



## KPS – Kendrick Parents’ Society

Kendrick School, London Road, Reading, RG1 5BN

Reg. Charity no. 1104281

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Dear Parent/Carers,

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### KPS International Food Festival

We have planned various other activities along with the food stalls in our upcoming event, the **International Food Festival** on **7<sup>th</sup> July** at our school from **11am to 3pm**. We are delighted to say that we have had great interest and enquiries from parents and students since our last week’s newsletter. Thank you to all who have responded and showed interest in raising funds for the school. Please spread the word around as we need more helping hands and volunteers for this mega big event!

Apart from the food stall, the activities planned for the day are:

### KPS Bake Off

We are calling for enthusiastic student bakers to showcase their baking talent. Students can bake the cake and decorate it at home and bring it to school on the day of the event. We will be having a panel of judges who will be judging based on the taste and appearance. We would look forward to seeing some good innovative ideas from students. Students can register their interests to [chair.kps.uk@gmail.com](mailto:chair.kps.uk@gmail.com).

### KPS Photo Booth

Along with the food stalls, we are pleased to offer another attraction which will help in creating special memories with friends and families. One of our KPS parents, Monica Sarin will be putting up a professional photo booth!

### KPS Games Stalls

We would like to invite parents and students to put some games stall. We have limited number of slots, up to 5. Please register your interest to [chair.kps.uk@gmail.com](mailto:chair.kps.uk@gmail.com)



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### International Food festival’s best decorated stall

We are running the “**Best decorated stall**” competition. Here’s another opportunity to unleash your creativity in representing the country and the cuisine you have chosen. **Own a stall and win a prize too!**

### Tickets for this event are now available to buy

Tickets can be bought online using the link- <https://www.trybooking.co.uk/7012>

We thank all those parents and students who have expressed their interests in participating and volunteering on the day. We think it would be a great opportunity for the students to showcase their talent.

Please continue to spread the word out to your friends and if they would like to put a stall or volunteer for an activity at the event, please do ask them to register with us.

For your convenience, we have listed down some options for food by country. Please note that you can either choose just one of the food items, for example, ONLY ‘Fish and chips’ or JUST ‘Shepherd’s Pie or take as many as you can from the given list.

Parents can get together and choose a country of their choice and share a stall.

If you would like to suggest any other country or choice of food please feel free to let us know.

**Ruchi Mehrotra**, one of our Year 8 parent is taking up registrations and enquiries on food stall options, you can reach her at **07816167203** or email [khatriruchi05@gmail.com](mailto:khatriruchi05@gmail.com).

Country	Indicative Food Items
UK	Fish & chips Shepherd’s Pie (veg/nonveg)
India – North	Veg/ chicken biryani or veg/nonveg curry+Naan Delhi Chaat- Aloo tikki chaat, Pani puri, Samosa
India – South	Idli, Vada, Sambhar, Live Dosa counter if possible
Indo Chinese/Chinese	Fried Rice (veg/ nonveg) with Manchurian curry or sweet & sour curry, spring roll, chowmein
Thailand	Red/ Green curry with coconut rice or jasmine rice; Papaya Salad, Pad thai veg/ nonveg
Japan	Gyoza (veg/nonveg) Sushi Katsu curry+ Rice
Italy	Pasta, Pizza if possible or Risotto Soup with Bread



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<b>Mexico</b>	Taco Tortilla wrap
<b>USA</b>	Hot dog (veg/ nonveg) Burger (veg non veg)
<b>Morocco</b>	Veg/ nonveg tagine dish Couscous Makouda
<b>Turkey/Middle East</b>	Falafel in pitta bread with hummus Kebabs
<b>Desserts</b>	Ice cream rolls Pancakes/waffle Candy floss

Drinks and Cupcakes stall will be run by KPS members

## A few key notes for you to consider:

- We have extended the date of registration for your interest in stall to 10<sup>th</sup> June.
- For food stalls, it will be a good idea to use catering equipment/BBQ grill etc to keep the food warm.
- Here is a handy link to hire catering equipment – [Hire 2 Serve](#)
- For the “**Best decorated stall**” competition if you are running out of ideas. **Sarika**, one of our Year 7 parents have offered to help. You can reach her at **07466364911** or email her at [sarikadhallam@gmail.com](mailto:sarikadhallam@gmail.com).

We would also like to know if you are willing to spare an hour on the day of event, this could be for either setting up a stall, running a stall, ticket collection, clearing up or any other adhoc work that may occur. We need your help to make this a memorable one!

If you have any other suggestion or wish to volunteer for non-catering activities, please email us at [chair.kps.uk@gmail.com](mailto:chair.kps.uk@gmail.com) or [secretary.kps.uk@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.kps.uk@gmail.com).

We look forward to your thoughts, suggestions and enthusiastic participation!

**KPS Team**