



Turney School Newsletter

Welcome Back

As we start a new term we would like to welcome all our pupils and new staff. Catherine Raynham will be teaching

Red Class and Kashia Malczuk will be teaching Green Class. Also, Jane Hewitt is joining the admin team in the front office

Sarah Artingstall, is re-joining our speech therapy team and will be in school for two days a week

What's new?

I am sure you will join us in thanking Stuart Green, our Premises Officer, for the wonderful changes in the front playground. The pupils not only have custom made ship to play on at break times, but also additional bright and stimulating play areas. Considerable work has also been undertaken in the school, including updating the soft play room and installing a sensory room. We have also had an additional room added by the entrance to the school building, which will be used for a quiet room and a meeting room.



We are also pleased to announce that an occupational therapist will be joining the multi-disciplinary team who work with us at the school. We aim for the occupational therapist to work with us each Tuesday to support the children and train the staff.

We would very much like you to join us for class assemblies over the next year. The class assemblies will be each Thursday and the office have sent letters informing you of dates and times.

We wish the Years 11 and 12 all the best on starting college and look forward to working with the current Year 12 on the transition programme.



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September 2009

After School Clubs

Monday - football/drama/dance

Tuesday - boccia

Thursday - reading, cooking, art.

Swimming days

Mon—Silver and Orange class to Brixton Rec.

Red/Green Class to Crystal Palace.

Thurs—Purple class to Brixton.

Years 10, 11, 12 to Crystal Palace.

Fri—Years 7, 8, 9

Blue/Yellow Class to Crystal Palace

Events

Out and about.

14.9.09 12 J are visiting Brockwell Park as part of the life skills programme.

16.9.09 10C are visiting Brixton Rec fitness centre.

23.9.09 10C visiting Brixton Rec.

13.10.09 Open afternoon.

18.11.09 PTA Committee.

Turney School Website

We are updating our website. We are aiming to enlarge the site, offering more information to parents/carers, as well as including a space to display the pupils work.

We will keep you updated on the web-site's progress.

Welcome again to:

Spinnaker who will joining us alternate Thursdays for secondary and Years 5 and 6 assembly.

Relax Kids, which starts again on 2nd October.

All Saints Community Day

Pupils made some wonderful crafts and cakes to be sold at the All Saints Church last Saturday.

Staff who manned the stall had a lovely afternoon and the crafts and cakes made a considerable amount of money—over £30, which we contributed to the church community project.

Parents/Carers information

A big thank you to all parents/carers who helped with the Summer Fair. There will be a parent/carers makaton and PECS training again this year.

The lending library will be available through the speech therapy team for key stage 1. Please speak to Ann.

Holiday Club

The school offered a week of fun and fitness activities for the first week of the summer break. A good time was had by all, but we would like to offer this opportunity to more pupils. We will be sending a questionnaire out shortly to gather your views

on what would be useful holiday provision. We felt transport could be an issue, so we would welcome as much support as possible to raise the money to provide transport for the holiday clubs.

Parent Support Group.

Everyone is welcome to join our parent/support group meetings. These take place on the last Friday of every month (10-12). Come and have a coffee and discuss the issues you want to talk about. Further details from the office.