

Khalsa VA Primary School NEWSLETTER

14th June 2021

WAHEGURU JI KA KHALSA, WAHEGURU JI KE FATEH

COVID-19 Update

Cases of COVID-19 are rising across the country, and particularly in Hounslow and Ealing. It is important that everyone continues to follow the rules that are in place.

Anyone can now get a Lateral Flow Test free of charge which can be used for people who are asymptomatic.

https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests

COVID-19 - a reminder

If you, or anyone in your household, has any of the following symptoms, please book a PCR test immediately.

- A new, persistent cough
- A high temperature
- A loss of taste or smell

https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test

Do not send your child into school if someone in the household is waiting for test results.

Friday 18th June – Go Green for Felix Day

As a school, we continue to support The Felix Project, an amazing charity which collects and distributes surplus food to those who most need it. On Friday 18th June, we will be participating in the Go Green for Felix Day in order to raise funds for this great cause. On this day, pupils can wear an item of green clothing, alongside their school uniform, and bring a minimum of £1 for the charity.

https://thefelixproject.org/

Class Photos

The photographer will be in on **Thursday 17th June** to take class photos. Please ensure your child is dressed smartly in full school uniform. We will send out proofs shortly after for you to purchase.

Guru Arjan Dev Ji Shaheedi Gurpurab – Friday 25th June

On Friday 25th June, we will be marking the martyrdom of Sri Guru Arjun Dev Ji in school. We will give you exact details of how we will mark this nearer the time.

Parents' driving and parking

This continues to be a very challenging issue for us and we are asking you, once again, to please be considerate of other road users, pedestrians and residents when dropping your child at school. Every day, we continue to witness dangerous and illegal maneuvers outside school. Actions such as stopping on yellow zigzag lines, pulling into our school driveway and stopping and turning on the zebra crossing are irresponsible and put our children at risk.

Hot Weather precautions

The weather promises to be hot and sunny this term and it is important that all pupils are safe and healthy during the heat. Please apply sun cream to children and ensure that they have a water bottle so that they can stay hydrated. You may also provide your child with a sunhat for protection if you wish to. We will remind children about drinking water regularly and taking breaks in the shade.

Khalsa Aid - Year 6 Contribution

Having heard about the impact of the COVID-19 crisis in India and elsewhere in the world, Year 6 pupils have been inspired to raise additional funds for Khalsa Aid. They have designed t-shirts, learned about the concept of charity and will also be going on a sponsored 5K walk. They have raised an amazing £1,273.79. Well done to all the pupils who took part in this fantastic sewa. Thank you to the parents for their full support.



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Certificates for the Golden Rule of 'Remembering God' for the week ending 11th June were awarded to the following children:

Year 6:

Guru Gobind Singh Ji - Avijot Singh

Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji - Harpreet Kaur

Year 5:

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji – Dilnoor S. Arora Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Simarjeet S. Madan

Year 4:

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Bavneet Singh Guru Arjan Dev Ji – Mandeep K. Sandhu

Year 3:

Guru Ram Das Ji – Avneet Kaur

Guru Amar Das Ji - Tanmeet Singh

Year 2:

Guru Nanak Dev Ji – Sargun K. Khaneja

Guru Angad Dev Ji - Jasnoor K. Bhatia

Year 1:

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Parveer K. Dhaliwal Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Veer Singh

Reception:

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Jayneev S. Kapoor Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Karanveer S. Tal

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 14th June is 'Caring and Sharing.'

Key dates for your diary	
17 th June	Class Photographs
18 th June	Go Green for Felix Day
Week commencing 21 st June	Sewa week
25 th June	Guru Arjan Dev Ji – shaheedi Gurpurab
Week commencing 5 th July	Reports to parents and parents' meetings (virtual)

Best Attendance for week beginning		
7 th June:		
Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	97.6%	
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	97.6%	
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	94.4%	
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	96.3%	
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	96.3%	
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	96.6%	
Guru Amar Das Ji class	99.2%	
Guru Ram Das Ji class	92.9%	
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	96.7%	
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	99.2%	
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	91.7%	
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	98.3%	
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	100.0%	
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	94.3%	



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Thought of the week

As you grow older, you will discover that you have two hands, one for helping yourself, the other for helping others. Audrey Hepburn

Sewa is an opportunity to express gratitude and tell God 'I love you'.