ICT tip of the week
Keeping Children Safe Online

Lunch menus - Khaja Ghar | Yellow Bambou

Links to further information pages so you can see what children are learning:

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TBS Calendar

Principal's Message
Thank you to our Owls for organising the welcoming picnic on Saturday; the weather was very kind to us, allowing for a very pleasant morning, meeting our new and existing parents. Events like these are of immense value in providing indirect opportunities for discussing individual cases and more general school developments in an informal manner, as well as being very social and enjoyable occasions.

Activities are already taking place outside of school whether it is Swim Galas, Forest School, or curriculum trips such as the Year 10 English to Boudha and the Year 11 Geography trip to the River Lele. These enrichment activities add so much value and help us achieve our vision for each and every student.

We have our first Parents Information Session of the year, focusing on reading, next Thursday at 8:30 am; please do read below for further details and I look forward to seeing you then.

In order to ensure our school site is safe and we are providing as healthy an environment as possible, we will be more rigorously enforcing some existing guidelines and making some changes, around areas such as site supervision, car parking and our attempts to mitigate the effects of the air quality we experience here in Kathmandu. Please read the site supervision policy below and be ready for some further consultation and action on the latter two issues.

Have a lovely end to the week and weekend.
Brian Platts

Recent and future events
Sanitary Towels
One of our community schools has asked us to support them in the collection of sanitary towels for their older girls. This is a large factor as to why girls miss school which has such a simple solution. We will be trying to collect and distribute them throughout the year so any donations would be greatly appreciated and be handed in at the Primary Reception.

Morning Drop Off
School Staff are on supervision duty from 8:00am each morning. Please do not drop off your children before this time and leave them unattended, as we do not have staff on duty before 8:00am.

Absence email - please send an email to the following address in case of your child's absence.
absence@tbs.edu.np
Parent Information Session - Reading
This is a gentle reminder that the Parents Information Session is on Thursday 12th September 2019 at 8.30 am, where our focus will be on Reading. We request you to RSVP so that we can organise a suitable space and appropriate refreshments. Please also send in any questions you may have to me, regarding the topic by Tuesday 10th September, so that we can include these in our presentation. These information sessions are designed to have a focused presentation and discussion about select topics, with an opportunity for parents to ask questions they may have directly to the leadership team. If you have any suggestions or queries regarding these sessions, please contact Ms. Nancy Khetan directly.

Dengue Notice
The infection is characterised by flu-like symptoms which include a sudden high fever, pain behind the eyes, muscle, joint and bone pain, severe headache, and skin rash with red spots. If you come down with these symptoms and have been to dengue risk areas, consult with the doctor to rule out infection and proper diagnosis. There are no cases of human to human transmission. TBS is taking precautionary steps for the elimination of mosquitoes by fogging the school premises thrice a week, cleaning the possible areas where mosquitoes thrive and breed. We would like to remind you to use mosquito repellent/cream on your child before sending them to school and encourage the wearing of light, full-sleeved clothes (as far as possible) to avoid day-time mosquito bites. Please contact or email pdeula@tbs.edu.np if there are any queries or concerns.

TBS celebrated Teej!

After School Supervision
All primary pupils should be collected at 2:30pm, unless they are participating in an after school activity (which finishes at 3:30pm). There will be staff on duty from 2:30-2:45pm and 3:30-3:45pm to supervise pupils while they are waiting for their responsible adult to collect them. Please remember to call and notify reception if you are likely to be late in collecting your child. If you or a responsible adult remain on site with your children after 2:45pm or 3:45pm for whatever reason, please make sure that your child is supervised. Please refer to the Site Supervision Policy for more information.

Forest School
We have been delighted with how well the children’s first week of learning at Forest School has gone. The children have shown real resilience, much enthusiasm and as ever have really enjoyed the learning experience. We constantly monitor our provision and assess the situation each time we visit the Chobhar site to ensure it is always safe and thoroughly risk assessed.

Year 11 Geography Field Trip
The Y11s went to the Lele Valley on Monday to collect their wet season data for their IGCSE Rivers Coursework. The River Lele was delightfully cool in the hot sun and hopefully the Y11s will now have enough information to complete their coursework.

TBS Eco-Warriors
TBS are launching a new initiative to encourage the community to be more conscious of our energy consumption. We have a team of Eco-Warriors who will patrol the classrooms at playtimes, awarding points to the rooms that follow our eco-guidelines. At the end of each half term, the class with the most points will win the coveted Eco-Trophy; a beautifully painted, one of a kind potted plant. Please do encourage the children’s good habits to spread out of school by supporting them as they try to be Eco-Warriors at home. You could save some money and the world!