Dear Parents, Staff, Students and Friends of TBS,

This week we have been working with Tim Gerrish OBE (International Child Protection Adviser) who has been in school to audit all TBS processes surrounding child protection and safeguarding. Tim has given us some excellent advice to ensure that we continue to observe the very highest international standards to safeguard all our children. This is an area where we cannot be too careful and we are grateful for Tim, who has run a range of excellent training for all school personnel and outside providers this week.

Well done to the Year 10 students whose charity week broke all records last week and who organised an extremely well-received TBS World Cup on Sunday. Thank you to all who contributed to their amazing efforts for Umbrella Foundation in raising 260,000NRs. In showing they care for their community in this real and positive fashion, they are living the TBS vision!

Recent & future events

International Teacher Magazine

The international teacher magazine has been a keen supporter of TBS community efforts in Dhading and elsewhere. We have featured in their editions in the past and our latest Dhading update appears in the February edition - read it here.

Information visit to DNC

Our Year 5 and 6 community link is the Disabled Newlife Centre. We developed our link this week with a visit to the centre in Thali, gathering information about the post earthquake situation and how we can connect our TBS students with the DNC students this term and in the future.

The Great Fire of London

The Great Fire of London was re-enacted this week by Year 1 and was a roaring success. Thanks to parents who joined us to witness this historical event!
### ISL league finishes with a great TBS performance

The final league game in the ISL for TBS took place at the weekend. It was a brilliant performance for TBS whose opponents were league champions GEMS. In their previous meeting GEMS were 6-0 winners, so TBS had to be on top of their game on Saturday. GEMS were first on the scoreboard when an accurate cross was converted. The game was in the balance until the 88th minute when, as TBS pushed for a deserved equalizer, GEMS counter attacked to steal another goal for a 2-0 victory.

### Inclusion network

On Saturday, TBS hosted the first Inclusion Network event in Kathmandu. Educators from around Kathmandu, with a passion for supporting students with Special Educational Needs, were invited to attend a presentation and participate in several workshops delivered by specialists. Ms. Phillipa Munday from KISC, Ms. Anna Van Eck from Luniva Music Therapy, Dr. Sunita from Autism Care Nepal and Ms. Elizabeth Aysley-Smith & Ms. Nicole Griffiths from TBS all presented exciting, informative and practical workshops on Dyslexia, Autism Spectrum, Speech and Language Therapy, Music Therapy and the role of a school counsellor. It is hoped that this will be the first of many such events hosted at different settings around Kathmandu offering an opportunity for staff training, as well the sharing of good practice in the development of inclusive education in Nepal. If you wish to participate in future events then please contact: dswift@tbs.edu.np

### Parent, Student, School Partnership

We are in the process of clarifying our Parent, Student, School Partnership before August. It is designed to share TBS expectations across our community. Any feedback is welcome as we refine this.

### Request for fabric for creating works of art!

On 27th February the TBS Art Department are hosting a Community Art Festival. We are asking for donations of clean, unused fabric that we can use to create the artwork and it would be sensible to reuse rather than purchase additional fabric if we can. If you have any types of fabric that you would like to donate to our event, please drop it off at Primary or Secondary Reception.

### Year 10 Charity Week Finale - World Cup Football!

The Kathmandu World Cup took place last weekend. The 5-aside games were played at TBS, with twelve squads of eight players. Australia and Nepal competed in the final. The first goal of the final was scored by the Australians, followed by a Nepal equalizer. With 7 minutes of the match remaining, the Australian team secured the gold medal and they took home the 2016 trophy. The tournament was organised by Year 10 as part of their charity week and all the funds raised will be donated to The Umbrella Foundation. Thank you to all the parents and friends who took part! Well done to the most impressive team of all - Year 10 students!!