

King's Park Secondary School Information for Families and Friends



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February 2011

Events Coming Up ...

See the website for more details



An information evening for the parents of S1 and P7 pupils



Rescheduled from December



**PARENT
CONSULTATION**

Thu 3 March 4 pm

An informal meeting with the head teacher to share your thoughts on what our school does well, and what we can do to improve.



Mrs Logan's parent consultation events about school uniform – 2 pm and 6.30 pm on 4th March.

Helping your child to study: The psychology of learning

Monday 14th March 2011 at 7 pm

Cath Jennings
Educational Psychologist



All parents are invited to hear our educational psychologist Cath Jennings speaking about how we can help our children to study. Parents who have heard Cath speak about this subject in the past, speak highly of it. There will be something for everyone – whether your son or daughter is in S4/5/6 and just about to sit SQA examinations, or if they are still in S1/2/3.

Spring Concert Wed 23 March 7.30 pm

We were so disappointed about cancelling our Christmas Concert. But we are delighted to hold a Spring Concert instead! Tickets are available from pupils in the Music Department.

Dear Parent

After all the disruption caused by the snow, we have been very busy in school - rescheduling events and working very hard to catch up on lost time. The pace of work is increasing and again there are many pupil achievements which make us very proud.

I do hope you will be able to support the events on this page. As ever, please contact the school at any time if you have concerns. Thank you as always for your support.

Kind Regards

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School Calendar

Tue 22 Feb	Curriculum for Excellence Information Evening
Wed 2 March	Course Planning Evening for parents of S2 pupils
Thu 3 March	Parent Consultation Event at 4 pm with Mrs Barr
Fri 4 March	Parent Consultation about School Uniform – 2 pm and 6.30 pm with Mrs Logan
Mon 7 March	3 rd Dose HPV for S2 girls
Mon 7 March	S5 subject choice forms due
Tue 8 March	Parent Council meeting
Mon 14 March	S2 Reports issued
Mon 14 March	'Helping Your Child to Study' presentation by Cath Jennings, educational psychologist – 7 pm.
Mon 14 March	'Sport Your Trainers Day' (Commonwealth Day)
Thu 17 March	S2 Parents' Evening (1)
Fri 18 March	Red Nose Day. Non-uniform day – 50p for Comic Relief
Mon 21 March	S2 subject choice forms due (1)
Tue 22 March	S2 Parents' Evening (2)
Wed 24 March	Spring Concert at 7.30 pm
Thu 24 March	S2 subject choice forms due (2)
Tue 29 March	S1 Football and Netball Tournaments
Wed 30 March	S3 Football and Netball Tournaments
Thu 31 March	S2 Football and Netball Tournaments
Fri 1 April	School closes for Spring Break. Later lunch break and pupils may leave at 1.15 pm with their parents' permission. Non-Uniform day – 50p.
Mon 18 April	Return to school
Tue 19 April	Parent Council Meeting
Fri 22 April	Holiday – Good Friday
Mon 25 April	Holiday – Easter Monday
Fri 29 April	Holiday – Royal Wedding
Mon 2 May	Holiday – May Day
Tue 3 May	SQA exams start (see school website for dates)
Tue 10 May	S5/6 Leavers' Graduation Ceremony
Tue 17 May	Parent Council Meeting
Mon 23 May	Trip to Holland leaves
Tue 24 May	S1 Reports issued
Fri 27 May	Trip to Holland returns
Fri 27 May	Holiday – May weekend
Mon 30 May	Holiday – May weekend
Tue 31 May	Inservice Day for teachers
Mon 6 June	P7 visit Day 1 of 2
Tue 7 June	P7 visit Day 2 of 2
Wed 8 June	New S5/6 return to school
Thu 9 June	S3 Reports issued
Thu 9 June	Induction Day for new S5
Fri 10 June	Induction Day for new S6
Tue 14 June	Sports Day (or 21 June if wet)
Tue 14 June	Parent Council meeting
Wed 15 June	S6 Prom
Tue 21 June	Sports Day (if 14 June was wet)
Fri 24 June	Close for summer at 1 pm. Non-uniform day 50p
Mon 15 August	Session 2011-12. Inservice Day 1 for teachers
Tue 16 August	Inservice Day 2 for teachers
Wed 17 August	Pupils return to school

Check out our website (News pages or Gallery pages) for stories and lots of photos about the following:



Swimming Gala was a great success



Determined to Make Movies – 5 Awards!!



King's Park girls are outstanding at Glee Show

Last Day of Term

FRIDAY 1 APRIL

The last day of term will be Friday 1 April – a non-uniform day for ONE DAY ONLY, with donations to charity.

8.55 am – School starts

12 noon – Pupils wishing to have lunch in the Fuel Zone may do so at 12 o'clock. Other pupils remain in class.

1.15 pm – Extended lunch break for all pupils until 2.30 pm.

2.30 pm – School closes.