



# Khalsa VA Primary School

# NEWSLETTER

20th March 2023

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WAHEGURU JI KA KHALSA, WAHEGURU JI KE FATEH

## Khalsa Values Badge – Learning

This week, we will be presenting our values badges to the recipients of this term's award for exemplifying our value: **Learning**. Please see the attached sheet for the full list of those pupils who will be receiving the reward. They will receive their badge in assembly this week and photos will be posted on Google Classroom. Well done to all of these pupils.

## Big Walk and Wheel

We are taking part in the Big Walk and Wheel initiative this year, which aims to inspire pupils to walk, cycle or scoot to school every day for two weeks. Please help and encourage your child to travel to school using one of these healthy options and please, leave the car at home! There are prizes and other incentives on offer for participation.

## Parents' information mornings – Maths

Please make every effort to attend our parents' information mornings all about the teaching of Maths. The details are as follows:

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March – Years 1, 2 and 3

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March – Years 4, 5 and 6

## Individual parents' meetings

Meetings will be held on Google Classroom on Tuesday and Thursday this week. Slots last for 10 minutes so please ensure that you log in at the correct time, otherwise you will miss your appointment. Please see your child's Google Classroom, or speak to their class teacher, for details of your appointment.

## Unauthorised holidays

As we have reminded parents many times, it is not permitted to take children out of school during term time. When children miss out on learning, they fall behind. By taking children out of school when they should be learning, parents are stopping their child from having access to education. Under no circumstance will teachers provide additional work to parents who have chosen to remove their child from the classroom.

## Khalsa Primary School Lettings

Our incredible school halls are a great place to hold your wedding, engagement or other event. If you or anyone you know wants to find out more about availability, or to book a tour, please contact the school office. Photos of our Darbar Sahib are available on our website and on our Instagram.

## Southall Nagar Kirtan – Vaisakhi – Sunday 2nd April

The Southall Nagar Kirtan will be taking place on Sunday 2nd April. If you are interested in attending, please add the date to your diary.

## Mobile phones

Please note that the use of mobile phones is not permitted on school grounds. When parents come to collect their child, we recommend that they take this opportunity to talk to them about their day and enjoy this quality time together.

## Ealing Foodbank Collection

Our topic in PSHE is all about Charity and Sewa this half term. Over the next 2 weeks, we will be collecting food for Ealing Foodbank. Please read the posters on Google Classroom and help us collect what is needed.



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**Certificates for the Golden Rule of 'Working Hard' for the week ending 17th March were awarded to the following children:**

**Year 6:**

Guru Gobind Singh Ji – Bavneet S. Arora  
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji – Mineet K. Chopra

**Year 5:**

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji – Harjas S. Madan  
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Sukhroop S. Sandhar

**Year 4:**

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Avimannat Kaur  
Guru Arjan Dev Ji – Hazel Chawla

**Year 3:**

Guru Ram Das Ji – Ekraj S. Sareen  
Guru Amar Das Ji – Anhad Singh

**Year 2:**

Guru Nanak Dev Ji – Ravleen Kaur  
Guru Angad Dev Ji – Zorawar S. Sidhu

**Year 1:**

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Harsimran Sidhu  
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Aviraj Kaur

**Reception:**

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Parveena K. Hakimzada  
Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Harmann S. Chopra

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> March is **'Remembering God.'**

**Best Attendance for week beginning 13th March:**

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	92%
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	95%
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	97%
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	93%
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	97%
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	91%
Guru Amar Das Ji class	98%
Guru Ram Das Ji class	94%
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	94%
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	93%
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	93%
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	99%
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	99%

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**Key dates for your diary**

<b>Week beginning 20<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Parents' meetings – individual pupils
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> March</b>	Parents' information mornings – Maths
<b>Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March</b>	Last day of term
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> April – 14<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Easter holidays
<b>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Staff training day – no school for pupils
<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Pupils return to school
<b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> and Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April</b>	Vaisakhi celebrations in school

**Thought of the week**

**Only through service and sacrifice can you become great.**

**Every time you smile at someone, make it an action of love, a gift to that person, a beautiful thing.**



## Khalsa VA Primary School – Values Badges

**Knowledge Harmony Ambition Learning Spirituality Achievement**

### Spring 2 Recipients: Learning

*We are proud to announce that the following pupils have been awarded with a special badge for representing one of our values:*

Year Group	Class	Name	Reason for nomination
Reception	Sahibzada Fateh Singh	Sehnoor Singh	For his perseverance in phonics lessons.
Reception	Sahibzada Fateh Singh	Hargun Kaur	For showing a love for learning for all subjects.
Reception	Sahibzada Zorawar Singh	Harmann S. Chopra	For putting lots of effort into learning to read and write words.
Reception	Sahibzada Zorawar Singh	Harserat Kaur	For enthusiastically completing a range of learning activities to a high standard.
Year 1	Sahibzada Jujhar Singh	Aviraj Kaur	For striving to write more in English lessons and working hard at home by creating her own writing activities!
Year 1	Sahibzada Jujhar Singh	Jasman Singh	For all his efforts towards improving his writing and striving to make it better with adjectives.
Year 1	Sahibzada Ajit Singh	Manraj S. Arora	For being able to verbalise his learning with great confidence.
Year 1	Sahibzada Ajit Singh	Arshpreet K. Ghotra	For demonstrating excellent knowledge and a love for learning new topics.
Year 2	Guru. Nanak Dev Ji	Maanya Soni	For all her efforts and making significant improvements in her written work.
Year 2	Guru. Nanak Dev Ji	Abhinoor Singh	For his efforts and progress in both reading and writing.
Year 2	Guru Angad Dev Ji	Avnoor Kaur	For putting so much effort and understanding into reading and writing activities.
Year 2	Guru Angad Dev Ji	Sartaj Singh	For his efforts in making improvements in reading and writing.
Year 3	Guru Ram Das Ji	Jasreet Kaur	For all her efforts and progress in both reading and writing.
Year 3	Guru Ram Das Ji	Charanjit S. Parmar	For always showing enthusiasm and perseverance in his learning across the curriculum
Year 3	Guru Amar Das Ji	Satkaar Singh	For putting 100% effort in during Maths and English and excellent use of oracy skills.
Year 3	Guru Amar Das Ji	Milanroop K. Khalsa	For always being enthusiastic towards learning and improving her skills.
Year 4	Guru Arjan Dev Ji	Gurdev K. Nagpal	For her perseverance in Maths while tackling challenging problems.
Year 4	Guru Arjan Dev Ji	Nirbaan S. Malhotra	For his effort in Sikh Studies; he is always willing to share his extensive knowledge with the class.
Year 4	Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji	Sargun K. Khaneja	For always showing an interest in all aspects of learning and fantastic use of oracy skills.
Year 4	Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji	Abhijot S. Sardar	For always showing a love for learning and a passion to persevere and improve his skills.
Year 5	Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji	Agam K. Aulakh	For outstanding effort and attention in every subject
Year 5	Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji	Jagjot S. Hundal	For fantastic concentration and use of key vocabulary.
Year 5	Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji	Jaiveer Kumar	For widening his knowledge about forces in preparation for our Science unit and sharing his learning with the class.
Year 5	Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji	Prabhneet K. Khurana	For putting 100% effort into all lessons and improving her learning across the curriculum.
Year 6	Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	Satgun S. Kapoor	Striving to achieve the best, by always engaging in his learning.
Year 6	Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	Deshika Rattan	Taking learning outside the classroom and always wanting to find out more.
Year 6	Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Tarian S. Arora	For always using his oracy talk tactics to articulate his contributions clearly.
Year 6	Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Prabhnoor K. Kular	For always completing her work to a high standard and supporting others with their learning.