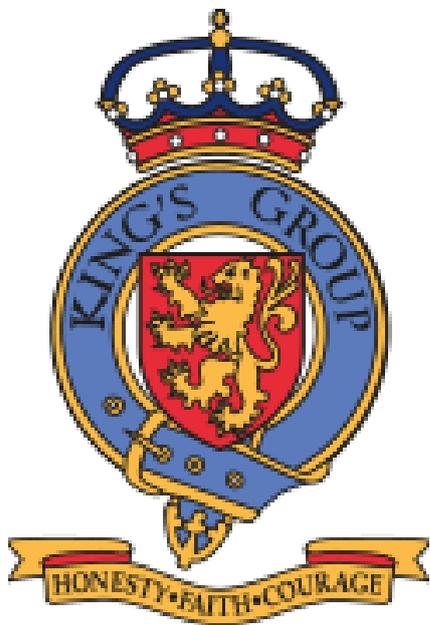


# KINGS ACADEMY BINFIELD & OAKWOOD NEWSLETTER

[Link to dates for the diary](#)



## MESSAGE FROM MRS MOORE

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very much looking forward to seeing parents and carers and Year 11 students at the Year 11 Formal Leavers Assembly on Monday 24th June, which will also be attended by all staff. This will be followed by light refreshments in the canteen and the quad.

A reminder to parents and carers of students in Years 7,8,9 and 10 that they have a half day on Monday and will leave the site at the end of period 4 - 12.45pm. Year 12 exams are still taking place and students will be under the supervision of exam invigilators as usual. Primary phase students will continue their day as normal.

On Wednesday 26th June the Parent Forum will meet for their second meeting of the year. This meeting will focus on improving communication between the school and parents/carers. If you have any ideas about this, please email [parentforumkabkao@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:parentforumkabkao@kingsacademies.uk) marking the subject line Communications. We will then be able to include your ideas in the meeting so that, together, we can all help to make improvements.

Year 10 have had a fantastic start to their end of year exams this week and are quickly adapting to the formal routines of exams in the sports hall as they prepare to enter their GCSE year. Well done to everyone in Year 10 and good luck for all the exams taking place next week.

We were delighted to welcome parents/carers of students who will be starting Year R at KAO in September to an induction evening on Wednesday. We are all looking forward to them joining the KAB/KAO community at the start of next academic year.

Have a relaxing weekend.

Kind regards,  
Mrs Moore

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# KABKAO UPDATES

## MEET OUR MASTERCHEM!



Our Year 12 chemists have been taking part in a competition to become 'Masterchem'! Over the past two weeks our chemistry students have been researching the uses of iron in the body, followed by grinding up some tablets and analysing them before presenting to one another.

Mia was our winner and received her very own pestle and mortar as a prize.

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## WILL WINS DRIVER OF THE MONTH

Will, in Year 9, recently completed his first 24 hour team race at Daytona Motorsport. There were 47 teams competing and his team TRX Motorsport SODI came sixth in class.

Will drove the first 2.5 hour stint which was a great honour and responsibility. At 14, he was the youngest competitor at this year's race and was awarded Daytona's "Driver of the Month" for May.

The full race report can be found on Instagram [@williamtyson\\_racing](https://www.instagram.com/williamtyson_racing)



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## SUMMER MAGAZINE FOR FAMILIES

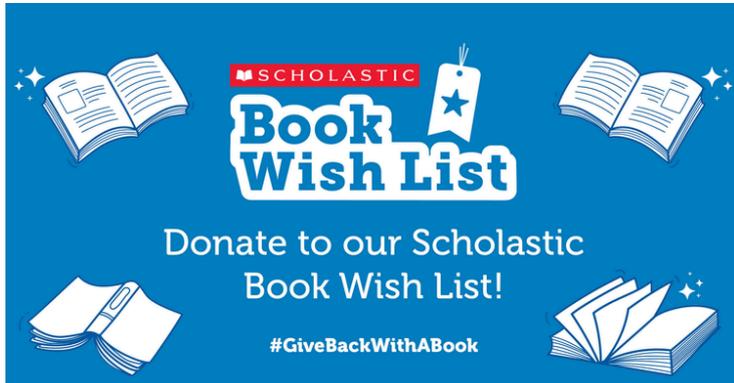


Raring2go! has published its Summer magazine full of things to do for families during the break.

[Read Raring2go Summer edition](#)

# KABKAO UPDATES

## MEET OUR MASTERCHEM!



Having a thriving, well-stocked school library, full of the books that children really want to read, is key to inspiring and engaging our pupils. We'd like to ask our community to help us make this a reality in our school, benefitting all of our children.

Our Wish List includes the books and

resources we'd love to stock our library and classrooms classrooms with but don't have funds for currently. The books on the Wish List are all available for donation and many of them will also earn us 20p in extra free books for every £1 you spend. You can browse our Wish List at:

<https://shop.scholastic.co.uk/schools/kings-academy-binfield>

If you decide to order something from the list, you can do so securely online. Your donation will be delivered directly to school. Our Wish List closes on 17th July 2024.

Thank you for supporting our school!

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## MEDENTRY UCAT PREPARATION

You may be aware that UCAT (University Clinical Aptitude Test) is required for entry into most medicine and dentistry courses across the UK.

MedEntry is an organisation run by doctors and academics, and is the new leader in UCAT preparation in the UK.

There is a resource, which can be accessed here: [www.MedEntry.co.uk/teachers](http://www.MedEntry.co.uk/teachers). You will find a UCAT handbook, UCAT information sheets, discount codes and other resources to help through the admissions process.

Many students mention in their evaluations that they wish they had known about MedEntry earlier.



# KABKAO UPDATES

## SUMMER FAIR INFORMATION

**SATURDAY 29TH JUNE**  
12:00 - 3.00PM

**KINGS ACADEMY BINFIELD & OAKWOOD**

**JOIN US FOR OUR 2024**  
**SUMMER FAIR**

**£15 PER ADULT STALL**  
**£5 FOR CHILDREN STALLS**  
(Lego, bracelet, homemade games stalls etc)

**CALLING all SINGERS, BANDS AND DANCE CREWS!!**  
We would love for you to perform on the day !!  
Please email the PTA if interested! 😊

**KINGS ACADEMY OAKWOOD SCHOOL**  
CHILTERN VIEW, BRACKNELL  
RG42 4FY.  
email; [pta@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:pta@kingsacademies.uk)

**FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY**  
BOUNCY CASTLES • GAMES • TOMBOLA • ICE CREAM VAN • STALLS AND MORE

We are very excited that our Kings Academy Binfield and Oakwood Summer fair is now only just ONE week away!!!!

We have lots of fun activities planned and also some special performances on the day.

**TOMBOLA:** We are still accepting tombola donations at our school receptions. Please donate by Wednesday 26th June latest if you can.

**VOLUNTEERS** – If our wonderful school community could help us by volunteering on the day we would be ever so grateful!!

Please sign up [here](#).

As always, we cannot run these events without parents, teachers and the PTA all coming together.

Any queries or questions please email us at: [pta@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:pta@kingsacademies.uk)

We look forward to seeing you there!

# KAB6 UPDATE

Our KAB6 Induction Day is just days away! We are really looking forward to welcoming all our KAB6 applicants!

#kab6 #beremarkable #induction #tasterday

## KAB6 INDUCTION DAY TUESDAY 25TH JUNE

8.45 | ARRIVAL & WELCOME  
10.00 | TASTER LESSONS BEGIN  
2.15 | TEAMBUILDING & BBQ  
4.15 | DEPART



We are looking forward to welcoming all  
our KAB6 applicants!

Got a question? Email Mrs Newhouse  
[lauren.newhouse@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:lauren.newhouse@kingsacademies.uk)

**KAB6**

# DATES FOR THE DIARY

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<b>Monday 24th June</b>	Year 11 Formal Assembly – early finish (12.45pm) for Years 7, 8, 9, 10 students
<b>Tuesday 25th June</b>	KAB6 Year 12 induction Day – 8.30am – 4pm
<b>Thursday 27th June</b>	Junior Music Festival
<b>Thursday 27th June</b>	Prom – Year 11
<b>Friday 28th June</b>	Year 6 swimming
<b>Saturday 29th June</b>	KABKAO Summer Fair
<b>Saturday 29th June – Sunday 30th June</b>	DofE Expedition
<b>Tuesday 2nd July</b>	Year 5 clarinet performance
<b>Wednesday July 3rd to Friday July 5th</b>	Year 4 residential
<b>Wednesday 3rd July and Thursday 4th July</b>	Bracknell Forest schools Year 6 transition
<b>Thursday 4th July</b>	Year 3 Roman Day
<b>Friday 5th July</b>	INSET Day for KABKAO schools
<b>Monday 8th July</b>	Secondary Sports Day
<b>Tuesday 9th July</b>	KAO Sports Day
<b>Wednesday 10th July</b>	KAB primary Sports Day
<b>Wednesday 10th July</b>	Year 8 team building day
<b>Thursday 11th July</b>	Careers fair Years 9 and 10 – 1.30pm to 4pm
<b>Friday 12th July</b>	Year 9 Thorpe Park science trip

Correction: Please note the change to the Thorpe Park date. It is now Friday 12th July. Apologies for any confusion in last week's newsletter.

**Attachments and  
promotional posters to follow**

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Monday  
Evenings

18:00-19:15

May -  
August

GIRLS CRICKET

**U11**

SCHOOL YEARS 3 - 6

# PLAYERS NEEDED

*Binfield Cricket Club has a thriving Women and Girls section spanning ages 7 to 70! We are actively looking to recruit players in our U11 age group.*

- Taster sessions available
- Girls only
- Softball sessions
- No equipment necessary

## CONTACTS

✉ [juniors@binfieldcricketclub.co.uk](mailto:juniors@binfieldcricketclub.co.uk)

🌐 [www.binfieldcricketclub.co.uk](http://www.binfieldcricketclub.co.uk)





# LATIKA JUNIOR TENNIS CLUB

**Farley Wood Community Centre, Turnpike Road, Bracknell RG42 1FW**

A Juniors-only (4-18) Tennis Club  
5 newly-refurbished floodlit macadam courts, almost  
exclusively for the use of our children.

Providing fun and quality coaching for over 50 years,  
averaging 200 members per year.

Objectives of the club:

- introduce children to tennis
- develop their tennis & wider skills
- provide a fun environment for learning.

Club Coaching Days: Wednesday (5pm -7.30pm) &  
Saturday (9am -2.45pm)  
Price: £9 1hr & £12 1.5hrs

Additional Development Squads by invitation only:  
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday evenings.

- Camps during half-term and summer holidays
- Internal competitions
- Events
- Open tournaments

**Contact:** [info@latika.co.uk](mailto:info@latika.co.uk) for more information or  
visit our website



**2 free trial  
sessions for  
non-members**



## Key benefits:

- Flexible pay as you go club sessions
- Documented progress – ‘100 steps to success’ booklet for all players
- Free court usage to practice and play in your own time
- Award winning coaching team - awarded 1st place in two categories at 2024 Berkshire LTA Awards
- Second highest number of teams entered in the 2024 LTA Berkshire leagues (7-9)