



Sports Day

Yesterday we held our 2nd sports day. Many people helped out throughout the day doing things such as encouraging others and making the sports day a success. Events included 800m, 200m, 400m, sprints, tug of war and rounders. There were students who had never participated in sports like this before who won their events.



Everyone who took part in the sports day put in a great performance and at the end of the day the winners from each year group were 8WG and 7AN. Each tutor group took time to

create their own tutor group flag and chants. This gave a fun but competitive feel to our sports day. **Jake W**

Further photos can be found on our website gallery using the following link:

<https://www.turinghouseschool.org.uk/documents/gallery/>

Forthcoming Events

- 21st July:** last day of term, students finish at 1.30pm
- 6th Sep:** Start date for new Y7 Intake
- 7th Sep:** Start date for Y8 and Y9
- 7th Sep:** Y7 trip to Thames Young Mariners
- 8th Sep:** School group and individual photographs

Poetry

Post exam week, in Year 8 English lessons we've been focusing on creating our own Slam Poems. Slam poetry should be original, simple, relatable, rhythmic and passionate. Having been inspired by the likes of Suli Breaks and Kate Tempest, students have been creating their own masterpieces. Both Jack and Louis have been particularly skilful in their use of internal and half rhyme. Read and enjoy!

Differences – by Louis StJohn-Smith

Who are you to dislike other's differences?
Our differences are what define us
Not divide us.
Why is there this constant hate
That gets unkind at an alarming rate?
If someone likes different types of songs
Than who are you to say that they're wrong?

Difference is something to celebrate
Not something that should keep you up late
Thinking, worrying, hating.

So take a moment to think about what you have said,
And think of your victims probably crying in bed.
Do you do it because you think it's cool?
Because popularity isn't the main part of school.
And if you think that rubbing others in the dirt is funny
Then take a moment to think who's the fool.

Fixtures

We have now completed our summer term fixtures. The first autumn term fixtures will be announced in early September.

We Ain't all like that - by Jack O'Sullivan

To all of you protective mums and dads,
And the woman that called us rats
Why do you think we are all that bad?
Trust me, we ain't all like that

Yes some carry knives,
And hold up roads on their 'Carrera Mountain Bikes'
But believe me miss,
Most of us have lives

Yes some of us fight and row,
Others going around with their little 'Nike pouch'
Yes some of us wear 'North Face puffer Jackets',
Others staying up late to make a hell of a racket

Yes there's some of us out the tryna get a reputation,
Others at home doing our multiplications.
Some of us have dreams and hopes,
Others, watching them go up in smoke.

Because 'give us a ciggy'
Can turn into 4 or 5 quickly
And being loud on the bus
Can cause more than 'just a fuss'
But trust me miss,
We ain't all like that

Yes some of us show off doing wheelies,
But why can't you just let us live freely?
We are just kids enjoying our lives
Because in this day and age,
It seems like the only way to strive.
Trust me miss, we ain't all like that...

Bushcraft 2018 Year 9 Payment Reminder

We would like to remind you that the Year 9 Bushcraft deposit of £30 is due via Scopay on **Wednesday 19th July**.

Sainsbury's Vouchers



Sainsbury's
Active Kids 2017
Eat well • Move well • Live well

We would like to thank all those who contributed to our Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers. In total we collected over.....and were able to order a variety of Sports and Food Technology items. We would like to thank all those who contributed to our Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers. We collected 9653 vouchers and were able to order a variety of Sports and Food Technology items, including training gates, rugby club packs, handballs and cooking thermometers.

Scuba Diving



Here are some photos from our second scuba diving taster session provided by Teddington Sub-Aqua Club at Teddington Pool, and thoroughly enjoyed by

Year 8 students Harry M, Tomas W, Ollie W and Eita S.

MENSA Puzzle

What number should appear next in this sequence?

15 95 155 195 ?

Last Week's Answer:

Festive, decorations, tinsel and wrapping.

Staffing Update

Many of you will know from the students that last term we had a very active period of recruiting new staff for Turing House for next year. Students took part in every teaching interview process and gave feedback to us on every candidate's lesson. They are shrewd and accurate assessors!

We are delighted to confirm that we have made most of our teaching appointments now:

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| • Science | Mr D Hatzidakis |
| • Science and Maths | Ms S McLoughlin |
| • Maths | Ms E Nicholl |
| • History | Ms M Riglin |
| • Spanish | Ms M Harman |
| • Spanish | Ms S Taylor |
| • English | Ms C Kirwan |
| • Design and Technology | Mrs H Jones |

Ms Monk, Ms Barnes and Ms Willoughby are leaving us at the end of this term and we are very grateful to them all for the part they have played in establishing Turing House School. Their contribution to all aspects of school life will be very much missed and we wish them all every success for the future.

We are also pleased that we will be joined by new members of our support team:

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| • Inclusion and student support | Mrs K Poynton |
| • Inclusion and student support | Mrs J Goodall |
| • Student support | Ms D Seddon |
| • Technology and Art support | Mr R Aloysius |
| • Administration | Mrs D Smith |

School Nursing Service

Our school nurse, Clarissa, from Central London Community Healthcare NHS Trust, is setting up regular drop-in sessions at Turing House for our students. Students will be able to see her for a confidential chat about various matters, whether it be health-related or emotional issues.

She'll be available on **17th July** from **10.15am-11am** in the Meeting Room.

The students have been made aware of this service during an assembly and we would encourage them to use it if they feel they would like to – even if it's just to say hello to Clarissa for a quick chat.

Clarissa can also be contacted online via:

<https://healthmatters.clch.nhs.uk/>

Duke of Edinburgh Award – Year 8

The Award consists of 4 sections: Physical, Skill, Volunteering and Expedition; each section is worth 25%. They can begin collecting evidence for the award from 1st August and should aim to complete the award within a year. Activities chosen to complete the sections should be varied and should aim to develop new skills and lead to new experiences.

If your son or daughter is in Year 8, and interested in completing the award, please return the enrolment form to Miss Garrod. Please also ensure that a personal email address is used for your son/daughter. The initial enrolment cost for the Award is £30. This creates an account and participants can start working towards completing the different sections. Please pay the enrolment fee via Scopay **by Friday 21st July 2017**.

Kew Science Festival



The Kew Science Festival runs from 4th-6th August and there will be scientific activities for all ages. For further information, please have a look at the link below:

<http://www.kew.org/kew-gardens/whats-on/kew-science-festival-0>

Marble Hill Paycentre Summer Programme



MARBLE HILL PLAYCENTRES

Summer Programme
Starts 24th July - 1st September

Adventure Playground: 5-15 year olds
Open: Monday - Saturday 12pm-6pm

One O'Clock Club: 0-5 year olds
Open: Monday - Friday 1pm-4pm

Inclusive Play Project: 0-15 years
For children with additional needs
Open: Tuesdays & Saturdays 10am-12pm

For more information go to:
marblehillplaycentres.com

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Charity Number: 1110615

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Lost Property

With the summer holidays fast approaching, Mr Jones has asked that you ensure that your children take their PE bags and all other personal possessions home. It will be assumed that anything remaining is no longer wanted and will be disposed of or added to PE kit spares. This is being done to enable cleaning of the storage areas in readiness for the new academic year.

NPL Youth Football



NPL Youth Football Club

NPL Youth FC – u14 players wanted for season 2017/18

NPL Youth FC is a Football Association Charter Standard amateur club offering teams from u7 to u18.

The NPL Youth FC u14 Bombs team is looking for new players to bolster the squad for season 2017/18.

The Bombs is a well-established team playing on Sundays in the Super League division (level 4 of 9) of the Surrey Youth League. Games are played on Sunday mornings.

Based at the NPL sports ground on the outskirts of Bushy Park, off Queen's Road in Teddington, next season the Bombs will train from 7 until 8 on a Thursday evening. This will be initially at Broom Road, Teddington, with winter training taking place on the state of the art artificial surface at Hampton High School.

To be eligible players must be under 14 on 1 September 2017 (2017/18 school year 9).

To find out more about NPL Youth FC see the website at:

nplyouthfootball.co.uk

To register an interest in joining the Bombs, or indeed any of our other teams, click on the "join us" link on the home page.

Food Technology Ingredients

We have several food ingredients that are unopened and within their 'best before' date.

We have the following:

Wholemeal bread flour – 7 x 1.5kg bags

Tomato puree – 6 x 200g tubes

Mayonnaise – 2 x 480ml jars

Coconut – 2 x 250g bags

Sultanas – 1 x 500g bag

If you would like any of these items, please send your child to see Ms Parsons.

