

## BULLETIN

23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018

Issue 14

### Focus of the Week

#### Key Dates coming up

26 <sup>th</sup> March	Children's Cinema Night – PTA Event
27 <sup>th</sup> March	Barn Church – Zebra Class
28 <sup>th</sup> March	Barn Church – Elephant Class
28 <sup>th</sup> March	EYFS/KS1 Easter Bonnet Parade
29 <sup>th</sup> March	Class Assembly – Elephant Class Parents welcome
<b>29<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Term Ends</b>
<b>30<sup>th</sup> March – 13<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Easter Holidays</b>
<b>16<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>School starts all children</b>

#### Golden Certificate Winners in Spr 2 Week 4

Giraffe Class – Felix  
Zebra Class – Otavio  
Elephant Class – Atlas  
Monkey Class – Paris  
Crocodile Class – Bruno  
Rhino Class – N/A  
Lion Class – Tommy



Dear Parents and Carers

Well done to Zebra Class for their assembly this morning. Next week is Elephant Class' turn and remember, it will be on Thursday not Friday, 9.15am start!

Thank you for all the signatures for the JLT's Road Safety Petition. If anyone from the Kew Riverside developments would like to continue gathering names over the holidays, please collect a clipboard from me next week.

Another huge thank you to all of you who have sponsored me for the London Marathon by committing money or sending donations to the NSPCC directly on my Just Giving page <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/darren-norman>

Well done to our choir for their performance in the Singing Festival on Wednesday. They should be very proud of their hard work in rehearsals, and made the school proud with their enthusiastic rendition of S Club 7's "Reach" that had the audience clapping along and dancing in their seats.

Can I please remind you that no child should be walking on their own from the school car park at drop-off time unless they are in Y5 or Y6. Furthermore, older children are **not allowed** to be responsible for their younger siblings. Also,

parents should not be entering classrooms before or after school. Thank you.

### **Reminders**

Medical Forms, If you have received a medical form to complete for your child and have yet to return it, if these are not back by Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March, the school Nurse will be contacting these families to do a home visit.

Finally, we are sad to say farewell to Ben, who will be moving to Cornwall next week. We hope very much to stay in touch with him through his work with our link school in Penryn. Ben has been a fantastic member of staff for many years here and if he decides that the beautiful Cornish Coast is no match for the Kew Retail Park, we may see him return in the future!

Have a great weekend!

Darren

**Financial Year End**, as the end of term is fast approaching so is the financial year end, please could you settle any outstanding school meals up to the end of term and trip money. Please pay online or at the office, many thanks.

**Spelling Workshop** – From the success of the Spellathon, to help with spelling at home, we have provisionally booked for an inspiring and engaging English consultant to deliver a parent's session on **Monday 30th April, 6-7.30pm**. Please sign up with Lisa 29<sup>th</sup> March if you are interested - we need a minimum of 20 parents to run the session.

**Measles** There has been 5 reported cases in a school in the borough.

### **PTA**

'Thank you to everyone who attended and supported the bingo night last Friday. We had a great turnout and lots of chocolate was consumed!

The PTA is now already busy planning the next big event in school calendar which is the **May Fair**. This year it will be held on **Friday 11th May**, after school. Stalls have been allocated to each class and please keep an eye out for emails, posters and Facebook posts informing you about how you can get involved.'

### **Muffi Days for the May Fair**

27<sup>th</sup> April, please donate chocolate and party bah filers.

11<sup>th</sup> May, please donate bottle and cakes.

Many thanks

### **A Message from Neal**

We have 3 key sporting events for your diaries for the summer term.

Thursday 19th April

Our **Kew Marathon** will be held the field. All the children will have the opportunity run around our Marathon Kids course, adding kilometres to their personal running total and raising sponsor money for school PE equipment. Sponsor forms will sent home next week. We also hope that, the short video that was filmed in school to promote Marathon Kids to other schools, will be released to us in time for the event. Parents are welcome to support their classes.

Friday 22nd June

**Inter house Sports day.** Starting in the morning with field events, culminating in the class and parent sprint events. Parents are welcome all day

Monday 25th June

We are taking part in the **Sports for Schools** scheme this year, which will see a top athlete visiting our school to encourage children to take up (more) sport. We're hoping this will be a terrific, fun, and inspiring event for the children and raise funds for the athlete and the school. (The mystery athlete will be revealed to the children in assembly a few weeks prior to the event!)

### House Points



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### Community Events

#### **Be a part of the Richmond Mayor's eggs-ellent adventure**

Children and families are invited to be part of an eggs-ellent adventure and join the Mayor's Easter Egg Hunt in York House Gardens.

The hunt, in support of the Mayor's Charities Me Too and Co, Off the Record Twickenham and Cavernoma Alliance UK, will run from 2 to 3pm on Sunday 25 March.

Booking is required in advance. Children must be eight or under, accompanied by an adult and wear appropriate outdoor clothing.

Book your tickets online by following the link below:

<https://www2.richmond.gov.uk/richmondbookings/Details.aspx?id=54448> or by calling

020 8487 5388. Tickets cost £3.50.

Find out more about the Mayor's charities and upcoming events by following this link:

[http://www.richmond.gov.uk/council/news/press\\_office/older\\_news/march\\_20\\_18/be\\_a\\_part\\_of\\_our\\_eggsellent\\_adventure](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/council/news/press_office/older_news/march_20_18/be_a_part_of_our_eggsellent_adventure)

**New course for year 5 and 6 parents looking at behaviour** see attach flier.

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

##### **Giraffes**

##### **Zebras**

Barn Church, 27<sup>th</sup> March if you wish your child not to attend this local trip, please let Lisa know.

##### **Elephants**

Barn Church, 28<sup>th</sup> March if you wish your child not to attend this local trip, please let Lisa know.

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

##### **Monkeys**

##### **Crocodiles**

##### **Rhinos**

## Lions

**PGL June 2018** – This PGL trip will be after the May half term from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June to 8<sup>th</sup> June. **Please note 4<sup>th</sup> June is an inset day, but will be the start of PGL.**

### Key dates for your diary

26 <sup>th</sup> April	KS1 SATs Information Evening 6.30pm
26 <sup>th</sup> April	KS1 Phonics Screening Information Evening 6.30pm
27 <sup>th</sup> April	Class Assembly – Giraffe Class Parents welcome
27 <sup>th</sup> April	Neasden Temple
27 <sup>th</sup> April	Muffi Day – Chocolate and Party Bag Fillers
30 <sup>th</sup> April	Spelling at Home – Parent Workshop 6.00 to 7.30
4 <sup>th</sup> May	Class Assembly – Rhino Class Parents welcome
<b>7<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Bank Holiday</b>
11 <sup>th</sup> May	Muffi Day – Bottles and Cakes
11 <sup>th</sup> May	May Fair
14 <sup>th</sup> 17 <sup>th</sup> June	SATs Week
<b>28<sup>th</sup> May – 1<sup>st</sup> June</b>	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Inset Day</b>
4 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> June	PGL Osmington Bay – Lion Class
<b>5<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>School starts all children</b>
11 <sup>th</sup> to 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonic screening
26 <sup>th</sup> June	Class photos
<b>20<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Term Ends</b>

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

### Library Times

Monday 3.30-4pm

Wednesday 3.30-4pm

Friday 3.30-4pm

Children from all year groups are welcome to visit on any day. Children in Giraffes to Crocodiles must be accompanied by an adult; Rhinos and Lions can visit by themselves.

### Slips to be returned/Attachments to bulletin

Whole School	Giraffe Class	Zebra Class	Elephant Class
Monkey Class	Crocodile Class	Rhino Class	Lion Class

## KRPS PTA Committee

All parents and carers are automatically part of Kew Riverside's PTA and being involved in any way you can is a great way to meet new people and raise money for our fantastic school. We have regular meetings and are always planning the next event so if you can help in any way or have some great fundraising ideas then please talk to your class reps.

You can keep up to date on school news via the school's website <http://www.kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk/> on twitter @KRPS2039 or

our Facebook page which if you want to become a member of please search for us at "Kew Riverside Primary School PTA" and you'll be asked by admin to verify your child's name and class before you are approved.

Lots of great events happening throughout the year and we all look forward to seeing you and your families getting involved!