

## WEEKLY BULLETIN

6<sup>th</sup> February 2015

Issue 20

### This Week's Golden Rules Focus

Be Honest

### Key Dates for Next Week

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### Whole School Information

Giraffes had a great visit on Monday to the local recycling centre after becoming interested in recycling. The children thoroughly enjoyed themselves finding out about what happens to their rubbish and how it is made into new things (by machines and not by magic!)

Children have been told today that our annual talent show Q Factor will be on Friday 13<sup>th</sup>. This is a great event that they really enjoy, please encourage your child to enter. Qualifying rounds will be held in class during the week.

Please see the message below from the PTA regarding their new facebook page.

### Governors' News

Please find attached a letter from governors regarding Michael.

### Bad Weather

Occasionally during the year we suffer spells of very bad weather (e.g. snow). During these times we will always do our best to keep the school open. However, there may be occasions that this may not be possible, either because the site is closed or staff cannot get into work. If you are ever in any doubt whether the school will be open we will always endeavour to make sure that the website is updated with the latest advice. The school website should be your first point of reference.

[www.kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](http://www.kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

## **World Book Day - Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March**

To celebrate the day, we are asking all children to come to school wearing their favourite book character costume. The children will take part in a costume catwalk show and a book swap as well as being visited by children's authors and taking part in poetry rap sessions.

Parents are invited in to school to share their favourite book with their child or a small group of children between 9-9.30am.

We would kindly ask you to donate £1 on the day to buy books for children in sub-Saharan Africa, supported by Book Aid International.

To find out more about the day, visit: <http://www.worldbookday.com/>

**School Milk** - Please note if you registered online or sent your forms into school after Tuesday your child will not receive their milk until after half term.

**School Meals** – On Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February there will be a change to the menu and pizzas will be served.

**Parents Consultations** -Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March and Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March between 4.00pm -7.00pm. Fit for Sport will be running a free of charge crèche facility in the school hall/community room.

**Half Term Camps** – Fit for Sport will be running a camp everyday at Barnes Primary School and Sheen Mount Primary School, please see leaflet.

## **Sporting Events**

**Boy's Football Match** – 11<sup>th</sup> February at Queen's School, if your child is selected they will receive a hardcopy letter in their book bag.

**Netball tournament** - 25<sup>th</sup> February - hardcopy letter in book bags for trials and training if your child has been selected.

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

Giraffes	Ishaan Arora
Zebras	Sabrina Paktiawal
Elephants	Scarlett Albrecht
Monkeys	Zeno Norris
Crocodiles	Caitlin Gunn
Rhinos	Poppy Sykes
Lions	Elroy Losha

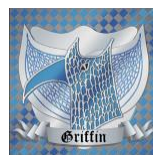
## **House Points**



**9348**



**9155**



**9157**



**9437**

**Attendance:** Crocodile Class

**Punctuality:** Monkey Class

### **Craze of the Week**

The week beginning 23<sup>rd</sup> February – Chess.

### **Community Information**

#### **February half term activities at Orleans House Gallery**

Join us this February half term and work with professional artists specialising in a range of different art-forms. Booking is essential. Visit the website where you can book online at: [www.richmond.gov.uk/arts](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/arts) or call 020 8831 6000. Please see attached leaflet.

### **Repeated Messages**

Some local parents may have seen the proposed planning permission for a 4G mobile transmission mast at the junction of Mortlake Road and West Hall Road. Please follow the link:

[http://www2.richmond.gov.uk/PlanData2/Planning\\_CaseNo.aspx?strCASENO=15/0191/TEL](http://www2.richmond.gov.uk/PlanData2/Planning_CaseNo.aspx?strCASENO=15/0191/TEL) if you would like to respond to the consultation.

Please note the consultation process closes on 10<sup>th</sup> February.

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

#### **Giraffes**

**Library Visit** – 12<sup>th</sup> February

**Kew Gardens** – 10<sup>th</sup> March. Please see the attached letter for full details of the trip and remember to return the completed slip and make payment of £2.50 online or at the office.

**Library Visit** – 19<sup>th</sup> March

#### **Zebras**

**The London Transport Museum** -10<sup>th</sup> February. This trip has been partially subsidised by the PTA, the cost will be £4.50 per child. This includes travel, entry and workshops. Please remember to pay online or at the office and return the permission slip.

#### **Elephants**

**The Natural History Museum** - 11<sup>th</sup> February. Please remember to return the permission slips.

**Library Visit** – 26<sup>th</sup> March

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

#### **Monkeys**

**Swimming Lessons**- The 6<sup>th</sup> payment is now due. Please remember to pay either online or at the office.

In **Design and Technology**, we have been looking at healthy and interesting sandwiches. We have tested breads and discussed fillings, decided what makes a balanced sandwich healthy and thought about taste and presentation.

This week we have designed our own sandwiches. On **Friday 13<sup>th</sup>**

**February** we will make our sandwiches in class and then eat them as part of a packed lunch. On this Friday please send your child into

school with all the **ingredients** for their sandwich in named plastic bags or Tupperware boxes. As there are children with allergies in the class, please ensure there are no nuts or shellfish or ingredients containing nuts or shellfish. In addition to their sandwich ingredients, please send them in with a full packed lunch. Please cook/slice any meats or eggs and grate any cheese/carrots as required. I will provide margarine and butter for the children.

**We will be eating our sandwiches as our lunch, children who have school meals will not be charged.**

Many thanks for your help,  
Jane.

**Library Visit** – 5<sup>th</sup> March

### **Crocodiles**

**Library Visit** – 26<sup>th</sup> February

**Juniper Hall** – A hardcopy letter for the payment schedule and the information pack will be sent home this evening.

### **Rhinos**

**Richmond Park Academy** - 11<sup>th</sup> February for Multi Sports.

**Parents Consultations** – Please remember, as a trial, children in Years 5 and 6 are expected to attend.

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### **Lions**

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**Residential Visit Osmington Bay**

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May. The **6<sup>th</sup>** payment is now due. Please remember to pay either online or at the office.

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

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5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
10 <sup>th</sup> March	Kew Gardens – Giraffe Class
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<b>30<sup>th</sup> March to 10<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Easter Holidays</b>
9 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA May Fair

❖ Please check the school website for term dates, including INSET days.

<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>
Governor's letter Fit four Sport Orleans House Gallery			
<b>Monkey Class</b>	<b>Crocodile class</b>	<b>Rhino Class</b>	<b>Lion Class</b>

## **PTA News 6<sup>th</sup> February 2015**

### **Facebook**

The PTA has set up a facebook group to help you to stay in touch with fundraisers, activities, events and local community events.

If you are interested then please email [charlottesmith77@me.com](mailto:charlottesmith77@me.com) stating your child's name and class and you'll be added to the group.

Feel free to add posts, reminders and general information about the PTA or class activities, admin will approve posts as soon as possible. The group is a "closed group" so only parents, guardians or staff will be able to see information posted and again this will be approved by an admin team.

Anything child or staff specific will still need to go through the official channels with the school.

This will be run as a trial period till the Easter Holidays.

**All** parents will still get the normal information via the school weekly bulletin, class reps and the notice board in the playground, this will hopefully just be another way of staying in touch with what's happening.

If you need further information please email Charlotte on the above address.

### **Cinema Night**

The children had a great time watching How to Train Your Dragon 2 at last week's Cinema Night. We raised over **£250** for the school!

### **Quiz Night**

**Thursday February 26<sup>th</sup>**

Save the date for the Kew Riverside Quiz Night

Leave the kids at home and join us for a night of fun and fundraising. Adults only, sorry.

Doors will open at 7:30, and the festivities begin at 8:00. Bring your own food, or buy from the PTA bar and snack shack. Compete with your quiz teams for a grand prize, and between auction rounds, you'll have the chance to bid on amazing services offered by members of the school community, including a physio massage, tutoring, babysitting, and handyman services. Look for the ticket sales table the week before half-term!

### **Other Fundraising**

#### **Scooters for Schools**

Remember you can buy a scooter and 10% of the sale will come back to the school

[www.micro-scooters.co.uk](http://www.micro-scooters.co.uk)

Our school reference number 133343

#### **Easy Fundraising**

[www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk)

Various large and small retailers donating cash back to the school at just a click of the mouse or touch of a screen!

### **Next PTA Meeting**

We would love you to join us for the next meeting, all are welcome and don't worry if you need to bring a younger child with you.

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February** at 9am in the Food Tech Room