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Kentish Town C of E Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Harvest Festival

Many thanks to everyone who attended the Harvest Assembly on Friday of last week. As mentioned, we are donating all funds and food gathered to the Food Hub at Kentish Town Community Centre. Here is the link to their website: https://www.ktcc.org.uk/.

If anyone has a need of additional food then you can contact the Food Hub through their website. Children from the school council will be delivering our items later this week. Please bring any late items in to school before Wednesday. Thanks so much for your generosity, as ever.

Meet the Parents — Tuesday 27th September

More details are included overleaf. Please book a free ticket to the event, held in our school hall. You will be able to hear from parents and students from local secondary schools about their experiences. All parents are welcome to attend but the event is probably of most use to parents and carers of children in Y5 and Y6.

Secondary Transfer

The deadline for secondary transfer applications if 31st October 2022. Please email: admin@kentishtown.camden.sch.uk for a meeting with me if you have questions about the process or choice of secondary school. I am very happy to help.

International Evening—Thursday 6th October

Jahanara is busy rehearsing with children (and some adults) for their performances at International Evening on Thursday 6th October. Please bring along some food to share from your culture/heritage, as we plan to celebrate the wealth of diversity in our school community. ALL parents, carers and children are welcome to attend. **Please bring in some food to share from 5pm and then the entertainment will be from 5.30pm** — **6.45pm.** Jahanara will send out more details about the food later this week. You can contact Jahanara at: j.jalil@kentishtown.camden.sch.uk.

Used Uniform — It's a Bargain!

We have lots of used uniform which will be available for parents and carers before school on 27th September and after school on 28th September. The uniform has been washed and sorted and is in good condition. **Items are actually free.** The uniform is good value, sustainable and has lots of wear in it. Please save it from the landfill and use it!

Individual Portraits — Photographs

These will be taken in school on 13th October.

INSET Day — Friday 21st October

A reminder that this half term ends on Thursday 20th October. School is closed for children on Friday 21st October as this is a staff training day.

School Development and Improvement Plan 2022

Each year we work on improving our school even further. The plan for 2022—23 should be approved by Governors on 12th October and I will be sharing it with parents and carers on Wednesday 2nd November at 9am. Everyone is welcome to attend.

School Inspection

As our last inspection by OFSTED (Office for Standards in Education) was in December 2017, I have been working with Governors and staff in preparation for our next inspection. I will share some key information in the next few newsletters so you will know what to expect when the inspection happens.

Best wishes,

James Humphries - Headteacher



Meet the Parents event on Tuesday:

On Tuesday September 27th we will be hosting our annual Meet the Parents event. This is an invaluable opportunity to talk to families from our local secondaries about what's happening at their schools. There has been a lot of change in the last year, so we would strongly recommend coming to this - and do bring children in Year 6 if you wish. The event is open to parents in all year groups. It will also be filmed for the Meet the Parents website.

We will have representation from Acland Burghley, Camden School for Girls, Haverstock, La Sainte Union, Parliament Hill school. Please book through eventbrite at https://kentishTownMTP27thSept.eventbrite.co.uk





LONDON MARATHON

Some of our parents are running the London Marathon for various charities. Please see their details below.

Hello, My name is Emma. My son George is in Oak class and I will be fundraising effort for Brain Research UK. I will be running in the London Marathon on Sunday 2nd October and I hope to raise as much money as I can for this worthy cause.

The link to my fundraising page is below.

https://tcslondonmarathon.enthuse.com/pf/emma-campbell-7aa86

Thanks so much for your support. Kind regards, Emma

Hello, My name is Stacey. My children Chase and Raffy are in Willow and Oak Class and I will be running the London Marathan for Cancer Research. If you would like to help me raise money for this charity then please visit the link below.

https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/staceys-london-marathon-1-1

Thanks so much for your support. Kind regards, Stacey

CAMDEN HARMONY SINGERS

Wednesday Evenings 6:30pm until 8:30pm

Hilldrop Community Centre Community Lane, Hilldrop Road London, N7 0JE

Open to all, just turn up and join in.

A friendly community choir, singing songs from around the world. From pop to folk, jazz to gospel and traditional songs from many cultures and faiths.

Welcoming to voices of any ability, from the complete beginner to the more experienced singer.

Term dates and prices at: www.camdenharmonysingers.com

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