

# SKA WEEKLY

Week 6 – Term 1 2015/16

9<sup>th</sup> October 2015

## SKA CALENDAR

23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Last day of Term 1 for students
23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Halloween Disco (years 7&8)
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Start of Term 2 – all students return
5 <sup>th</sup> November	6 <sup>th</sup> Form Recruitment Evening

## HOUSE TUTOR GROUP

### ATTENDANCE

B1 – 100.0%	N1 – 96.6%
B2 – 96.9%	N2 – 97.4%
B3 – 93.8%	N3 – 98.4%
B4 – 93.8%	N4 – 97.9%
B5 – 90.5%	N5 – 98.3%
B6 – 95.8%	N6 – 94.3%
D1 – 96.9%	N7 – 94.2%
D2 – 93.8%	N8 – 98.2%
D3 – 98.9%	N9 – 94.0%
D4 – 97.6%	N10 – 98.3%
D5 – 97.5%	N11 – 97.5%
D6 – 100.0%	N12 – 96.0%
F1 – 94.3%	N13 – 98.3%
F2 – 91.3%	
F3 – 97.7%	
F4 – 95.3%	
F5 – 94.1%	
F6 – 92.1%	

## Week 5 TERM 1 – ATTENDANCE

WHOLE ACADEMY	97.4%
Brunel	95.1%
Darwin	97.4%

## SAFETY

Further to our message last week regarding a Year 7 student at Hayesbrook being asked by a stranger to get into a white van, we have been made aware of further incidents in Tonbridge, Borough Green and Sutton.

We have no reason to believe any of our students will be approached, however we will be asking all staff to speak to students again about personal safety and being aware whilst travelling to and from school (and, of course, at other times). I would also ask that you speak with your son/daughter about safety awareness this weekend.

## ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to tutor groups B1 and D6 as the only groups to attain 100% attendance this week. This shows commitment by the students and parents recognizing the importance of their education at the Academy.

## REMINDER OF SAFETY PROCEDURES FOR STUDENTS ARRIVING/LEAVING

Can we just remind all parents to be mindful and courteous of others when dropping off/picking up from the Academy car park in Blackhurst Lane. Sandown Park entrance to the Academy should not be used for dropping off/picking up students during the following times: before 8:30am or between 3:15 and 3:30pm. During these times, students arriving/departing by car exit the Academy via the Pen & Paper to the Blackhurst Lane car park.

Please also remind your child if they walk or cycle to use the correct lane on the pathway along Pembury Road to ensure both their safety and the safety of other public users.

## POWER UP TO RECYCLING

We have registered to be part of KCC's 'Power Up to Recycling' Challenge which runs from September 2015 to 8<sup>th</sup> January 2016. The more batteries we collect (measured by weight) the more vouchers we get for spending on Academy equipment. Please help us collect used domestic batteries for recycling to receive rewards for our school! Recycling boxes will be available around the Academy.

The more we collect the greater value voucher we receive! So please help us raise valuable funds for school and help the environment, by bringing all your old domestic batteries to our battery collection box in school. The challenge runs from September 2015 to 8 January 2016, so please start saving your batteries for us!

We can recycle the following batteries: AA, AAA, C, D, 9v, mobile phone and button cell batteries

Please note: batteries must be from a domestic source and not used in business.

Thank you for your support.

Franklin 94.1%  
Newton 96.9%

### **PFTA FUNDRAISING VIA ON-LINE SHOPPING - EASYFUNDRAISING**

We have set up an account which will raise funds for the Skinners' Kent Academy PTFA whenever you shop online and it will not cost you anything extra! It's quick and easy to set up!

Before starting your shopping online go first to [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) If you don't have an account, it takes just a few minutes to set one up.

- Click on 'Support a Cause' and choose 'Skinners' Kent Academy PTFA'
- Enter your details to sign up.
- Choose the online retailer you wish to use and click through to their website. You can search for in-excess of 2,500 online businesses including many of the big retailers - Tesco, Sainsbury's, Marks and Spencer, Argos, John Lewis, Amazon, to name but a few.

Once you have clicked through make your online purchase, the retailer will then give the school a donation as a % of your purchase - **at no extra cost to you.**

When making future purchases go via the Easyfundraising website and your online purchases will then increase the money the PTFA receives. Any funds raised will go towards the PTFA's next fundraising project to benefit the children. We are currently fundraising for the orchard and allotment project at the Academy.

With Christmas shopping approaching(!), there is no better time to sign up and help us raise additional funds to benefit the children .

Many thanks  
The PTFA

### **YR 11 GCSE REVISION SESSIONS**

As part of our drive to ensure examination success the Year 11 revision timetable is well underway. Below please find the revision timetable that will work across the two week cycle for Term 1.

These revision sessions will benefit our students in a number of ways including improving exam technique, improving subject knowledge and concentrating on key facts making it easier for students to remember what they have learned in class.

# WEEK THREE

# THE MAIN EVENT!

**HOMEMADE SOUP**  
fresh bread **£1**

**MAIN EVENT**  
**£1.50**

**VEGETARIAN**  
**£1.50**

**EXTRAS**  
**50p**

**Streetfood**  
**£1.80**

**HOT SNACK**  
**£1.60**

**BAKE OFF | HOT**  
**85p**

**BAKE OFF | COLD**  
**85p**

Please ask our allergen guru for any specific allergen information!

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>HOMEMADE SOUP</b>	Broccoli & stilton (Su,Mk,Ce)	Chicken & sweetcorn (Su,Ce)	Chunky country vegetable (Su,Mk,Ce)	Carrot & coriander (Su,Ce)	Potato & watercress (Su,Mk,Ce)
<b>MAIN EVENT</b>	Classic spaghetti bolognese served with garlic bread (G)	Baked turkey enchiladas in a rich tomato sauce (Mu,Mk,G)	Roast Pork served with a sage onion stuffing, apple sauce & gravy (G)	Braised beef & vegetable pie with a shortcrust pastry crust (Su,Mk,G,Ce)	Breaded pollock fillet served with lemon wedge & tartare sauce (G,E,F,Mk,Mu)
<b>VEGETARIAN</b>	Ratatouille vegetable lasagne with garlic bread (G,Mk,So,E)	Aubergine halloumi mushroom kebabs with pea & herb tabouleh (Mk,G,Mu)	Courgette, tomato & butter bean crumble (Su,Mk,L,G,Ce)	Cauliflower, potato & chickpea curry with steamed rice (none)	Roasted pepper, onion & courgette, cheddar quiche (G,E,Mk)
<b>EXTRAS</b>	Crispy potato wedges	Steamed fluffy rice	Crunchy roasted potatoes	Creamy mashed potato (Mk)	Chips
<b>Streetfood</b>	Bacon & sausage pasta pot (G,Su)	Macaroni & chicken with cheese sauce (G,Mk)	Sweet & sour pork noodles (G)	Chicken biryani (none)	Tuna & sweetcorn pasta (G,F,Mk)
<b>HOT SNACK</b>	Fresh baked meat feast pizza (G,Mk,So)	Pulled pork & turmeric rice flat bread burrito (G,Mu)	Ham & cheese grilled panini (G,Mk,so)	French bread rarebit with sweet chilli chicken (G,Mk)	Garlic jacket wedges with sour cream & cheddar (Mk)
<b>BAKE OFF   HOT</b>	Jam roly poly (G,Mk,E,So)	Nutless Bakewell tart (G,E,Mk)	Jalousie tart with mincemeat (G,Mk)	Mixed fruit cobbler with custard (G,Mk)	Raspberry jam sponge pudding (G,E,Mk)
<b>BAKE OFF   COLD</b>	Banoffee pie cheesecake (G,Mk)	Autumn fruit berry fool (Mk)	Chocolate brownie tub (G,E,Mk)	English strawberry trifle (Mk)	Fresh fruit pot (Su,Ce)

**LOOK OUT! ALLERGENS**

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



## Yr 11 Revision Timetable

	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>Week A</b>	Science	Maths	English	French	Resistant Materials/ Textiles
<b>Week B</b>	Science	Maths	English	History/Geography/ Leisure and Tourism	Drama/Art/Music
<b>Lunchtime</b>	Food Tech		Food Tech	Food Tech	





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