

# Khalsa VA Primary School NEWSLETTER

2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020

### COVID-19

- From 5<sup>th</sup> November, England will be in a national lockdown Schools will remain open. Please take every precaution to protect yourself and your family.
- It is very important that you are aware of the COVID-19 symptoms. If you or anyone in your household has any of these symptoms, you must all self-isolate.
- Please do not send your child to school. Thank you



### Closing 'bubbles' due to a case of COVID-19

As you are aware, if there is a confirmed case of COVID-19 within school, a class or year group 'bubble' may need to be closed. These decisions are taken following the advice of Public Health England. Any affected pupils will be able to access remote learning, via Google Classroom.

### **Parking**

May we again remind all parents that if you are driving to school you must park and turn your vehicle in a safe and legal way? We are still receiving a large number of complaints from local residents about inconsiderate and illegal driving and parking. Police officers and parking wardens are frequently patrolling and giving out tickets.

### **Reception Admissions**

If your child will be starting Reception next year, please make sure that you apply for a place. The deadline for applications is 15th January 2021. To secure a place for your child, you must make sure that your application is in on time.

https://www.ealing.gov.uk/info/201114/apply\_for\_primary\_school

### Felix Project Fundraising

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our collection for the Felix Project. We raised an impressive £300 for this great cause.

### **Bandi Chhor Divas**

On Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November, we will be celebrating Bandi Chhor & Diwali. There will be a special school lunch for pupils on this day. Pupils will be lighting candles to mark the occasion.

## 27<sup>th</sup> November Gurpurab to celebrate the anniversary of the birth of Guru Nanak Dev Ji

Due to the current restrictions, we will be celebrating the occasion in a different way. We will be marking this occasion in school with special events and activities, a special lunch for the pupils and a 'virtual' assembly. Further details will be shared shortly.

### **School Food Policy**

Thank you to those parents who are now ensuring that their children have packed lunches which adhere to the school food policy. Please remember that lunches should contain a balanced meal, including fruit and vegetables. Lunches must not contain any foods that are high in sugar, salt or fat.

### Remembrance Day - Poppy Selling

We are now selling poppies with all proceeds going to the Royal British Legion. If you wish to buy one, please come to the admin desk outside after school this week. Items are available for the donation of £1 each.



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83%

0%

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Certificates for the Golden Rule of 'Working Hard' for the week ending 23<sup>rd</sup> October were awarded to the following children:

### Year 6:

Guru Gobind Singh Ji – Abhitaj S. Sunner Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji – Asho Jawa

### Year 5:

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji – Yuvraaj S. Rai Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Angad S. Wadhwa

### Year 4:

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Ekamveer Singh Guru Arjan Dev Ji – Harleen Chawala

### Year 3:

Guru Ram Das Ji – Harjas S. Madan Guru Amar Das Ji – Mahak Singh

### Year 2:

Guru Nanak Dev Ji – Hargun Singh Guru Angad Dev Ji – Hazel Chawla

### Year 1:

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Tejvir Singh Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Arshjyot K. Sehmi

### Reception:

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Prabnaudh S. Dhindsa Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Yasleen K. Mahli

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 2<sup>nd</sup> November is '**Remembering God.**'

Key dates for your diary	
4 <sup>th</sup> November	Flu nasal spray vaccinations for Reception to Year 6
11 <sup>th</sup> November	Remembrance Day – 2 minute silence will be held
13 <sup>th</sup> November	Bandi Chhor Divas and Diwali
Week commencing 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Anti-Bullying Week
16 <sup>th</sup> November	School Photographer
27 <sup>th</sup> November	Gurpurab to celebrate the anniversary of the birth of Guru Nanak Dev Ji
	Parents' meetings – individual pupils (virtual appointments)

## Best Attendance for week beginning 19th October:

#### Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class 91% Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class 90% Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class 93% Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class 62% Guru Nanak Dev Ji class 77% Guru Angad Dev Ji class 86% Guru Amar Das Ji class 93% Guru Ram Das Ji class 92% Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class 88% Guru Arjan Dev Ji class 90% Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class 78%

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Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class

Guru Gobind Singh Ji class

Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class





Thoughts of the week

The highest experience of love is received when we have the feeling of belonging to God. God's plan is always more beautiful than our desire.