



Dear Parents,

### Next Week's Dates:

**Monday 17th September:** First week of clubs

**Monday 17th September 2.50-3.15pm-** Y3 Meet the teacher.

**Monday 17th September 9am-**PTA AGM in the hall

**Monday 17th September:** Y6 Transport for London Safety & Citizenship Presentation.

**Friday 21st September:** Y3 trip to St Mark's Church, Bromley. (Aquinas Schools' Service).

**Friday 21st September:** Jeans for Genes Day. £1 donation to charity in return for wearing jeans to school. (One item of denim).

### Future Dates:

**Tuesday 25th September-**JTA event @ Bromley Civic Centre

**Tuesday 25th September-**KS1 Mixed 7 A-Side Football Competition at Harris Academy Orpington.

**Wednesday 26th September 3.30-4pm-** Bromley Admissions Talk to Y6 Parents re applying for a secondary school place.

**Thursday 27th and Friday 28th September-**Y6 Bikeability Training.

**Thursday 27th September 2.50pm** -Reception and Y1 Phonics Talk in the Dome.

**Wednesday 3rd October-**Y5/6 Maths Workshop @ 2.50pm.

**Monday 8th October-**Parent Consultations 3.30-8pm.

**Monday 8th October-**AAC Meeting 5.30pm.

**Tuesday 9th October-**Y6 Parent Consultation 3.30-5.15pm

**Thursday 11th October-**Parent Consultations 3.30-6pm. Online bookings will open shortly.

**Monday 22nd October-Friday 2nd November** 2 week Half Term Holiday.

### Awards

**The Spike Trophy** (for attendance and punctuality) went to Y1 this week. Well done!

**The Music Trophy** went to Y3 for their excellent recorder playing.

**E-Safety Champion** Congratulations to Emma Y2 who has become our first E-Safety Champion for remembering and teaching our Y1 and Y2 children our E-Safety song.

**House Captains** – Many congratulations to the following Y6 children who have been elected by their peers to become House Captains for the term:

**Wilberforce:** Eddie and Lily.

**Crompton:** Ellie and MacKenzie

**Caesar:** Jemima and Jack

**Darwin:** Kalila and Dotu

### School News

#### Naming School Uniform

Please ensure that all school uniform and PE kits are named. We are discovering large numbers of unnamed items which causes a lot of extra work for the teachers especially after PE.

#### Online Safety

The online world is posing an ever-increasing risk to children and it is important that schools, parents and carers work together to take an active role in teaching children about online dangers and how to act safely when using the internet.

Last year I purchased an online safeguarding course for parents as it is vital we work together to protect our children online. There is no charge to parents for the course.

The course can be taken at your own convenience and covers:

- Information about online dangers and the newest platforms
- What online risks to look out for and how to protect your child
- Interactive quizzes to check your understanding

Please find below the URL you need to visit to access the course:

On the home page click on product and then select online safety world course for parents. The course and cost of £9.99 will appear, add this to your basket and then key in **KESTONCE** under promotional code.

Apply the code and this will then reduce your charge to nil.

[www.onlinesafetyworld.com/school-course-access](http://www.onlinesafetyworld.com/school-course-access).

The Keston CE Primary's Course Code is: **KESTONCE**

If you have any questions, or trouble accessing the course please contact [support@nationalonlinesafety.com](mailto:support@nationalonlinesafety.com).

### Miss Tomlin and Mrs Ross

Next weekend we will be running our now annual half marathon around Disneyland Paris. However what makes this weekend slightly different to previous years is that we are also running a 10K on the Saturday (we are still slightly in denial about this part)! So if you would like to sponsor us and help raise funds to buy some luxury items for the school, then please follow the link below. As they say every little helps!

[https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/rundisney-miss-tomlin-and-mrs-ross?utm\\_term=nj29RwZAx](https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/rundisney-miss-tomlin-and-mrs-ross?utm_term=nj29RwZAx)

### JeansforGenes Day Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September

Next Friday, Children are invited to wear one item of denim with their school uniform in support of this charity.

Year 3, please bring the item into school so they can change when they return from the church visit.

### Rhythm and Beat Music Club

Unfortunately we have been let down by our drum suppliers and will have to postpone this new club for a few weeks. We will let you know when it starts.

### Thank you

A very big thank you for supporting the Book Fair earlier this year. With the commission we have been able to purchase a substantial number of new core reading books for the school.

### JTA News

Congratulations to the following Y6 children who have become our new JTA's.

Tomika, Bonnie, Ellie and Ophelia. They will be attending their first event on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September at Bromley Civic Centre.

### PTA News

#### AGM

The PTA AGM will take place on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> September at 9am in the school hall. If you would like to join the PTA please come along.

### Pantos 2018

The PTA is offering two fabulous opportunities to enjoy some Panto action this festive season. Oh yes they are....

#### **Touring Pantos**

On **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November**, the brilliant Touring Pantos troupe will come to school to perform their hilarious rendition of Sleeping Beauty in the Hall. For those who saw their last show, Cinderella, a couple of years ago, you'll recall how much fun the evening was. We highly recommend you bring friends and family along to this show.

Tickets are £8 (or £30 for 4) and the doors open at 5.30pm for a 6pm show. Refreshments will be available to purchase. Please email [kestonprimarypta@gmail.com](mailto:kestonprimarypta@gmail.com) to order tickets. The Hall has limited capacity so tickets will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

#### **Cinderella at the Churchill Theatre, Bromley**

We have managed to secure a large block of tickets for this year's fantastic Cinderella at the Churchill, featuring Lesley Joseph as The Fairy Godmother. The show is at 1.30pm on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December, the last day of term. This worked so well last year. We highly recommend you bring family and friends along to this brilliant afternoon out.

Tickets are £20 - considerably less than if you bought them direct but also helping raise funds for the PTA. We need to confirm and pay for tickets very soon so please email your orders to [kestonprimarypta@gmail.com](mailto:kestonprimarypta@gmail.com) by Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September and we will collect money shortly afterwards.

### Community News

#### **Biggin Hill Memorial Museum**

Volunteers are at the heart of the new museum. Would you like to get involved and tell the stories of RAF Biggin Hill? We have several exciting volunteer roles to engage welcome and support museum visitors. If you are interested in meeting our current volunteers and learn more about joining our team come along to a volunteer recruitment event.

#### **Volunteer Recruitment Events**

17<sup>th</sup> September 11.30am

Down House, Luxted Road, Downe, BR6 7JT

27<sup>th</sup> September 18.30

The Cockpit Room, Biggin Hill Library, Biggin Hill TN16 3LB

#### **French classes at the Greyhound**

Learn French in a fun way through songs, games, stories and plays.

Thursdays 3.30-4.10pm suitable for Y2-4 cost £4.50  
For further details or to book a free taster class ask  
Fiona 07891 738120

**Try Mini Rugby @ Old Dunstonian RFC**  
**See attached flyer.**

**BYMT The Greatest Sing**

A free event for those in years 2-8 Thursday 13<sup>th</sup>  
September 4.15-5.45pm  
Sing the songs from the Greatest Showman with  
others who love to sing! See attached flyer

**Wickham Park Tennis Club** has an Open Weekend  
offering free tennis to all the family and offering huge  
discounts on membership and tennis lessons.

Why not come along and have a look - you can  
receive free coaching on the day, a huge discount off  
6 months' memberships;  
Adults usually £111.50 at the open day only £60  
Juniors usually £32.50 at the open day only £17  
Family usually £257 at the open day only £135  
(to those that have not been member in the last 3 months).

And all those who attend can receive a free trial  
lesson the following week and a 25% discount of the  
remainder of a terms coaching.

Wickham Park Tennis Club  
228 - 230 Pickhurst Rise  
West Wickham  
Kent  
BR4 0AU

Saturday 22 September 2pm – 5pm  
Sunday 23 September 2pm – 5pm

Free coaching on both days;  
**Adult Coaching**- 2.30 - 3pm & 3.30 -4pm  
**Junior Coaching**  
10 & Under: - 2.30 - 4.30pm;  
Over 10: - 3 - 3.30pm & 4-4.30pm

For more information contact Rob Sheath;  
[www.wickhamparktennisclub.co.uk](http://www.wickhamparktennisclub.co.uk)  
[info@wickhamparktennisclub.co.uk](mailto:info@wickhamparktennisclub.co.uk)  
Telephone 07956231870

COME AND JOIN IN THE FUN FOR FREE

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 11am-4pm**

A chance to visit the Roman Tombs and Garden off  
the Westerham Road. Please see attached flyer.

Have a lovely weekend.  
Mrs J Evison  
Headteacher