

# KINGS ACADEMY BINFIELD & OAKWOOD PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

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## MESSAGE FROM MRS MOORE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well done to all our students who have really begun to get into the rhythm of the new school year now that they have been back for just over two weeks. Students have settled in well and have quickly adopted the new remarkable routines. Children are developing those good habits that help them to 'get it right' without even thinking. DARE points are certainly increasing.



From Wednesday 18th September, only those with a Blue Badge have been permitted to access the primary parking spaces following the changes to arrangements - see [page 2](#). I would like to express my thanks to parents and carers for your support of this decision in finding alternative parking and walking in.

I know that this new approach will cause other issues in the local area and we will do our best to work with you, the council and the police to continue to make improvements so that school drop off and pick up can take place as smoothly as possible.

The decision to change the access to the 17 primary parking spaces, has not been made purely because of one incident but due to the sheer volume of traffic now at the site. We understand that almost all parents were abiding by the rules and being respectful but 17 spaces for over 300 parents is not safe.



Thank you also to parents and carers who have already taken the time to give ideas on how we can find solutions. We are always open to hearing your views and welcome any ideas that you might have. We are holding a Parent/Carer Forum meeting on Monday 21st October, 5-7pm in KAB Secondary main hall to give everyone who wishes the opportunity to discuss this. Further details will follow.

On Tuesday we were delighted to welcome parents/carers to KAB Primary for the Year Group Introduction sessions and then on Thursday and today at KAO. It was great to see so many of you and we hope you now have a good idea of what lies ahead for your children this academic year.

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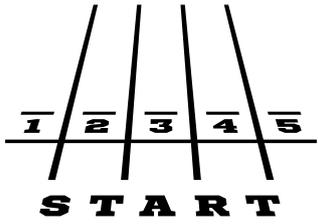
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# KABKAO UPDATES



On Tuesday 24th September from 1.30pm KAB KS1 students will be participating in their sports day that had to be rescheduled due to bad weather. On the afternoon of Thursday 26th September from 1.30pm, KAB KS2 students will compete in theirs. So far the forecast looks good and so we are looking forward to seeing you all next week to watch your children enthusiastically taking part in all the different exciting events. We are all also looking forward to the picnics that will take place before the KS1 and KS2 sports day from 12.30pm.

It is a very busy week next week as we are also looking forward to welcoming Year 5 and 6 students from KAB and KAO to the KAB Secondary open evening which takes place on Thursday 26th September from 5pm. There will be an opportunity to come to see the school in action during the day the following week when we will be holding several open mornings. Information about this and bookings can be found on the [website here](#). I look forward to seeing you there.

Finally, well done again to all our students and staff for a great start to the year, they really are all showing they can "DARE to be Remarkable"!

Kind regards,  
Mrs Moore

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## CHANGES TO ACCESS VIA ST GEORGE'S PARK



There are important change regarding access to the school site via St George's Park. Due to the increasing number of cars and students, we have made the decision to restrict vehicle access via St George's Park to keep everyone safe.

From Wednesday 18th September, only those with a Blue Badge will be permitted to access the primary parking spaces. Unfortunately, the current volume of traffic has raised safety concerns for our students and families, and we must take action to ensure everyone's safety.

Please email the office at [admin.biprimary@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:admin.biprimary@kingsacademies.uk) if you are a Blue Badge holder and we will send you further information on accessing the primary parking.

For those who drive, we kindly ask that you use the Wood Lane car park or find alternative parking further from the school and walk in. We understand that this may cause inconvenience, but the safety of our students is our top priority.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we make this necessary change. If you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office. Thank you for your continued support.

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## LAYLA WINS FOUR GOLD MEDALS



Layla in Year 5 took part in a swimming competition last weekend with her club and won all of her races, taking home four gold medals.

She came first in races in front crawl, back stroke, breast stroke and butterfly. She also volunteered in a butterfly race due to lack of competitors and came second!

Great work, Layla!



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## FOOTBALL WIN FOR HENRY

Well done to Henry, Year 1, who worked so hard recently at his football club and won the player of the week award.

Brilliant effort, Henry!



# DATES FOR THE DIARY

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<b>Tuesday 24th September</b>	Picnic for KS1 - 12.30pm - 1.15pm
<b>Tuesday 24th September</b>	KAB Primary Sports Day. KS1. 1.30pm - 3.20pm
<b>Thursday 26th September</b>	KAB picnic KS2 - 12.30pm - 1.15pm
<b>Thursday 26th September</b>	KAB Primary Sports Day. KS2. 1.30pm - 3.20pm
<b>Monday 7th October - Friday 11th October</b>	Bikeability
<b>Tuesday 8th October</b>	KAB Primary school photo
<b>Wednesday 9th October</b>	Primary flu immunisations
<b>Thursday 10th October</b>	KAO Primary school photo
<b>Friday 25th October</b>	End of term - 3.30pm
<b>Monday 28th Oct - Friday 1st November</b>	Half term
<b>Monday 4th November</b>	Back to school

**Attachments and  
promotional posters to follow**



**Funtastic  
Kids**

# October Half Term Holiday Camps!

Childcare from £3 an hour

**Open at King's Academy Oakwood  
Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November**

What's on offer:

**Autumn themed timetable:** Spooky  
Spectacular

**Creative activities:** arts & crafts, drama,  
science & baking!

**Energetic sports like\*:** archery, new age  
kurling, badminton, dance & more!

*\*Activities may vary across locations.*

"Leaders and staff have a strong focus on the  
well-being of children. Staff form good  
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their needs."

– Ofsted, Binfield CE Holiday Camp, August 2024

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