will be performing at school the 'Wizard of Oz'. The PTA are generously subsidising the event with £4.00 per child – remaining cost to parents is £1.50. Please make payment online or at the office. See attached letter for further details.

#### **Zebras**

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**Library Visit** – 27<sup>th</sup> November.

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#### **Elephants**

**Art Week** - as part of our art week project, the class will be making their own set of wings. Please could parents donate any pieces of material,

wrapping paper, cellophane, shiny or glittery fabric and feathers. Please could you bring any donations to Sarah. Thank you.

**Orleans Gallery** – 23<sup>rd</sup> October workshop in school

**Science Museum** - 20<sup>th</sup> October, the cost of this trip will be £3.50 per child and will include a workshop. Please remember to pay either online or at the office.

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### **Key Stage 2 (Monkey, Crocodile, Rhino & Lion)**

#### **Monkeys**

**Orleans Gallery** – 21<sup>st</sup> October 1.00 – 2.30pm, if you do not wish your child to attend please inform Lisa at the office. Helpers will receive a letter.

**Swimming Lessons**- 20<sup>th</sup> October 13:00 to 14:00 - no swimming for Monkey Class. If you are paying by instalments the next payment is due, please remember to pay either online or at the office.

**Library Visit** – 20<sup>th</sup> November.

**Christmas Panto** - 11<sup>th</sup> December 2014 to see 'Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs' Richmond Theatre. The PTA are generously subsidising the trip with £4.00 per child – cost to parents is £8.00. Please make payment online or at the office. See attached letter for further details.

#### **Crocodiles**

**Orleans Gallery** – 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1.00 – 2.30pm, if you do not wish your child to attend please inform Lisa at the office. Helpers will receive a letter.

**Library Visit** – 16<sup>th</sup> October.

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**Library Visit** – 18<sup>th</sup> December.

#### **Rhinos**

**Orleans Gallery** – 21<sup>st</sup> October 10.00 – 12.00, if you do not wish your child to attend please inform Lisa at the office. Helpers will receive a letter.

**Library Visit – 23<sup>rd</sup> October.**

**Kingston Museum** - 10<sup>th</sup> November the cost of this trip will be £3.00 per child, this will include a Viking workshop. Please remember to pay either online or at the office.

**Library Visit – 13<sup>th</sup> November.**

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### **Lions**

**Orleans Gallery – 22<sup>nd</sup> October 10:00 to 12:00**, if you do not wish your child to attend please inform Lisa at the office. Helpers will receive a letter.

### **Secondary Schools Applications - need to be in by 31st October 2014.**

If anyone needs information or support with Secondary Schools, please make an appointment to see Lisa.

### **Residential Visit Osmington Bay**

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2015. The 3<sup>rd</sup> payment is now due. Please remember to pay either online or at the office.

**Library Visit – 6<sup>th</sup> November.**

**Christmas Panto** - 11<sup>th</sup> December 2014 to see 'Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs' Richmond Theatre. The PTA are generously subsidising the trip with £4.00 per child – cost to parents is £8.00. Please make payment online or at the office. See attached letter for further details.

### **Key dates for your diary**

#### **Autumn 1 Term 2014**

20 <sup>th</sup> October	No Swimming – Monkey Class
20 <sup>th</sup> October	Science Museum - Elephant Class
23 <sup>rd</sup> October	No Home Learning
20 <sup>th</sup> October	Art Week 20 <sup>th</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup> October (whole school)
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Art Club - Cancelled
23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Library Visit – Rhino Class
24 <sup>th</sup> October	Christ's School – Rhino Class (10 children)
24 <sup>th</sup> October	No Extension Swimming Options
24 <sup>th</sup> October	Cake Sale – Lion Class
27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> October	<b>Half Term</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> November	<b>Inset Day</b>
6 <sup>th</sup> November	Library Visit – Lion Class

12 <sup>th</sup> November	Cinema Night – 15:30 to 17:00
13 <sup>th</sup> November	Library Visit – Rhino Class
14 <sup>th</sup> November	Individual school photos
14 <sup>th</sup> November	Cake Sale - Rhinos
18 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Consultations 16:00 - 19:00
20 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents Consultations 16:00 - 19:00
20 <sup>th</sup> November	No Home Learning
20 <sup>th</sup> November	Library Visit – Monkey Class
22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Parent Voice Session 19:00 – 21:00
27 <sup>th</sup> November	Library Visit – Zebra Class
4 <sup>th</sup> December	Library Visit - Elephant Class
5 <sup>th</sup> December	Kew Sparkle
8 <sup>th</sup> December	Dress Rehearsal 9:30 (Grandparents)
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Nativity - 1 <sup>st</sup> Performance 13:30
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Nativity – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Performance 9:30
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Panto – All of Key Stage 2 (Richmond Theatre)
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Library Visit - Giraffe Class
12 <sup>th</sup> December	PTA Christmas Fair 17:00 to 19:00
17 <sup>th</sup> December	Panto – All of Key Stage 1 (at School)
18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Lunch
18 <sup>th</sup> December	Library Visit – Crocodile Class
19 <sup>th</sup> December	<b>Term Ends</b>
❖ <b>Please check the school website for term dates, including INSET days</b>	

<b>Slips to be returned/Attachments to bulletin</b>			
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>Giraffe Class</b>	<b>Zebra Class</b>	<b>Elephant Class</b>
Half term leaflet Fit 4 Sport Parent Voice	Panto Letters	Panto Letters	Panto Letters
<b>Monkey Class</b>	<b>Crocodile class</b>	<b>Rhino Class</b>	<b>Lion Class</b>
		Kingston Museum	

## **PTA NEWS**

17/10/14

### **Bangers, Bubbles & Beer Night: Thurs 16th October, 7-9.30pm**

Thank you to all the parents who came to our first PTA event this year. Thanks to Adele for her organization and commitment and thanks to all the parents who helped on the evening

### **Cauliflower Cards: deadline for return Mon 20<sup>th</sup> October**

Booklets and order forms have now been circulated to classes. If you have not received one, please speak to Lisa in the school office or email [adele.howard@cityoflondon.gov.uk](mailto:adele.howard@cityoflondon.gov.uk). This is always a success and it is a great fundraiser where children produce an A4 piece of artwork which is

reproduced into packs of professional Christmas cards/birthday cards/gift tags. Designs, order forms and money need to be handed in by Monday 20th October (cheques should be made payable to Kew Riverside School Community or KRSC).

\*\*\*Absolute latest Wednesday 22nd October for the card to be accepted

### **Northbrook Wrapping Paper and Cards: deadline for return Fri 7<sup>th</sup> November**

Brochures with samples and order forms have now been circulated to classes. If you have not received one, please speak to Lisa in the school office or email [adele.howard@cityoflondon.gov.uk](mailto:adele.howard@cityoflondon.gov.uk). Many of you ordered from this company last year, and loved the quality and designs of the Christmas/other products. This is another fundraiser where the school receive a massive 22% of sale proceeds. All orders and payment must be handed in to Lisa by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November.

### **Christ's Fireworks Evening: Fri 7<sup>th</sup> November, doors open 6pm, display 7.30pm**

Christ's school holds a fireworks display each year in their school field on Queens Road. It is always a fantastic evening, with music and a fire eating display before the fireworks to entertain the crowd (please note under 16's need to be accompanied by an adult and it is not possible to take your own fireworks or sparklers for health and safety reasons). There will be plenty of food and drink on offer: hot dogs, burgers, sweet and savoury crepes, cakes, mulled wine, hot chocolate, wine, lager, beer and soft drinks. Kew Riverside will be given a supply of tickets to sell and, in return, we get to keep 10% of the ticket sales. Tickets will be available to buy through Lisa in the school office from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October and the costs are as follows:

- Adult - £6
- Child (age 5-16) - £4
- Family (2 adults, 2 children) - £18
- Under 5's - Free

### **Movie Night: Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> November, 3.30-5pm** (School Hall)

The children have voted for Mr. Peabody and Sherman to be our movie night choice this term.

- Tickets £5 will include popcorn and a drink
- The children will be taken to the hall directly after school finishes on the Wednesday
- Only open to current Kew Riverside children and unfortunately siblings attending school cannot buy tickets due to limited seating capacity
- Tickets will be on sale from Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> November
- All children will have to pay the £5 ticket price even if they are at the school with Fit for Sport or after school clubs.
- No Reservations – sales with payment only

### **Class Cake Sales: next on Fri 24<sup>th</sup> October, 3.10-3.40pm**

Each class will hold a cake sale in the playground this year which will be organised by class reps and parents/carers. The money raised is used by the class on a treat, trip or something for the classroom, which is decided by the teacher/class. The schedule is as follows:

- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October - Lions
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November - Rhinos
- Spring 1st half term - Crocodiles
- Spring 2nd half term - Monkey
- Summer 1st half term – Elephant
- Summer 1st half term - Zebra
- Summer 2nd half term - Giraffe

### **Easyfundraising: on-going fundraiser**

A number of parents have recently signed up to this and they testify as to how quick and easy it is to do. To recap, it is an excellent way for you to help raise funds for our school. All you have to do is register and then use the Easy Fundraising website as a portal to make your usual online purchases (M&S, Gap, Sainsburys and lots of other retailers are listed). You pay the same as you normally would but the school gets a percentage. Please also encourage friends and family to sign up as you don't need to be a parent/carer to register. To sign up, go to <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/invite/16AFGO/> and search for 'Kew Riverside Primary School'.

### **PTA EVENTS**

- PTA Meeting (parents/carers) – Fri 17<sup>th</sup> October, 9-10am, Food Tech Room
- Cinema night (children of KRPS) – November (date and details to be confirmed)
- Christmas Fair (all) - Fri 12<sup>th</sup> December, 5-7pm, school hall

Thanks for reading.      Your 2013/2014 PTA