



KPS – Kendrick Parents' Society Newsletter

22nd April 2024

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Dear Parents and Carers,

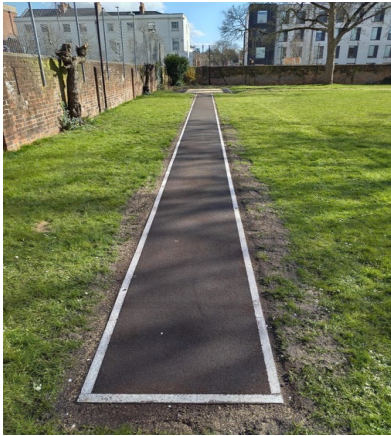
We hope this message finds you well. In this newsletter, you'll find special updates about the KPS Spring Raffle and the events that took place last week.

Spring Raffle 2024 Update:

This year with your support, we have raised £7,350 through the KPS Spring Raffle! All the raffle prizes were distributed before the half-term break, and many parents have already had the pleasure of claiming and enjoying their prizes. We hope the winners are delighted with their gifts!

Thanks to the funds raised through our recent raffle, a significant progress was made in creating an amazing space for our children to enjoy their summer term PE activities right here on campus. Every tile placed and sandbox framed brings us closer to this goal, reducing the need for travel by bus to Palmer Park for the athletics lessons.

The groundwork is now complete, and we are excited to share some photos of the progress with you.



As you may already know, this year the winners of the highest contribution in ticket sales and donations to the Spring Raffle (calculated per student on average) were the students from 7MH. As promised, they were rewarded with a own clothes day and a pizza lunch last Friday to celebrate their outstanding efforts!

The event was a great success, and the students had a fantastic time. Here's a picture just before the party started!



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KPS Disco for Year 9

Last Friday, our Year 9 students lit up the dance floor at their disco night, showcasing some impressive dance moves and enjoying a fabulous time with friends. It was a delight to see them express themselves and create wonderful memories together.

A Heartfelt Thank You to Our Volunteers

We would like to extend a heartfelt **thank you to all the parents and teachers** who volunteered their time and put in a lot of effort to make our children's event a success. Your selfless service did not go unnoticed, and we deeply appreciate every moment spent ensuring that everything ran smoothly on Friday evening.



The Drop-in sessions with Ms Kattirtzi, Headteacher

The 6th Form 'Drop-In Session with Ms Kattirtzi' was successfully conducted on April 16th. This is the last drop in session for this year. Many parents attended and benefited greatly from the session. We were also fortunate to have the Head of Sixth Form, Mrs. Hearn, join the meeting. She provided a wealth of valuable information and responded to all the parents' queries.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to Ms. Kattirtzi and Mrs. Hearn for taking time out of their busy schedules to engage with our parents and carers.

Additionally, we would like to **wish all the best to our Year 13 students as they prepare for their upcoming Sixth Form exams. We are confident that your hard work will pay off!**

Pre-loved Uniform shop

Our pre-loved uniform shop welcomed customers on Saturday, 20th April 2024, from 9 am to 11 am in the Conservatory. **The event was a success, with sales totalling £138.**

Remember, the pre-loved uniform store **opens from 9 am to 11 am on the first Saturday of every half term**, conveniently located in the Conservatory next to the school library.

Parking is usually available in the Cedars car park along London Road, just past the dentist near the traffic light.

Upcoming KPS Meeting

Please mark your calendars for our next meeting, which will take place on **Wednesday 8th of May 2024 from 6pm to 7:15pm.**

We will be sharing further details and the agenda for the meeting soon.

**Kind Regards,
KPS Team**