



Khalsa VA Primary School

NEWSLETTER

09th March 2020

Waheguru Ji Ka Khalsa, Waheguru Ji Ke Fateh

Dhan Guru Nanak Dev Ji

- “The world is a drama, staged in a dream”
- “Realisation of Truth is higher than all else. Higher still is truthful living”
- “Let no man in the world live in delusion. Without a Guru none can cross over to the other shore”

Coronavirus

With regards to the coronavirus, we would like to reassure parents and carers that we are following guidance from the Borough and NHS. We are ensuring that the children wash their hands much more often. The following key points have been shared with the children:

- Wash your hands with soap and water as often as you can – use hand sanitiser gel if soap and water is not available.
- Do not touch your eyes, nose or mouth
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or your sleeve (not your hands) when you cough or sneeze.
- Put used tissues in the bin straight away.

Parents and carers will be aware that a Government helpline has been launched to answer questions about the Coronavirus related to education. Parents can contact the helpline as follows:

Phone: **0800 046 8687**

Email: DfE.coronavirushelpline@education.gov.uk

Opening hours: 8am to 6pm (Monday to Friday)

Morning Club/Breakfast Club

As we have mentioned in previous newsletters, our funding for the breakfast club is now coming to an end. From now on, all pupils who wish to come into the hall before school for Morning Club/Breakfast Club will have to pay £1.00. There will be no access to the main hall via the side doors; pupils will enter through the main front doors and must pay their £1.00 to the member of staff on duty before being allowed into the main hall.

Vacancies for Children (full time)

We currently have a few pupil vacancies in Nursery, Reception and Year 5. Please let your friends and families know and ask them to contact the School Office on 020 8574 9045

World Book Day

Thank you to everyone for making ‘World Book Day a great success. The children made a marvelous effort with their costumes and it was wonderful to see such a great variety of characters.

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Donations (sewa):

In order to reduce infections, we are requesting donations of:

- anti-bacterial hand wash
- boxes of tissues
- anti-bacterial wipes
- kitchen rolls (to help clean surfaces)

Thank you to the parents and carers who have been generous and brought in the above items to help us to protect the children.

fun reading activities throughout the day. In addition, the children are allowed to dress up as their favourite book character, by making a donation of £1.00. Please encourage and support your child to dress and take part.

Parent Governor Elections

We will shortly be seeking nominations from Parents or Carers of pupils at Khalsa to fill 2 vacancies which we have for Parent Governors.

The Role: Parent governors are not expected to have expertise in education but to be effective in these core skills as described by the Department of Education:

- A strong commitment to improving outcomes for children
- An inquisitiveness to question and analyse
- A willingness to learn
- Good inter-personal skills
- Appropriate levels of literacy in English
- Sufficient numeracy skills to understand basic data

If you feel you have these skills we would like to hear from you. We would particularly welcome nominations from parents who also have any of following skills in order to strengthen our governing body team: Marketing; Fundraising; Finance.

Darbar Sahib

Please remember that the Darbar Sahib is open between 8.00am – 8.30am for parents and carers to ‘matha take’. Parents and carers can access the Darbar Sahib via the back stairs and are requested to remain in the room and not wander around the first floor. The Darbar Sahib is also open at 3.00pm for parents and carers to join us for ‘chaupi sahib da path’

Thought of the week

“When you kneel down in front of Guru Sahib Ji, He stands up for you and when He stands up for you, no one can stand against you.”



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Best Attendance for week beginning 02nd March 2020

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	90%
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	90%
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	92%
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	93%
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	95%
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	96%
Guru Amar Das Ji class	95%
Guru Ram Das Ji class	96%
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	96%
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	95%
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	95%
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	97%

For the week beginning 02 March 2020, children following the Golden Rule of 'Caring and Sharing' were given a special mention in assembly and they also received a special sticker.

Year 6:

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Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Amanpreet Sandhu
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	Sachinpreet Singh

Year 5:

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji	Rajvir Singh
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji	Arjun Dhaliwal

Year 4:

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji	Abhijot Singh
Guru Arjan Dev Ji	Jayven Gata-Aura

Year 3:

Guru Ram Das Ji	Bavneet Singh
Guru Amar Das Ji	Bani Kapoor

Year 2:

Guru Nanak Dev Ji	Jaskirat Singh
Guru Angad Dev Ji	Navlin Sethi

Year 1:

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji	Armaan Panesar
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji	Taran Roushan

Reception:

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji	Harshdev Singh
Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji	Prabhgun Dhaliwal

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 09th March is 'Working Hard'

Healthy Packed Lunch

This week **Harshveer Multani, Year 1** was awarded a certificate for regularly bringing in a very healthy packed lunch. We would like to thank his parents for helping him make healthy choices.

Eco friendly tips:

Always use a refillable bottle instead of single-use plastic

Healthy living tips:

Park and Stride to school instead of driving all the way. Why not park the car and walk the last 15 minutes to school?

Spring Term dates

9 th March 2020	PHSE Week
16 th March 2020	History and Geography Week
13 th March 2020	Year 1 assembly Sahibzade Ajit Singh Ji class (Ms Sheridan)
20 th March 2020	Muffins for Mum Sports Relief
23 rd March 2020	Art and DT Week
25 th March 2020	Parents' meetings
30 th March 2020	RE Week
3 rd April 2020	End of term
5 th April 2020	Southall Nagar Kirtan (Postponed until further notice)