



# Kenningtons Primary Academy



Summer Term Newsletter 30th June 2017

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## Dates to Remember

**Tuesday 4th July 2017** - Infant Music Festival Performance  
**Wednesday 5th July 2017** - Year 1 (am) and Year 5 (pm) Interhouse  
**Thursday 6th July 2017** - Reception Intake Meeting  
**Friday 7th July 2017** - Nursery Fun Sports  
**Monday 10th July 2017-Friday 14th July 2017** - World Carnival Week  
**Wednesday 12th July 2017** - Junior Music Festival Performance  
**Thursday 13th July 2017** - Borough Olympics  
**Friday 14th July 2017** - Kenningtons' Carnival, 2:00pm  
**Monday 17th July 2017** - Prizegiving for KS1 (am) and KS2 (pm)  
**Tuesday 18th July 2017** - Interhouse Day  
**Wednesday 19th July 2017** - Pupil Meet the New Teacher Day / Year 6  
Leavers Performance to Parents (pm)  
**Friday 21st July 2017** - Last Day of Term

## Parent Drop In Sessions

Teachers will hold their next Parent Drop In sessions from 3:15pm-4:00pm on the days specified below:

**Kookaburra / Koala -Tuesday 4th July**  
**1B - Tuesday 4th July**  
**2BW / 2M - Thursday 6th July**  
**3SB - Tuesday 4th July**  
**4C - Tuesday 4th July**  
**5B / 5FH - Tuesday 4th July**  
**6K / 6N - Tuesday 4th July**

Please check next week's newsletter for details of Parent Drop Ins in the week commencing 10th July 2017.

**The results from our Year 3 and Year 2 Interhouse competitions have been announced. Well done to everyone who took part!**

## Year 3 Interhouse, 23/06/17

**1st Place – Barrett (Red), 392 Points**  
**2nd Place – Leonard (Green) and Warenne (Yellow), 319 Points each**  
**3rd Place – Dacre (Blue), 316 points**

## Year 2 Interhouse, 28/06/17

**1st Place – Dacre (Blue), 185 Points**  
**2nd Place – Barrett (Red), 169 Points**  
**3rd Place – Warenne (Yellow), 165 Points**  
**4th Place - Leonard (Green), 164 Points**



*Helping children to get better and better at everything they do*





### The Health Spot - Thurrock 100

The Thurrock 100 annual walking festival will take place from 7th to 9th July 2017. This year, walks feature local tales told by the Complete Commedia Company, with costumes by students from South Essex College. All walks are FREE, you can book at the link below:

<http://thurrock100.com/free-bookings-now-live/>

### Term Time Holiday Update

The supreme court have upheld the fine issued to Jon Platt for taking his daughter out of school for a term time break.

<https://www.theguardian.com/education/2017/apr/06/supreme-court-upholds-ban-on-term-time-holidays-jon-platt-unauthorised-break>

### Do not ride bicycles or scooters on the school grounds!

We would like to remind all pupils, parents and staff that bicycles or scooters are not to be ridden inside school grounds. When you arrive, please dismount and wheel your bike or scooter. When you are leaving site please wheel your bike or scooter until you are **outside the school gates**. Otherwise you risk causing serious injury to other site users.

Please be aware that school staff are permitted to confiscate bikes and scooters on school grounds if this rule is not followed. **All entrances to the school are clearly marked with signs. Parents please speak with pupils who make their own way home to make sure they are aware this is a serious issue and may result in confiscation of their bike or scooter.**



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### Mathlete of the Week

**Well done to our Mathlete's of the week!**

Kangaroos – Bhavishan  
Kookaburras - Lily  
Koalas - Guste  
Kangaroos -  
1B - Aarib  
1M - Urte  
1K - Eddie  
2M - Faridah  
2Ma - Alice  
2BW - Demi  
3H - Ethan  
3SB -Indiana  
4W - Afia  
4C - Elizabeth  
5B - Isaiah  
5M - Vibhaas  
5FH - Darius  
6N - Sean

### E-Safety Tip - Snapchat Map

An article was published on BBC News on 23rd June 2017 expressing concerns about a new Snapchat Map feature:

**An update to Snapchat that shows publicly posted images on a searchable map has raised safety concerns among parents.**

Snap Map lets people search for places such as schools and see videos and pictures posted by children inside.

It also lets people locate their "friends" on a map that is accurate enough to determine where people live.

Snap, the company behind Snapchat, stressed to the BBC that location sharing was an opt-in feature.

To edit safety settings in Snapchat, users can visit the following link:

<https://support.snapchat.com/en-US/a/privacy-settings>

To view the original article follow the below link:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/technology-40382876>

### Head Teacher's Award 30/06/17

This assembly our focus was  
**'Taking Risks'**

1B - Ilcho  
1K - Lili  
1M - Victoria  
2BW - Elsie  
2BW - Teddy  
2M - Raymond  
2Ma - Harry  
3H - Kayleigh  
5B - Charlotte  
5B - Emily  
5FH - Emilia  
5M - Andrei  
6K - Todi  
6N - Raymond

