Khalsa VA Primary School

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2nd November 2026

WAHEGURU JI KA KHALSA, WAHEGURU JI KE FATEH

Headteacher – Ms. P. K. Sehmi

Welcome Back
We hope that all of our families have had a safe and relaxing half term break.

Term-time holidays
We would like to remind parents in the strongest possible terms that term-time holidays are not permitted. If children miss periods of school they miss out on key teaching and learning which it can be extremely difficult for them to catch up on.

Furthermore, parents will be fined by the local authority for these unauthorised absences and families will be referred to the Local Authority's Attendance Officer.

Royal British Legion – Poppies on Sale
On Sunday 8th November, it is Remembrance Sunday and we will be selling poppies to raise money for the Royal British Legion. If you would like to purchase a poppy or any of the poppy-themed items, please come to the table outside after school this week. **(Cash only)**

School Photographer – Thursday 5th November
The school photographer will be in school on Thursday **5th November** to take individual and sibling photos. Children must be dressed smartly in their full school uniform.

Chaa and Chat Diary Dates
We would like to share the dates of the next Chaa and Chat group sessions.

17th November at 8.45am – parent self-care
8th December at 8.45am – holiday well-being

These sessions are an opportunity for parents and carers to speak about any concerns that they may have. It is also an opportunity to share new ideas and information with parents.

Flu Immunisations – Thursday 19th November
Flu immunisations are taking place on Thursday **19th November**. Please note that the immunisation is only for pupils who have not had their flu immunisation – please do not book if your child has already been vaccinated.

Achievement assembly
Well done to all the children who received an achievement certificate in assembly for outstanding achievement in the classroom and for excelling in all areas. Classes with high attendance received a trophy.









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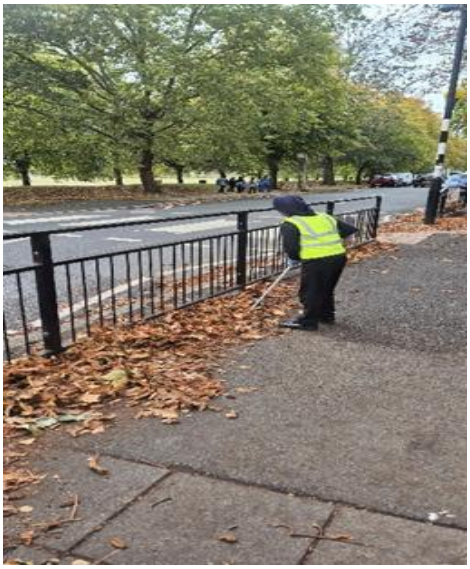
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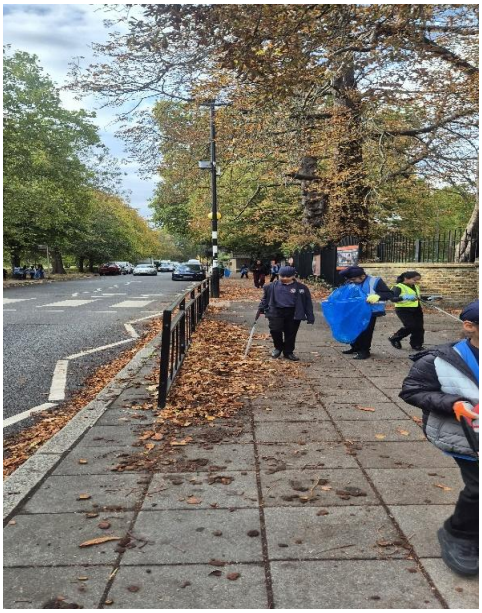
This Week in Pictures

Year 5 - Sewa in Action at Khalsa Primary School

As part of our commitment to Sewa, Year 5 pupils from Khalsa Primary School took part in a litter-picking activity around the Norwood Green area. They worked together to help keep the local environment clean and tidy, demonstrating the Sikh values of selfless service and responsibility. We are proud of our pupils for making a positive difference to their community and caring for the world around them.







Nursery Open Morning

Nursery Open Morning took place for parents this week. This was an opportunity for parents and carers to find out about the school, curriculum and also the admissions process. It was a lovely to welcome so many new parents and carers to our school.



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Attendance News

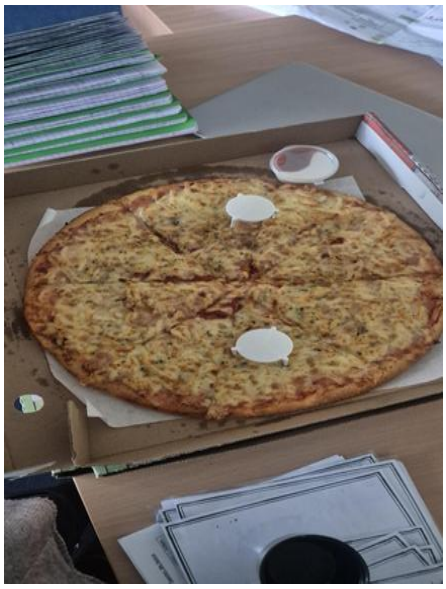
Attendance League 1st Place Winners – Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji Class
Well done to Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji Class for excellent attendance for Autumn Term 1.
The class enjoyed their well-earned Pizza Party – keep it up.

Let's see which class with take the lead in the Attendance League in Autumn Term 2.









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Stickers for the Golden Rule of 'Remembering God' for the week ending 23rd October were awarded to the following children:

Year 6:
Guru Gobind Singh Ji – Seerat Kaur
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji – Hargun K. Chopra
Year 5:
Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji – Gursanjh Singh
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Parmpreet S. Aujla
Year 4:
Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Yugvir Singh
Guru Arjan Dev Ji – Karman S. Talwar
Year 3:
Guru Ram Das Ji – Avnek S. Sethi
Guru Amar Das Ji – Kawaljeet Singh
Year 2:
Guru Nanak Dev Ji – Keyaansh Verma
Guru Angad Dev Ji – Manraj S. Gill
Year 1:
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Gursahib Singh
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Amaanat Kaur
Reception:
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Gursimar K. Kapoor
Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Ruaab K. Gill

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 2nd November is **'Caring and Sharing.'**

Best Attendance for week ending 23rd October:

***MINIMUM* TARGET ATTENDANCE: 96%**

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	91%
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	90%
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	90%
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	86%
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	95%
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	96%
Guru Amar Das Ji class	99%
Guru Ram Das Ji class	91%
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	89%
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	94%
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	89%
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	96%
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	95%

Well done to the classes above who have been awarded the 'Golden Rewards Time' for achieving attendance over 96%

Mathletics

This week's Top 3 Participants:

- Jayveer S. Kataria - Year 4
- Harnek S. Luthra - Year 3
- Avnek S. Sethi - Year 3

Key dates for your diary	
Monday 2nd November	Pupils return to school
Thursday 5th November	School Photographer - individual photos
Week commencing 16th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Tuesday 17th November - 8.45am	Chaa and Chat session for parents
Thursday 19th November	Flu Immunisation – 2nd round
Friday 20th November - 8.45am	Ms. Szwejkowski's Class Assembly (year 5)
Thursday 26th November - am	Nishan Sahib Sewa
Friday 27th November - am	Guru Nanak Dev Ji's Prakash Gurpurab
Friday 4th December - 8.45am	Mrs. Savania's Class Assembly (year 4)
Tuesday 8th December - 8.45am	Chaa and Chat session for parents

Thought of the week

"Conquer your mind and conquer the world"

Guru Nanak Dev Ji emphasises self-discipline and inner mastery as the path to true success.

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