

SKA WEEKLY

Week 3 – Term 2 2015/16

SKA CALENDAR

27th November – Inset day, Academy closed to students.

10th December – Year 11-13 Parent Review meetings.

17th December – Academy Christmas lunch.

HOUSE TUTOR GROUP

ATTENDANCE

B1 – 93.2%	N1 – 95.0%
B2 – 98.3%	N2 – 96.0%
B3 – 99.1%	N3 – 97.8%
B4 – 93.3%	N4 – 97.9%
B5 – 95.5%	N5 – 96.6%
B6 – 87.6%	N6 – 96.7%
D1 – 96.7%	N7 – 94.6%
D2 – 94.3%	N8 – 99.0%
D3 – 96.2%	N9 – 98.4%
D4 – 92.9%	N10 – 95.3%
D5 – 96.7%	N11 – 94.3%
D6 – 93.2%	N12 – 99.3%
F1 – 96.4%	N13 – 96.0%
F2 – 97.8%	
F3 – 96.2%	
F4 – 97.8%	
F5 – 97.8%	
F6 – 91.4%	

Week 5 TERM 1 – ATTENDANCE

WHOLE ACADEMY	93.9%
Brunel	94.7%
Darwin	94.8%
Franklin	96.3%
Newton	96.8%

ONE MINUTE SILENCE

The Academy observed a one minute silence on Monday due to the tragic terrorist events which took place over the weekend in Paris. The Students showed respect during the silence by standing, using the silence to reflect over the events.

CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

We have received some lovely entries for the Christmas Card Competition. If your child wishes to enter, the deadline has been extended to Monday so get creative over the weekend. The entries must be submitted on A5 sized paper. Each student will receive 5 reward points for entering and the winner's card will be printed and used as the Academy Christmas card for this year.

APPROPRIATE ACADEMY UNIFORM

It is important to ensure that all students are wearing their Academy uniform appropriately and we would remind you of such. As the colder weather is now approaching students will need to be wearing their Academy outer coat. Other outer coat styles are not permissible. Skirts should be a **maximum** of 3 inches above the knee. Shirts/ Blouses should be tucked-in to trousers and skirts. Appropriate footwear should be worn, i.e. trainers/canvas shoes are not permitted around the Academy. Failure to comply with Academy expectations may result in a sanction.

SCHOLASTIC TEEN BOOKS

A good buy for Christmas presents, excellent stocking fillers. Please see full details below.

THE MAYOR OF TUNBRIDGE WELLS CHRISTMAS TOY APPEAL 2015

Collection boxes are located in Tunbridge Wells, Paddock Wood and Cranbrook where you can donate either new or unused toys which will be collected and distributed by volunteers to children who have been referred to the Appeal by health visitors, social workers, family support workers and other charitable organisations. The appeal runs from Saturday 14th November to Saturday 19th December. Please do not bring your donations to the Academy.

EXCITING OPPORTUNITY – REDUCED TICKETS FOR ICE-STAKING IN CALVERLEY PARK

- Don't forget to buy your tickets for ice-skating on 26th November, 6-7pm.
- Tickets are £6 each (including skate hire) ***almost half the price of a usual ticket***
- Tickets available through SQUID
- Enjoy a magical evening!

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- **Tickets still available so snap them up before they all go!**

CAREERS EVENT

'The careers event on 25th November in the Academy is **not** taking place. This activity has been organised in a different way.'

To mark Global Entrepreneurship Week Tunbridge Wells Borough Council has organised a number of events.

On Saturday (21 November 2015) The Kent Foundation is running an all-day free workshop on running a business aimed at young people. Details below.

Make it your business workshop

Saturday 21 November 9.45am – 3.45pm

Organiser: Kent Foundation for West Kent Partnership

Venue: Tunbridge Wells Adult Education Centre, Monson Road, Royal Tunbridge Wells TN1 1LS

To register: events@kentfoundation.org Or call 03000 421163

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WEEK ONE

THE MAIN EVENT!



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOMEMADE SOUP <i>fresh bread</i> £1	Sweet potato & watercress (Su,Mk,Ce)	Butternut squash & bean (Su,Mu,Ce)	Roasted tomato & basil (Su,Ce)	Courgette & pepper (Su,G,Ce)	Celery & French parsley (Su,Mk,Ce)
MAIN EVENT £1.50	Italian braised pork ragout in a rich tomato sauce with peppers & basil (Su,Ce)	Chicken Rogan Josh with wholegrain saffron rice & mango chutney (none)	Roast Gammon with Yorkshire pudding & rich gravy (Mk,E,G)	Chinese turkey stir fry with sweet chilli sauce and egg noodles (E,G)	Breaded pollock fillet served with lemon wedge & tartare sauce (Mu,Mk,F,E,G)
VEGETARIAN £1.50	Spicy cajun vegetable Jambalaya (Su,Mu,Ce)	Quorn, sweet potato & spinach Rogan Josh with mango chutney (E)	Potato, cheese & onion pitivier (Mk,E,G)	Lentil & feta stuffed aubergine gratin (Mk)	Roasted pepper & aonard wholemeal quiche (Mk,E,G)
EXTRAS 50p	Creamy mashed potato (Mk)	Wholegrain saffron rice	Crunchy roasted potatoes	Crushed new potatoes (Mk)	Chips
Streetfood £1.80	Meatball marinara pasta (G,Mk)	Sweet chilli prawn & fried rice (Se,Cr)	Spicy sausage pasta (G,Mk)	Singapore noodles with chicken teriyaki (G,E,So,Su)	Tomato & basil pasta (G,Mk)
HOT SNACK £1.60	Fresh baked pepperoni pizza (G,Mk,So)	Chicken, rice & bean flat bread burrito (G,Mu)	Tuna & sweetcorn grilled panini (So,Mu,Mk,F,E,G)	French bread rarebit with BQ beans & bacon (G,Mk,Su)	Cajun spiced jacket wedges with chilli beef & cheese (Mk,Mu)
BAKE OFF HOT 85p	Berry fruit crumble served with custard (G,Mk)	Baked pear and chocolate sponge pudding with chocolate sauce (Mk,E,G)	Treacle tart with custard (Mk,E,G)	Warm sultana flapjack (Mk,G)	Cherry clafoutis vanilla custard (Mk,E,G)
BAKE OFF COLD 85p	Banoffee pie cheesecake (G,Mk)	Autumn fruit berry fool (Mk)	Chocolate brownie tub (Mk,E,G)	English strawberry trifle (Mk)	Fresh fruit pot (Su,Ce)

Please ask our allergen guru for any specific allergen information!



Ce = Celery F = Fish Mk = Milk N = Nuts So = Soya
 Cr = Crustacean G = Cereals containing Gluten Mo = Molluscs P = Peanuts Su = Sulphur Dioxide
 E = Eggs L = Lupin Mu = Mustard Se = Sesame Seeds

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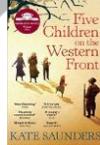
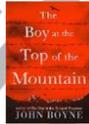
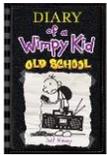
'Tis the Season to Give Books...

If you are planning the wonderful gift of books for Christmas, please take a look at the offers from Scholastic Teen Reads.

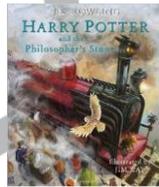
Scholastic is one of our library suppliers for the latest arrivals in teenage fiction and non-fiction, but also offers a broad backlist and box sets.

Books come at amazing prices, often better than Amazon, and every order you place for your sons and daughters earns free books for the Academy Library to the value of **20%** of your order.

This term's offers include, amongst many others, the new Diary of a Wimpy Kid, new offerings from David Walliams, Jacqueline Wilson, Michael Morpurgo and Holly Smale, as well as Record books, Classics, Biographies and Graphic Novels.



There is also the new beautiful, fully illustrated edition of Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone at £16.99 (RRP £30)



You can place and pay for your order online, postage is free and all books you order will be sent collectively to the Academy to either come home, wrapped and disguised, via your sons and daughters or, if you prefer, they can be kept for you to pick up. We will let you know via email when your books have arrived.

Please use the following link to browse and place orders: <http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/ska> or ask your son or daughter to collect a leaflet from the library.

For delivery in time for Christmas orders must be placed by 3rd of December, 2015.

Many thanks for your support.

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Ice-Skating in Calverley Grounds, Tunbridge Wells



Dandara Homes and Tunbridge Wells Borough Council have very generously donated an ice skating session to The Skinners' Kent Academy students, their families and friends.

Thursday 26th November 6-7pm

£6 a ticket (including skate hire)

LESS THAN HALF THE PRICE OF THE ADULT TICKET AT OTHER SESSIONS!

This opportunity is open to students, their families and friends on a first come-first served basis.

Tickets should be ordered through SQUID* (our online payment system) and, once purchased on SQUID, tickets will be available for collection from the main Academy reception from the 19th November onwards.

Tickets **MUST** be presented at the rink for each person/session and lost tickets cannot be replaced. Visit www.tunbridgewellsatchristmas.com for full terms.

Please note this is not an Academy trip and parents/carers will have responsibility for their child at this event.

***Maximum sales will be 5 tickets per family**

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