

5th October 2018

## Important Message for 9A1 & 9T1

Students in 9A1 and 9T1 should ensure that their pyjama fabric is washed and in school to start making on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October, along with their paper patterns.

If there are any problems with this, please get in touch with Miss Parsons.

## Sky News

If you were up and about early on Thursday morning and tuned into Sky News at 7.15am, then you probably saw Jack L, Sam H and Mr O'Sullivan on the morning news talking and Brexit and debating in schools.



The background to the story is Votes for Schools but the trigger was Teresa May's failure to give an interview to Jon Snow and the BBC at the recent party conference.

<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/teresa-may-jon-snow-interview-refuse-first-uk-prime-minister-30-years-election-2017-tory-leader-a7776806.html>

## Forthcoming Events

**22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> October** – Half Term Week

**29<sup>th</sup> October** – INSET day

**5<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Craft Fair

## KS3 History Club

This week in KS3 History Club, we will begin watching 'Selma'. The film follows Martin Luther King Jr and his followers on an epic march from Selma to Montgomery in the middle of the Civil Rights Movement. Year 9 students will be studying the Movement in Term 4.



## Homework – Parental Information

At Turing House, we set homework by time. Each piece of work set on Show my Homework will have a time allocation next to it.

If your child has made a focused attempt at the task for the prescribed time, this is perfectly acceptable. Please simply sign the incomplete homework to show that they spent the correct amount of time doing it.

## Fixtures

10 Oct, 2018	U14	Netball	Grey Court
10 Oct, 2018	Y8	Rugby Union	Christ's School
11 Oct, 2018	Y9	Netball	Richmond Park Academy
11 Oct, 2018	Y10	Netball	Richmond Park Academy

## Turing House Summer Challenge 2018

We received some outstanding photographs for our Summer Photography Competition and it was a tough competition to judge. It was lovely to see a broad variety of images and photography styles, and to see which exciting places some of our students had the opportunity to visit over the summer!

There were two categories in the competition so we have a winner for each category.

### The Natural World:

Congratulations to **Tom Delaney** who won the Natural World competition. We felt the image had an interesting composition, and were impressed with the beautiful vivid colours he managed to capture in all of his photographs. Particular well done to Tom for spending the time in mounting his photographs in such a professional manner. This is a photograph of Fløyen viewpoint, Bergen, Norway.

Our runners-up in this category were:

Ralph White and Raisharnai Kitson

### The Human World:

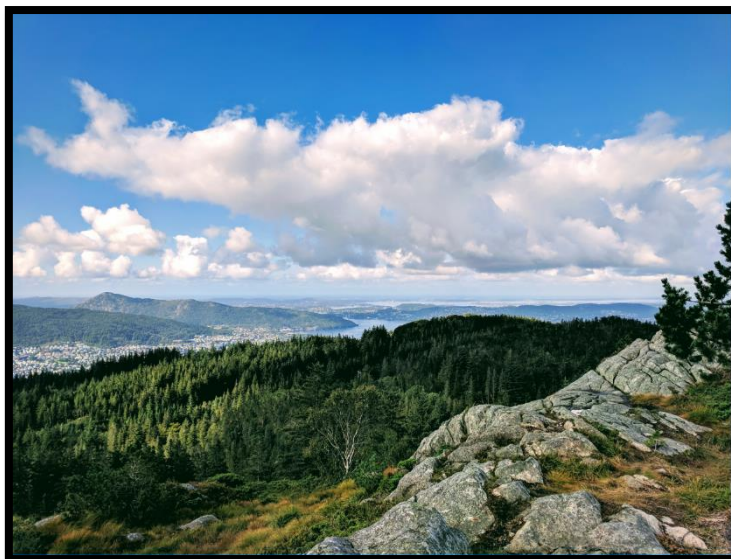
Congratulations to **Kai Satterthwaite** who won the Human World category. We wanted to commend Kai in his ability to see Art in the everyday. The photograph clearly captures his experiences while visiting Japan. The crowded composition is unique and shows creativity.

Our runner-up in this category:

Tom Delaney

Well done to all students who entered the competition; a selection of work from the competition is now on display in the school reception area at Teddington.

### WINNER – The Natural World - Tom Delaney



### WINNER – The Human World – Kai Satterthwaite



### MENSA Puzzle

What number is missing in this sequence?

2 3 6 9 18 27 ? 81

Last week's answer: Header and adhere



Year 7 - Rugby



Well done to the Year 7 Rugby Team who recently played Sir Richard Reynolds School. Unfortunately, they lost 3-2 but it was a great effort from all the team!

Cross Country Trials

## London Youth Games 2019

## CROSS COUNTRY TRIALS

For full details visit [www.richmond.gov.uk/london\\_youth\\_games](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/london_youth_games), phone 020 8831 6133, or email [londonyouthgames@richmond.gov.uk](mailto:londonyouthgames@richmond.gov.uk)

If you wish to be considered for Team Richmond you must complete a 5k parkrun between Saturday 15 September and Saturday 22 October 2018.

Age categories are as follows:  
 U11 boy/girl (born between 01/09/2007 and 31/08/2008)    U13 boy/girl (born between 01/09/2005 and 31/12/2007)  
 U15 boy/girl (born between 01/09/2003 and 31/08/2005)    U17 boy/girl (born between 01/09/2001 and 31/08/2003)

parkrun\* takes place every Saturday at 9:00am. You can take part in more than one run and we will take your fastest time between the allocated dates.  
 For more information on the route please visit [www.parkrun.org.uk](http://www.parkrun.org.uk)

You can also find us on social media: [@TeamRichmond](#) LYG    [Team Richmond](#) LYG

Showcase!

We are going to launch a new regular article in our newsletter which highlights some of the talents and activities our students get up to outside of school.



This week we start with an amazing photo of Ben in Year 10 on his Mountain Bike. If you have any amazing photos with your children in, or amazing photos that they have taken, please send them to us as [info@turinghouseschool.org.uk](mailto:info@turinghouseschool.org.uk)

Year 7 BINGO

The Year 7 Bingo last week was a fantastic, fun evening for new parents and children with over 120 people battling for glory - a great night of retro revelry and who knew swizzle sweets could incite such excitement and need for crowd control!



Thank you to everyone who helped and came along. Thank you also to Ms Nicholson and Mr Arib for all their help transforming their gym into a Village Hall for the evening.



## Have your say!

A consultation on a lower speed limit is now taking place across Richmond. You are being asked for your views on changing the speed limit from 30mph to 20mph on our borough roads. 30mph streets are not child, elderly or disability friendly.

Research shows that primary school age children and people over 75 years old cannot reliably see or judge speed over 20mph; speed looks very different to a child standing by the kerb side

No matter the cause of an accident, it is the speed of a vehicle which determines whether someone lives and the extent of their injuries. A fatality is 7 times more likely if someone is hit at 30mph compared to 20mph. It is 10 times more likely if someone is over 70 years old.

The typical stopping distance for a vehicle travelling at 20mph is 40 feet; for a vehicle travelling at 30mph it is almost double at 75 feet. Stopping distances are a key factor in whether a driver can avoid a crash. Even a small increase in speed can increase the risk.

### Improving our health

Safer and calmer streets mean that parents with their children feel less fearful about cycling or walking. Where 20mph limits have been introduced, cycling has increased. This can help reduce congestion and air pollution, which is now a major concern around many schools as well as across the borough. With fewer casualties and better health, there is less pressure on the NHS and emergency services. It also means less emotional devastation and financial stress to families.

To respond to the consultation, visit [www.richmond.gov.uk/have\\_your\\_say/consultation](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/have_your_say/consultation)



## Christmas Craft Fair – 5<sup>th</sup> December

Students, family, friends and outside stallholders can book to run a stall. Prices for the stalls are £5 for students, £10 for family/friends, £15 for outside stallholders. Last year we had 40 stalls so there is plenty of space and time for students to get their ideas up and running!

If you have any questions or are interested in running a stall, please see Miss Parsons or email the address on the flyer below. Further information will be emailed out to you.

