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# BULLETIN

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Issue 5

# Focus of the Week

#### Key Dates coming up

10<sup>th</sup> October 11<sup>th</sup> October 11<sup>th</sup> October 12<sup>th</sup> October Holly Lodge – Lion Class back by 3.45pm Heights and weights – Lion Class Giraffe Meet the teacher 6.30 to 7.00pm Maths Day



#### Dear Parents and Carers

#### Firstly, we need to announce a change in term dates this year.

We have had to make two changes to our term dates this year. The INSET on **29th October 2018 has been cancelled**. The children should therefore return to school after half term on this date. The INSET on **25th March 2019 has been moved**. Therefore, the **end of the summer term will be Friday 19th July at 2pm** and NOT Tuesday 23rd as previously listed. To cover these training days, staff will undertake some extra sessions through the year.

#### Lion Class PGL 2019

A letter will be sent home today. Please check your child's bag.

#### PE: Message from Naomi and Cale – Girls Football Team

Great work yesterday! It was really excellent to see the girls' enthusiasm grow and their confidence build in each game. I am sure with some more practice and time with Cale they will really improve on their match play. The girls played 6 games and won 2, drew 1.

#### No Pens Day

On Wednesday, the whole school celebrated 'No Pens Day Wednesday'. This event encourages schools to put down their pens and to run a day of speaking and listening activities. Thank you to Laura for organising the day.

#### Incident in our Community

Further to my email this week regarding the violent incident that occurred last Saturday new Chaucer Road and Lambert Avenue, we have received the following advice from the police:

This incident is thankfully isolated in nature and we have had no similar crimes reported on either ward before or since.

We would therefore encourage teenagers out at night to be aware of their surroundings, restricting mobile phone usage to only when necessary; and to travel where possible in groups rather than in ones or twos.

Similarly, it might be prudent to keep parents or other friends updated with their evening plans and who they are meeting up with etc.

Sticking to well-lit and heavily trafficked routes is also advisable, instead of using more secluded footpaths even if more convenient.

Kind Regards,

# Jordan Wharmsby 2164SW

Dedicated Ward Officer - Kew Safer Neighbourhood Team

# E-Safety Talk for Parents

We have arranged for Peter Cowley, ICT and Online Safety Adviser, to give a parent **talk on E-Safety on 20<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm**. Those of you who have attended this before will know how useful it was in informing us of the dangers of the online world but also, to not panic and be able to set guidelines and protection in place. We hope as many of you can attend as possible.

# Help the School

We have created an informative flyer setting out some ideas of how you can help the school as a volunteer.

# 20isPlentv

The 20isPlenty campaign will be coming to our school during Road Safety Week (mid-November). Although this is predominantly about speed, we are hoping to use this opportunity to raise the parking issues we have experienced. Flyer attached.

# Maths: A Message from Rachel

This year's annual Maths Day will be on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October! 'Tony the Maths Magician' will be returning to deliver his magical workshops for all the classes once again (kindly funded by the PTA).

The day will also involve the children completing cross-curricular maths activities as well as competing to deliver a 'Take Over Maths' lesson for 15 minutes each. They will get an opportunity to become the class teacher (including outfit!) and teach a mathematical concept to the class. How to apply is attached but will also go out with Home Learning on 4th October.

Parents are invited to come and join in with some of the problem solving and reasoning activities going on in the classrooms. EYFS and KS1 parents are welcome between 9.30 – 10.30 and KS2 parents between 2.00-3.00. This will be a great opportunity to see some of the fantastic maths challenges we have going on at Kew Riverside. Tea and coffee will be served in the lobby before hand. Please sign up with Lisa if you're interested. We look forward to seeing you then!

# KewZania

The Junior Leadership Team (JLT) would like to invite you to 'KewZania' on 2nd November beginning at 1.00pm. It is an afternoon of fun activities where the children take over and experience the world of work! We will have a pizza and ice cream parlour, Koogle (all things 'techie'), a garage for scooter and bike repair, garden centre and architect's office along with many more 'areas'. The children are asked to bring £2 towards the cost of the resources. Please come and join us to help out at each station!

## Weekly update on the School Development Plan (SDP) and Self Evaluation Form (SEF)

In this section, we aim to update you as to our progress against our four priorities on the SDP. The collated evidence can all be found on the website http://www.kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk/page/?title=School+Development+P lan+%28SDP%29+%26amp%3B+Self+Evaluation+Form+%28SEF%29&pid=149

- **Priority 1** The School's Identity Quotes have been collated for the Garden's
- construction Children's questionnaires completed for PATHs 10<sup>th</sup> October

Priority 3 -Communication with School Stakeholders At the AGM today, funding wish lists were communicated to the PTA



Priority 2 - Raising Standards across the Curriculum

- First set of monitoring of teaching and learning finished today
- Targets have been set-up and placed in books
- Presentation, Marking and Feedback policy has been reviewed and will go to Govs

Have a lovely weekend! Darren

## Governors

If you have any questions for or about the Governors please send them to: <u>governors@kewriverside.sch.richmond.uk</u>

# Lego Club - A message from Josh

Well done to Rio and Sam – this week's Lego winners! Please go to <u>https://www.kidswithbricks.com/</u>, find the Kew Riverside entry and vote. The winning entry will get a prize and it would be great to see Kew Riverside move above 12<sup>th</sup> on the leaderboard!

## **Flu Vaccinations**

On 20<sup>th</sup> November, the Nasal Flu programme for Years 1-5 will be carried out in school. Further details can be found on the school website under the Safeguarding/Illness-Accident-Medical tab. A letter and consent form will be in the children's book bags

# Richmond Park Academy Open Evening

Richmond Park Academy would like to invite parents to attend their Open Evening on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October. The Open Evening will feature tours of the school and a presentation by Principal, Paul Mundy-Castle. Parents can save time by pre-registering to attend at

www.richmondparkacademy.org/openeveningreg. Please find the invitation attached. Richmond Park Academy is also offering tours on Tuesday or Thursday mornings during the school day until half term. To arrange a tour you can contact them at <u>contactus@richmondparkacademy.org</u>

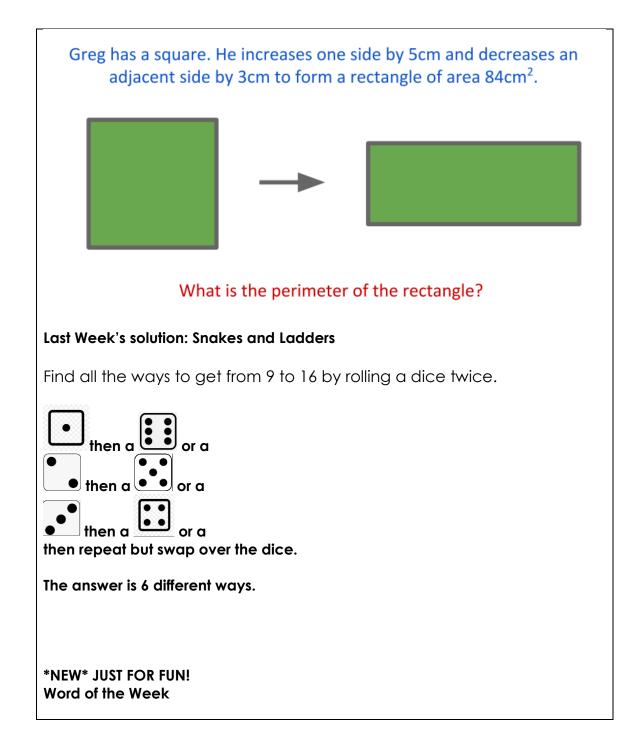
Have a go at the new weekly puzzle challenge and practise using the 'Word of the Day' next week. This week is aimed at the older children in the school but anyone can have a go! There are no prizes it is just for fun!

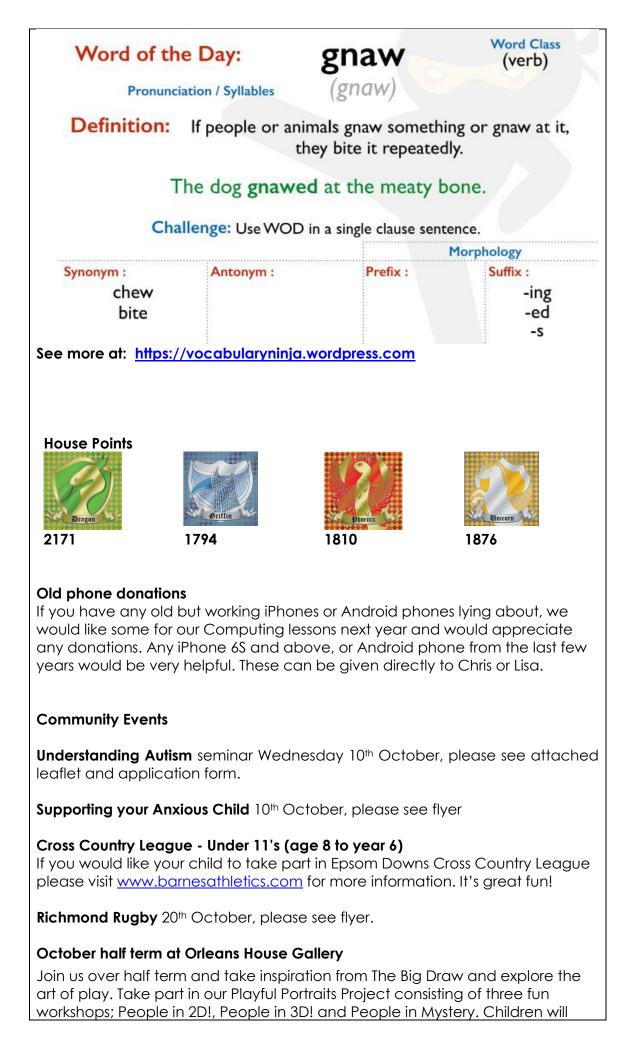
\*NEW\* JUST FOR FUN! Puzzle of the Week - Solution next week!



Priority 4 - The Development of Staff • Initial priority CPD

- / | \ has been booked targeting Y2 Assessment, Early Years, Outdoor Learning
- Our coach from Barnardo's, Tess, has been in and worked with teachers and children as part of the PATHS project has taken place





explore a range of techniques to capture characteristics and features of real and imaginary characters. Children can take part in one, two, or all three of the workshops, though they must be booked separately. Or join us for a half day workshop with Nature Play to explore mark making with natural tools, and create your own cheeky character. Further information available here: www.orleanshousegallery.org/learning/children-families/children/ Parenting groups available Autumn Term 2018 Timetable of different parenting groups available this term for parents and carers of children of all ages. More information here: Autumn 2018 Parenting Groups Parenting Courses Booklet Fitness Membership Offer Back to school and back to Feel Good Fitness. Enjoy three months free when you join today. Offer valid until 14 October 2018, T&C's apply and cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer. Call 020 3772 2999 or register on our website Please check the school website for half term and community events. http://www.kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk/page/?title=Fortnightly+Bulletin&pid <u>=23</u> Key Stage 1 (Giraffe, Zebra & Elephant) Giraffes Hearing Tests - These will take place on 6<sup>th</sup> November 2018. Zebras **Elephants** Key Stage 2 (Monkey, Crocodile, Rhino & Lion) Monkeys School Lunches Please remember that lunches need to be paid for. Crocodiles **Rhinos** Museum of Richmond – 17<sup>th</sup> October please see attached letter more information. Lions **Brentford School for Girls – Pupil Talk** On 8<sup>th</sup> October at 9.30am, the headteacher at Brentford School for Girls will be coming in to talk to girls in Lion Class.

Holy Lodge – 10<sup>th</sup> October please remember to paid.

Heights and weights – 11<sup>th</sup> October.

PGL Osmington Bay 20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> May

#### Key dates for your diary Please check the school website for the diary, term dates, including INSET days. The next 2 weeks dates will be put at the top bulletin.

#### 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
		Trip letter	Trip letter Open day

# **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 <u>http://www.kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk/</u> 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!

