#### **KEY EVENT DATES**

April		
Mon	29	Year 7 - Photography Workshop
Mon	29	Year 3&4 Bounce Workshops
Tue	30	Year 8 - Photography Workshop
May		
Wed	1	Year 6 - Perfect Pitch (Enterprise)
Wed	1	Year 5 Puberty Workshop
Thu	2	Senior Prep Provision Presentation
		(Year 3,4&5) @TPS
Fri	3	Year 5&6 Inter-School Maths Championships
Mon	6	May Bank Holiday (school closed)
Tue	7	Year 7 Trip to Tower of London
Tue	7	Year 8 - Photography Workshop
Wed	8	Year 5 Maths Wizard Competition
Wed	8	Year 6 - Business Plan 2 (enterprise)
Thu	9	Whole School Open Day
Mon	13	Year 7 - Photography Workshop
Mon	13	Year 5 and 6 Bounce Workshops
Mon	13	Year 5 PGL Trip Meeting (online) 6pm
Mon	13	Year 6 French Trip Meeting (online) 6pm
Tue	14	Year 3 Trip to PGL Marchants Hill (Depart)
Tue	14	Year 4 PGL Trip Meeting (online) 6pm
Wed	15	Year 3 PGL Trip Marchants Hill (Return)

All up to date events information can be found on MSP.

**FIXTURE DATES** April Wed 1 Year 6 Boys A vs Surbiton Wed 1 Year 7&8 Boys 1st, 2nds &3rds vs St Philip's Fri 3 Year 3 Boys A, B&C vs Claremont Wed 1 Year 6 Girls A, B&C vs St George's Weybridge Year 3 Girls A&B vs Falcons Fri 3 Fri 3 Year 4 Girls A&B vs Falcons

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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 and copies of all letters sent home.

Below are weekly updated online bulletins for school areas:

Pre Prep — messages from Mrs Barnes including club collection
Click Here

Safeguarding & Wellbeing messages from our Designated Safeguarding Team <u>Click Here</u>



School Meals week commencing: 29th April : Menu Week 3

#### Friday 26th April 2024



On Monday this week we held the biennial whole school photograph at TPS and this event is always a poignant moment in TPS history, capturing a school generation of staff and children. It's always fascinating to look back and see how the children change so much and my colleagues remain so youthful!

In our assembly programme, we celebrated Shakespeare on Monday in honour of the Immortal Bard's birthday this week, exploring his upbringing in Stratford, his sonnets and the way in which his language is used so much today. We even had Lucas and Will trading Shakespearean insults, to the delight of everyone gathered! In Pre-Prep, Mrs Barnes focused on Earth Day, which this year focuses on the use of plastic and how detrimental waste can be to habitats and wildlife. Pre-Prep have also enjoyed two super trips this week, with Reception travelling to Bocketts Farm Park on Tuesday, seeing alpacas, guinea pigs and rabbits, not to mention cheering on pig races and even taking a tractor ride. Gunnersbury Park, a favourite destination for TPS, was the destination for Year 2, where 2L and 2H took part in workshops on Florence Nightingale and the Great Fire of London, amidst lots of dressing up and acting.

Aside from our trips, we've been really lucky to host Mrs Nadia Day, professional artist and TPS parent, who ran acrylics painting workshops for Year 4, exploring impressionism and an array of techniques she uses in her incredible artwork. The children have produced some stunning canvases as a result which I am sure will take pride of place at home! If you are interested in finding out more about her work please see here: <u>Nadia Day Gallery</u> <u>Contemporary Landscape Artist Teddington Richmond</u>

On the sports front, it's been great to witness the first rounds of fixtures for the cricket season with matches taking place for the girls and boys and some super masterclass coaching sessions, courtesy of the coaches at Kempton. We wish the best of luck to the girls tomorrow at our U11 Cricket Tournament.

Oliver Barrett, Headmaster



## Half Term Art Club with

**Mrs Fox and Mrs Lindsay** 

# We are offering a 2-day course this Half Term holiday!

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May

9.30am - 3pm

@ the Hub

### The art course is open to Year 1 - 8

Cost for 2-day course: £120 which includes all materials.

To reserve your child's place, please contact:

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