

# SKA WEEKLY

Week 4 – TERM 2 2016

25<sup>th</sup> November 2016

## SKA CALENDER

8<sup>th</sup> December 2016 - Parent Review Meetings Year 11-13 / Academy closes to students 2pm

15<sup>th</sup> December – Newton House  
Christmas Disco  
SKA Christmas Lunch

16<sup>th</sup> December – End of Term 2

4<sup>th</sup> January 2017 –Term 3 begins

## HOUSE TUTOR GROUP ATTENDANCE

B1 – 92.1%	N1 – 94.1%
B2 – 96.8%	N2 – 97.7%
B3 – 94.6%	N3 – 93.2%
B4 – 91.8%	N4 – 94.4%
B5 – 95.9%	N5 – 94.1%
B6 – 90.0%	N6 – 97.2%
D1 – 93.6%	N7 – 98.4%
D2 – 85.2%	N8 – 98.7%
D3 – 97.0%	N9 – 96.0%
D4 – 95.8%	N10 – 95.0%
D5 – 94.2%	N11 – 95.2%
D6 – 90.9%	N12 – 96.7%
F1 – 90.8%	N13 – 89.7%
F2 – 86.3%	
F3 – 95.2%	
F4 – 92.7%	
F5 – 95.0%	
F6 – 99.6%	

## Week 4 TERM 2 – ATTENDANCE

WHOLE ACADEMY 93.2%

Brunel	93.5%
Darwin	92.6%
Franklin	93.4%
Newton	95.4%

## PARENT REVIEW MEETINGS Year 11,12,13

Parent Review meetings for years 11-13 will take place on **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December**. Appointments are now available for booking. This can be done on-line via our Parent Teacher On-line system (PTO) which can be accessed via the Academy website. Instructions for doing this are as follows:

- On the Academy website, click on the 'Our Parents' from the top menu bar then select "Parent Portal" from the drop-down menu.
- Click on the PTO icon and then on the right hand side click on Obtain PIN/Password (do not use any previous passwords)
- Enter the email address of the primary parent/carer contact (which you have supplied to us) and you will receive an email with a new PIN.
- Return to the Log In page for PTO and enter the Surname of the primary contact parent/carer and the PIN which has been sent to you by email.
- The system will then direct you to book your appointments.

## KRAKOW POLAND TRIP

Students who did not attend the parent meeting held on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November have been given a copy of the presentation and consent form.

**EXAMINATION INVIGILATOR VACANCIES** – Please see below for more information.

## NEW SQUID ONLINE PORTAL

sQuid have now released their new online portal and you will have been emailed by them giving you all the information regarding the updates and changes they have made. The most important of these is that for those parents/carers with a sQuid account for more than one child you will now be able to access all your sQuid accounts via a single username, but you must first have followed the instructions sQuid sent about how to combine multiple accounts. [Previously you have had to have separate username/log-on information for each child's account].

## ACADEMY CHRISTMAS LUNCH

The Academy Christmas Lunch will be held on **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December** at a cost of £3.50. Students will need to order and pay for their lunch through the tills in the Pen & Paper between **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> December and Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December**. Please ensure you have topped up your child's catering purse via sQuid to allow for this. Students on Free School Meals will be allocated a Christmas lunch. On this day no other hot meal will be prepared. Sandwiches will be available for purchase during morning break only.

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK OFFER** – Please see attached updated flyer for more information, with a **new deadline**.

## DofE NEWS

DofE Club in D207 Every Monday 3.15pm- 4.15pm with Miss Wallace for Year 10 and 11 students to get their sections signed off.

New Bronze and Silver applicants: details for expedition dates are due this month.

Miss Wallace

## Examination Invigilators

Applications are invited for Invigilators and Senior Invigilators to support internal and external examination seasons. Helping the students through this critical stage is a vital part of their education.

We are seeking to appoint flexible, reliable and confident people to join the invigilation team for the coming year. No experience is needed as full training will be given but experience working with young people would be an advantage. The main examination season is in May and June. However, there will be other examinations requiring invigilators throughout the academic year.

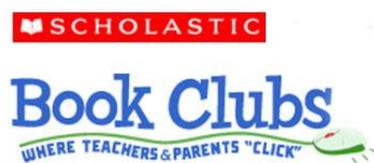
Successful applicants will be able to work alone or as part of a team, have a good eye for detail and be able to remain calm under pressure. The ability to run a large examination room and/or IT literacy would be an advantage.

The role will be on a casual contract, hours and days will vary according to need, but we are seeking adults who can offer between two and seven hours per day, and are available from 8am and/or until 3:30pm, up to 5 days per week. We aim to give everyone in the pool the opportunity to gain practical experience and to develop their skills and knowledge in the role. However, there will be no guaranteed minimum hours of work due to the nature of the role.

Please visit the vacancies page on our website for more details [www.skinkerskentacademy.org.uk](http://www.skinkerskentacademy.org.uk).

To apply please download an application pack and submit your completed application to [hr@skinkerskentacademy.org.uk](mailto:hr@skinkerskentacademy.org.uk) or for further information or a hard copy please contact Mrs Peta Hampshire.

The appointment is subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure. The Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people.



## 'Tis the Season to Give Books...

**PLEASE NOTE NEW DEADLINE WHICH HAS BEEN BROUGHT FORWARD**

Dear Parents/Carers

With Christmas approaching we hope you are considering the gift of a book for your child and as before, we are happy to offer you the opportunity to order from Scholastic, one of the Academy Library's suppliers. Every term Scholastic offer a wide range of the latest in fiction for teens (and younger children) at amazing prices, often better than Amazon's, and particularly attractive for box sets of books.

**Every order you place for your sons and daughters earns free books for the Academy Library to the value of 20% of your order.**

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 come home via your sons and daughters. As they might be Christmas presents, I will wrap and disguise the books, but will in any event send you an email first, in case you would like to make alternative arrangements for picking them up.

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.

**This term's deadline for placing your order is 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2016.**

Many thanks for your support and HAPPY READING Mrs Moeller-Librarian

Link to the Academy web site:

<http://www.skinkerskentacademy.org.uk>



# WEEK TWO

# THE MAIN EVENT!

**HOMEMADE SOUP**  
*fresh bread* £1

**MAIN EVENT**  
£2.00

**VEGETARIAN**  
£2.00

**STREET FOOD** £1.80

**HOT Snack** £2.00

**BAKE OFF | HOT** 85p

**BAKE OFF | COLD** 85p

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Curry Spiced red Lentil (Ce,Su,G)	Spinach, Chick Pea & Potato (Ce,Su)	Leek & Potato (Ce,Mk,Su)	Cream of Mushroom (Mk,Su,G)	Carrot & Coriander (Ce,Su)
Chicken & sweetcorn Filo Pie, New potatoes & Broccoli (G,Mk,Su,Ce)	Italian Braised Pork Ragout with mash & Carrots (Su,Mk,Ce)	Roast Turkey Breast with Cranberry Sauce Roast Potato & Gravy (G)	Italian Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread (Su,Mk,G)	Baked Pollock Fillet Served with Chips peas or beans (G,E,F,Mk,Mu)
Baked Spanish Frittata with potato Onion & Spinach (Mk,E)	Spicy cajun vegetable Jambalaya (Ce,Su,Mu)	Butternut Squash, Lemon & thyme Risotto (Ce,Su,Mk)	Chick Pea & Vegetable Paella (Su,Ce)	Veggie burger in a sesame seed bun with salad and chips (G,Se)
Penne Arabiata with Chilli flakes & Parmesan (Mk,G,Su)	Mixed Vegetable & Sweet chilli sauce Pasta (G,Mk)	Penne Pasta with Green Pesto & Spinach (G,Mk)	Sweet & Sour Chicken & Noodles (G)	Tagliatelle with Mushroom & bacon sauce (G,Mk)
Sancho Pollo Chicken with Spicy Rice (Ce)	Sancho Pollo polenta and chilli chicken burger with potato wedges (G,Mu,Mk,E)	¼lb Beef Burger in a Toasted bun with Salad, salsa & mayo (G,E,Mk,Mu,Su)	Sancho Pollo chicken with spicy Potato Wedges	Cajun spiced jacket wedges with chilli beef and cheese (Mk,Mu)
Rhubarb Crumble with Custard (G,Mk)	Crepes with Hot Chocolate Sauce (G,Mk,E,So)	Golden Syrup Sponge & Custard (G,Mk,E)	Autumn Fruit Turnovers with vanilla Ice cream (G,Mk,E)	Sultana & Raisin Rice Pudding (Mk)
Banoffee pie (Mk,G)	Autumn fruit berry fool (Mk)	Chocolate brownie tub (Mk,E,G)	English Strawberry trifle (Mk)	Fresh fruit pot

Please ask our allergen guru for any specific allergen information!

**LOOK OUT! ALLERGENS**

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

