

KEY DATES

SEPTEMBER

- Mon 26 Year 5,6,7 & 8 Bounce Workshops*
- Mon 26 Year 3 CAT Tests*
- Tue 27 U8 A Football Tournament*
- Wed 28 Year 3 Butser Farm Trip*
- Wed 28 U11 A&B Netball vs Claremont*
- Wed 28 U11 A,B &C Football vs Surbiton*
- Wed 28 U13 Football 1st & 2nd XI vs Newland House*
- Wed 28 U10 AB Football vs Surbiton*
- Thu 29 Individual School Photos*
Sibling photo form on MSP, deadline Monday 26th September
- Fri 30 U10 A Epsom College Netball Tournament*
- Fri 30 U9 A&B Netball vs Falcons*
- Fri 30 U8 ABC Football vs Willington*

OCTOBER

- Sat 01 U10A Boys & Girls Football St George's Windsor Tournament*
- Mon 03 Year 3 Safe Walking Scheme*
- Mon 03 Year 8 trip to Strawberry Hill House*
- Tues 04 Year 3 Safe Walking Scheme*
- Tues 04 Travelling Book Fair*

All Events, up to date information, including map of locations can be found on MSP



BULLETIN B83

Friday 23rd September 2022

After the poignant and very moving events of last weekend, including the State Funeral on Monday to mark Queen Elizabeth II's remarkable life, we've had a truncated but action-packed week at TPS.

Tuesdays for me this term involve the pleasure of accompanying the Reception children on the Nature Trail with Mrs Brown and Mrs Openshaw in the afternoon and this week we were blessed with perfect autumnal weather for leaf printing. It's a treat to see the children in their element outdoors, exploring the natural environment with such gusto! If Reception are broadening their horizons with outdoor play, Year 6 echoed this theme when attending their Year 6 Junior Citizen course that same afternoon at Bushy Park Sports Club, exploring themes relating to transport, technology and safety, readying them for the world beyond the Beveree! I know the children really enjoyed the experience, having worked with several local agencies.

On Wednesday, I witnessed my first ever TPS Year 5 Football Tournament and we were blessed with warm autumnal sunshine for a feast of skill, commitment, teamwork and healthy competition between many very closely matched teams. The A and B teams acquitted themselves superbly and the tournament results came down to the final matches, just to add to the tension. Well done to all the boys who took part and to Mr Jervis and the Sports Department for overseeing this superb event. The girls have been very busy with netball fixtures this week against Staines Prep and we look forward with anticipation for the results from the Guildford High Aquathlon (a swim and a run) this Friday afternoon. Good luck girls!

You'll be aware that this week we've had a film crew in school visiting lessons and sampling activities to help us with our marketing and I am very grateful to those parents who've kindly assisted with the footage. We look forward to sharing the film with everyone in due course. Last night, we welcomed our new Reception Parents to the Welcome Meeting and social so thank you to everyone who was able to join us and, most importantly, to our Parents' Committee Year 1 representatives for kindly hosting.

Finally, this week we say 'goodbye' to Mrs Stones who leaves TPS to start her maternity leave, with Mrs Freeman and Mrs Terry now jointly leading the Art Department. We wish Mrs Stones all the best and hope to see her visit us soon!

Oliver Barrett, Headmaster





My School Portal is a great school-to-parent communication system. Here you will find the latest events, which can be synced with your electronic calendar, weekly menus, copies of all letters home. Please see the attached 'Did you know'.

Below are weekly updated online bulletins for school areas:

For details of **Sports Fixtures** [Click Here](#)

Library—including details of the book fair [Click Here](#)

Pre Prep—message from Mrs Barnes including club collection [Click Here](#)

School Meals week
commencing :
26th September 2022:
[Menu](#)
Week 1

House Competition - Pre-Prep

We are running a house competition for each child in the Pre-Prep to decorate a flower which will be collated to make house wreaths to commemorate our late Queen Elizabeth II. These wreaths will be displayed in church during our Harvest Celebrations.

This week your child will have brought home in their book bag, a flower template with instructions for the competition.

Closing date for entries: Monday 3rd October.

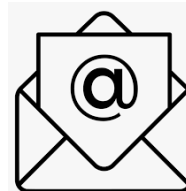
Please Name Uniform!

Please do ensure that all uniform items are clearly and securely labelled at the top with your child's name. It's particularly important that the items taken off at school are easy to reunite with their owners! Please also ensure that water bottles and snack boxes are named too.



Parent Communications

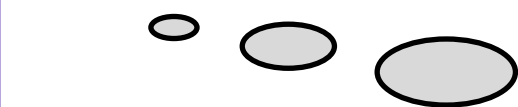
We would like to ask all parents that when sending an email to the school office can you please make sure you clearly state your child/ren's first name, surname and form/class to help us manage your enquires as quickly as possible.



We really appreciate your understanding.



Drama & Singing Lessons of Distinction



Little Voices are having an October Half-Term Holiday Camp running from 24th to 28th October. Please see flyer attached for more details and location.

LAMDA Exam Success For Little Voices' TPS Students

Little Voices are celebrating fantastic results for our TPS students' first set of LAMDA exams with the majority of students achieving Distinctions!

Principal, Ashlea Bateup commented: "We are absolutely thrilled all our TPS Little Voices students hard work and perseverance has been recognised through these amazing results. I am so proud of each and everyone one of them and massively grateful to our wonderful tutor Amy Gough too!".