



Newsletter

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Autumn 1, Week 5

This week

Y6 Children

Parents/Carers of Y6 children need to apply for a place in a Secondary School starting in September 2025. Go to www.richmond.gov.uk and click on School Admissions. **Closing date for applications is 31 October 2024.**

Children born between 1.9.20 and 31.8.21

If you have a child born between 1.9.20 and 31.8.21 you need to apply for a place for he/she to start in Reception in September 2025. Go to www.richmond.gov.uk and click on School Admissions. **Closing date for applications is 15 January 2025.** You need to apply even if you already have an older child attending Trafalgar Schools.

Y2 Children

Parents/Carers of children in Y2 need to apply for a place for their child to move to Trafalgar Junior School in September 2025. Go to www.richmond.gov.uk and click on School Admissions. **Closing date for applications is 15 January 2025**
Although this is just a formality, all families must complete the form.

Y2 Visit to Strawberry Hill House

This visit has been moved to the Spring Term where it is more appropriate in the curriculum.

Flu Immunisations

If your child did not have the flu immunisation this week see the attached poster which gives details of clinics where this can be carried out.

World Mental Health Day

On Thursday 10 October, we will be celebrating World Mental Health Day by joining in with the Young Minds charitable fundraiser 'Hello Yellow'. We will be discussing this with children, along with tips for managing their own mental health, over the coming weeks and then on Thursday 10 October they can wear bright colours to school instead of their school uniform, including as much yellow as possible (although please do not buy anything special for this occasion – what you have at home will be fine!) Our School Council will collect any voluntary cash donations for Young Minds or can donate here if you wish to. www.youngminds.org.uk/support-us/fundraising/helloyellow/



[Hello Yellow | World Mental Health Day](http://www.youngminds.org.uk/support-us/fundraising/helloyellow/)

10 October 2024 - Support YoungMinds this World Mental Health Day by saying Hello Yellow. Wear yellow, raise vital funds and show young people they're not alone

www.youngminds.org.uk

KS2

Please do not send your child in with snacks in glass/pyrex containers. One smashed in the Junior playground on Tuesday which is dangerous. If the snack has to come in a container, please can it be plastic. Thank you

Poppies

Poppies made by the Sewing Club are for sale from the office. Minimum donation £1 please. Thank you.

Help


Is there anyone who has experience with trimming guinea pig claws? If so, please let the office know. Thank you.

Parking

Please do not park over resident's driveways in any of the roads surrounding our Schools. Also, please do not park in Pouparts Place in Third Cross Road. This is private land. This week a black VW car registration LC12 0V2 was noted parked here.



DIARY DATES

FORTHCOMING FEDERATION EVENTS			
<i>Please note these dates may be subject to change</i>			
DATE	YEAR GROUP	EVENT	
Thurs 10 Oct	All	World Mental Health Day	
Mon 21 Oct	All	Trafalgar Day	
Tues 22 Oct	All	Parent Consultations (those families who have separate SEND meetings, do not need to make another appointment)	
Thurs 24 Oct	All	Parent Consultations (those families who have separate SEND meetings, do not need to make another appointment)	
28 Oct – 1 Nov	All	Half term	
Sun 3 Nov	All	PTA Fireworks event	
Mon 4 Nov	All	Staff training day – School closed to all pupils	
Mon 11 Nov	All	Anti-Bullying Week	
Thur 14 Nov	All	Fraser Portraits – more details to follow	
INFANT ONLY DATES			
Thur 17 Oct	Y1	Blue class assembly at 9.00 am	
Fri 18 Oct	Y1	Green class assembly at 9.00 am	
Thur 7 Nov	Y2	Orange class assembly at 9.00 am	
Fri 8 Nov	Y2	Scarlet class assembly at 9.00 am	
Thurs 28 Nov	Y2	Scooter training – more details to follow	
Thurs 6 Feb	Y2	Visit to Strawberry Hill House	
JUNIOR ONLY DATES			
Wed 23 Oct	Y3-Y6	Harvest Assemblies Y3 and Y5 at 9.00 - 9.45 am Y4 and Y6 at 10.00 - 10.45 am	
Thur 24 Oct	Y4	Roman Day	
Fri 25 Oct	Y3	Ancient Egypt Day	
Thurs 31 Oct	Y6	Closing date for making an application for a secondary school place in September 2025	
Thur 21 Nov	4HB	Class Assembly at 9.00 am	
Wed 11 Dec	Y3 and Y4	Nativity Performance at All Saints Church at 9.15 am	
Tues 17 Dec Wed 18 Dec	Y5 and Y6	Pantomime (early eves time tbc)	
Tues 4 Feb	Y5 and Y6 Choir	Young Voices at the O2	
Thur 27 Feb	5B	Class Assembly	
Fri 16 May – Sun 18 May	Y5	Residential to Juniper Hall – meeting to be held in Spring term and a letter to go out	

Fri 20 June – Mon 23 June	Y6	Residential to Kingswood
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COMMUNITY

Fish Tank

Does anyone have a fish tank which they no longer want? Our stick insects in Blue class have outgrown their current home and are looking for a new one. Please let the office know if you can help. Thank you.

NEWS: StreetW!se receives funding to help improve personal safety amongst young people

See attached flyer from the Local Authority.

Musical Madness

See attached flyer from Boundless Dance.

Little Songbirds

See attached flyer.

Koosa Kids

Koosa Kids are pleased to be operating our October Half Term Holiday Club at Whitton Sports Centre from 28th October to 1st November. Join us for five days of Spooktacular Fun this October Half Term. Children will take part in up to 9 activities each day, always a mixture of sporty and team games, arts & crafts, drama, imagination, KOOSA Science and of course our popular go karts. All from just £27.00 per child, per session (10.00am to 4.00pm). An 8% discount is available for a full week's booking and your third child goes FREE (siblings only)! Visit www.koosakids.co.uk/holiday-club for more information or call 01276 21884. Bookings are open. All children aged 4 – 13 are invited.

See attached flyer.

Barracudas

See attached flyer for half term activities.

Green Youth Soccer Camp Event

See attached flyer.

Information from Brunel University London



Are you a parent/guardian with a child between the ages of 5-11?

We want to learn more about the challenges and difficulties when feeding your children healthy foods during the Cost-of-Living Crisis



If you are interested in taking part in an interview, please email:

Hannah.froome@brunel.ac.uk

£15 voucher for taking part!

This study is being conducted by a doctoral researcher and has been approved by the College of Health, Medicine, and Life Sciences Research Ethics Committee (Brunel Research Ethics Approval: 44814-MHR-Jun/2024- 51239-3)

The Exchange this weekend



THE BUBBLE SHOW

Saturday 5 October, 3 pm

★★★★★ "The Bubble Show: flawlessly simple and full of wonder"
– Deadline News, Edinburgh

★★★★★ "Engaging showmanship from bubble maestro the Highland Joker" –
The List, Edinburgh

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