



Sports Day

As you will be aware, the heavens opened on our sports day this year, but it didn't dampen the spirits of those that took part or spectated. 7PA took the spoils having consistently done well across the range of events. Stand out performance of the day was Karim in 7MO who produced a Bolt-like performance in winning the boys' sprint.



Race for Life

On Friday all of our students and staff took part in the Race for Life 5km event. The distance was either completed by running or walking with, as usual, a strong competition for the first person to the finish line. This was once again a battle between Jake in 7EM and Billy in 7MO, with Billy taking first place. Most pleasing on the day was the guard of honour that the students naturally got themselves into to cheer everyone across the line, even the injured student who managed to get a lift! There is still time to sponsor our students by clicking on the following link: http://www.justgiving.com/turing-house-school?utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=tweetfeed&utm_campaign=mypages



Headteacher's Challenge

While our new intake have the Headteacher's Challenge to keep them busy over the summer I have devised a new set of activities that our new Year 8s may like to try over the summer break. We've given them a copy today and it's also printed on the back page of the newsletter.



Forthcoming Events

- 6th September:** First day of term (Year 7)
- 7th September:** First day of term (Year 8)
- 7th September:** Thames Young Mariners (Year 7)
- 9th September:** School Photographs

Fixtures

- 12th Sept:** Y7 Girls' Netball AWAY v Radnor House
- 13th Sept:** Y8 Boys' Rugby HOME v Christ's
- 19th Sept:** Y8 Girls' Netball AWAY v Radnor House
- 20th Sept:** Y7 Boys' Rugby AWAY v Christ's
- 20th Sept:** Y7&Y8 Girls' Football HOME v Hampton Academy

Mensa Puzzle

A cash till contains £12.48. It is made up of four different denominations of coins and the largest denomination is £1. There is exactly the same number of each coin. How many of each coin is there and what are their values?

Last week's answer; England. Each letter has been replaced by the one following it in the alphabet.

Staff Success

On Saturday 2 Turing House Teams took part in the Lidl Bananaman Triathlon. Both teams did incredibly well with one team winning overall.



Pos.	Bibno.	Participant	Category	Club	Finish time	T1	T2	T3	T4
1	829	Team Turing House School	RELAY(M)		1:31:23	13:31	0:50	46:49	0:46 29:27
2	861	Team V5 Racing 2	RELAY(M)		1:33:45	9:59	0:42	52:41	0:42 29:41
3	864	Team V5 Racing 5	RELAY(M)		1:35:13	12:01	0:44	51:02	0:39 30:47

Work has now begun to have 4 teams in place next year. Our third year staff better realise it may become part of the recruitment drive!!

Music Success!

Congratulations to Eita Shibazaki for passing grade 5 violin, to Phoebe Hamblin for passing grade 4 flute and to Zach Newman who gained a merit in grade 3 rock guitar.

Jack Petchey Award

We are delighted to announce that the winner of our final Jack Petchey award for this Academic year goes to Harry in 7PA.

Harry has proven himself from day one to be an integral part of Turing House School. From the moment we visited Harry at primary school we knew Harry would be an asset. Since then he has thrown himself into everything that Turing House has to offer.

Harry takes part in school productions, clubs and always supports the school at key events. He is a member of the School Council, and in addition to this he is a role model whenever we need to show parents around.

Harry embodies all of the Turing values: he is modest – when scene stealing during 'The Witches', he is creative and curious in lessons, he shows strong leadership when giving guided tours around our lovely school. Alongside these qualities Harry perseveres. He tries hard in everything he does and does not quit. Finally it should be noted that Harry has a warm and caring side and a fantastic sense of humour.

Friends of Turing House Support the Triathlon

As the staff took part in a triathlon on 9th July, we thought it would be a great idea if parents and students support them. To sponsor our six athletic teachers, we would like to ask you to make a small (or large!) contribution.

The money raised will go towards installing new gym equipment ready for the next term. A PayPal Donation link is on the school website homepage.

Exam Report

Students have been issued with their end of year and exam report today. It is also available electronically on the VLE. As well as giving either an exam result or term 6 assessment, there is an overall grade for each subject for the year. We're really proud of what they've achieved this year! Congratulations to all of them for their hard work revising which clearly paid off.

Fitness Week – 5 Days of Fitness

At time of going to press, we are 4 days into our 5 days of fitness. Several students have been every day which is a superb commitment at such an early start in the morning.



Olympic Fact - Faux Gold Medals

The Olympic gold medals haven't been made out of solid gold since 1912. They must, however, be plated with six grams of gold, but the rest of the composites in the medals are left up to the host city to determine. The silver medals also have strict composition requirements.



Sponsorship – Miss Wilkinson

Miss Wilkinson is due to take part in the ITU world Championships in Mexico during September. Currently she is looking for sponsorship to help fund the trip and get the necessary equipment to be competitive. If anyone has any contacts in which companies support the pursuit of sporting excellence please contact her at the school. The rest of the Triathlon team are past it!

Twickenham Police - Open Day

POLICE STATION OPEN DAY

FREE ADMISSION

Twickenham Police Station
41 London Road Twickenham TW1 3SY
Sunday 7th August 2016
From: 10 am - 3 pm

Including:
Police Dogs
Vintage Police Cars
Crime Scene
Finger Printing
Operation Lockout Van
Free Cycle Marking
Soak A Bobby in the Stocks!
... And Much More ...!!

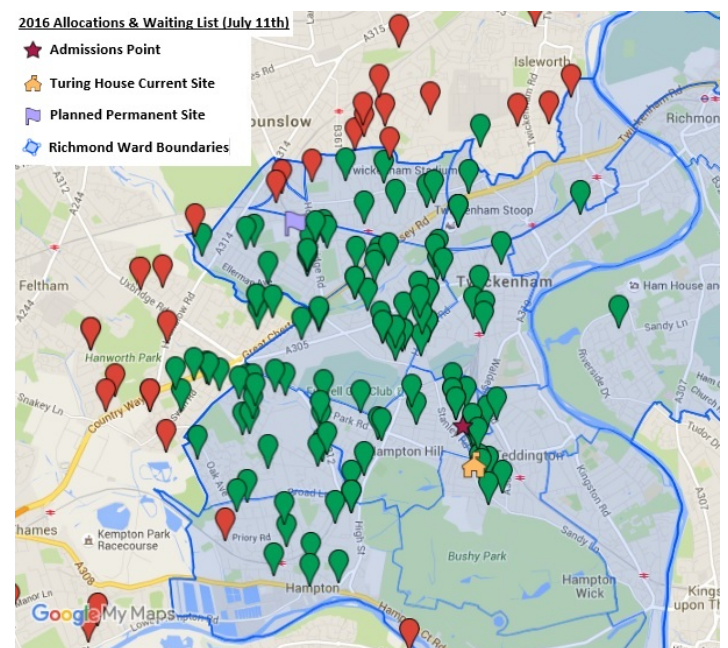
ALL WELCOME!

We ask that children are accompanied by an adult. Guide dogs are allowed. Disabled access available. Car Parking is not available. Last entry will be at 2:30pm.

METROPOLITAN POLICE TOTAL POLICING

Admissions Policy in the Press

You may have seen the article in the press recently about our admissions policy. Our policy was referred to the Schools Adjudicator last month and we are happy to say that it was given a clean bill of health. More details are on our website including the reply to last week's press statement by Janet Hilton, our Chair of Governors. Our intake for 2017 has remained, as expected, comprehensive and right across the Middlesex side of the Borough – the area we were set up to serve.



Y8 Headteacher's Challenge



Name: _____

Form: _____

How many of the following can you complete by the end of the summer holiday? Take photographic evidence of everything!

- Do some banking with your parents – pay in cash or a cheque/withdraw/send money
- Buy train tickets from the machine or teller when going out with family/friends
- Fill the trolley for your parents on a supermarket trip from their shopping list (while they relax in the café)
- Take a photograph of something positive every day for a week (or a month!)
- Attend a live music event
- Find a song that exists both in Spanish and in English Translate the Spanish into English and compare the translation to the English lyrics. e.g. Frozen- Let it go; Aladdin- A Whole New World.
- Give up something unhealthy
- Write a letter to yourself stating what you hope to achieve this year at Turing House. Seal it in an envelope with your name and bring in to give to your form tutor for safekeeping.
- Teach yourself calligraphy – learn to write all the subject names in this style.
- Learn the main rules of an unusual Olympic sport and explain it to a member of your family.
- Send a postcard to your tutor group from somewhere you visit this summer.
- Learn to tie a tie! (Or if you can do the “four in hand” learn the “half Windsor” or “Windsor” knot)
- Learn to iron a shirt
- Complete at least 6 levels in each section of the app ‘Sumaze 2’
- Play scrabble with your family or friends. Record what you scored and how.
- Build the tallest card house that you can from a single deck of cards.
- Build a taller one with as many cards as you can!
- Take part in the Bushy Park run (again)
- Cycle a length of the Thames towpath
- Learn a new multiplayer card game (e.g. “Sevens”, “Whist” or “Rummy”) - play it with your family
- Send this form by post to me at Turing House. Buy the stamp and envelope, walk to the post box and post it yourself.

DO NOT SEND THE PHOTOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE YET. BRING IT WITH YOU TO GIVE TO YOUR FORM TEACHER IN SEPTEMBER.

This is a true and accurate record of my achievements.

Signed: _____ (Signature of student)

Verified by: _____ (Signature of parent/carer)

Return to: Mr Mackinlay, Turing House School, Queens Road, Teddington, TW11 0LR