Upcoming Events

November
- Tuesday 12th - Parent Information session - Tom Sherrington on effective learning strategies

Upcoming in Primary

November
- Friday 8th - Early Years Forest School
- Friday 8th - Family Assembly - Expedition Highlights
- Tuesday 12th - Year 2 Forest School
- Friday 15th - Year 1 ‘All Dressed Up’ Exit Point

Upcoming in Secondary

November
- Saturday 9th - Secondary Sports Day
- Sunday 10th - NISSA Girls Basketball - TBS versus Rosebud
- Wednesday 13th - Parent Teacher Consultation Year 8

ICT Notice

- How to enjoy Youtube with your kids without feeling overwhelmed and confused
  Parents’ Ultimate Guide to YouTube

Lunch menus
Khaja Ghar | Yellow Bambou

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

Foundation 1 Foundation 2 Year 1 Year 2 Year 3
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TBS IPC webpage TBS ICT Learning Support
TBS Music TBS Sports TBS Drama TBS Maths
TBS OFSTED report 2016 Community Projects
TBS Calendar

Principal's Message

Everyone has safely made it back to school from their trips and expeditions (some albeit, a little late!) with plenty of positive stories and fond memories. It has been great reading (see articles below) and hearing about the various challenges overcome, compassion shown, creative solutions found, confidence increased and awareness of the wider community. The Primary Family Assembly will showcase many of these stories this Friday afternoon. The Secondary Assembly next Monday will focus on Remembrance of those that have died or suffered through conflict. Please pick up your poppy’s from school, which are available at the front gate, Reception or the Library.

I am writing this message earlier than normal due to attendance at a FOBISIA meeting, so good luck to our Senior Basketball Girls Team who begin their season with a fixture against Rato Bangala on Wednesday. Good luck also to all Secondary students that will be competing in the annual Sports Day on Saturday at the Lagankhel Army Sports Ground.

Next Tuesday we welcome Tom Sherrington to school and he will be providing a parents workshop on Tuesday morning, focusing on how to ‘stretch’ and challenge your children; please RSVP and join us at 8:30 am.

I sent a letter on Tuesday regarding proposed new guidelines to improve traffic flow and our parking issues; please do read and provide feedback as necessary.

Finally, over the next couple of weeks we are conducting our second Self Review of the year, focusing on Students’ responses to feedback. As part of this review, I would like to speak with a small group of parents regarding our reporting and feedback. If you have an hour to spare next Friday at 8:45am, please let me know (bplatts@tbs.edu.np); your feedback on this important area will be much appreciated.

Have a nice end to the week and weekend.
Brian Platts
Recent and future events

Year 3 expedition to Herb Nepal
Year 3 had a wonderful time visiting Herb Nepal. We learned about organic and sustainable farming techniques, did you know that cow wee can be used as a plant fertiliser and to keep bugs away? We enjoyed singing songs and playing Halloween games around the campfire before curling up for the night in our cosy tents. The food at Herb Nepal was some of the most delicious we have ever eaten, and we even got to pick vegetables from the farm which we then ate for our dinner. We returned happy and tired!

Year 4 expedition to Hattiban
Year 4 enjoyed a fantastic visit to Hattiban for their expedition last week. The mountains and the forest were the perfect setting for our wonderful adventure. We managed to take part in a number of exciting activities which included compass work, sketching, shelter building and memory skills. The main part of our expedition was our hike to the monastery. We had 3 levels of difficulty and because of the support and compassion that was shown by all of the year 4 pupils, every single pupil managed to achieve at least 2 levels of difficulty. The end of the first day was rounded off with a wonderful campfire sing along.

Year 8 expedition
Last week the Y8s travelled to The Last Resort for Expedition Week. After their introductory briefing they went off to go canyoning or climbing. All of the Y8s were incredibly supportive of each other which both activities a great success. After dinner they reviewed their day around the campfire ready to swap activities in the morning. Friday was problem solving and first aid. The Y8s were great value once again and showed real development over the three days.

Secondary Sports Day 2019
As you are all aware, our Secondary Sports Day will be taking place on Saturday 9th November 2019, running from 8:35am and finishing at 1pm. It will be taking place at Lagankhel Army Sports Ground, with students needing to make their own way both to and from the event. Please do not drop your child(ren) before 8.30am as TBS staff will not be there to receive students and you will have to wait outside the ground until staff arrive.

NISSA Basketball & Football
This week sees the first outing for our NISSA Basketball and Football teams. The Senior Girls Basketballers played Rato Bangala on Wednesday at TBS and will travel to Rosebud School on Sunday for their tie. The Senior Boys Footballers will play Rosebud this weekend. We wish both teams and coaches all the best for the season ahead.

Parent Information Session with Tom Sherrington
We will have a guest speaker in school next week, sharing his expertise with staff and parents. Tom Sherrington is a former UK and International school Principal, Education Consultant and blogger. He will be doing a session with parents on Tuesday next week.

Art competition posters

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