

## Newsletter- 27/03/19



Kowloon Junior School's latest newsletter is available to read now.

### Dates for Your Diary]

27 & 29 March	Y2 Trips to Mong Kok Flower Market
Thursday 28 March	Basketball Tournament at KJS
Friday 29 March	Annual Music Concert
Monday 1 April	School-wide Exams (just kidding, April Fools!)
Tuesday 2 April	Wear Blue Day for Autism Awareness
Thursday 4 April	ESF Primary Choral Concert
Friday 5 April	Ching Ming Festival - <u>No school</u>
Monday 8 April	Student Led Conference (evening)
Tuesday 9 April	Student Led Conference (full day) - <u>No classes for children</u>
Thursday 11 April	School Disco ( <b>POSTPONED UNTIL JUN 2019</b> )
Friday 12 April	Last day of term - <u>Half day</u>
15 to 26 April	Term Break - <u>No school</u>

Dear Parents,

Over the last week we saw the AAROW's of Success in action in many ways at KJS. A group of 19 children participated in 'The Race?' at Discovery College on Saturday taking advantage of Opportunity while enhancing their Wellbeing. They participated with pride and determination and represented KJS so well.

At the same time another group participated at the Tournament of the Minds (TOM) at Renaissance College. These children showcased Agency, especially given they had to be self led (while teacher supported), give up endless hours in preparation all to

compete with the other students from around Hong Kong, in an intense STEM problem solving challenge event. Both events highlight the opportunities provided for our KJS students to succeed and challenge themselves to their personal best, and to be risk takers and problem solvers.

This week will end with another celebration of learning and opportunity at KJS with our KJS Music Concert. We are looking forward to seeing and hearing our children express themselves through the arts on Friday night and once again celebrating the diversity that is KJS school.

Kind regards

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Neill O'Reilly

Principal

#### **UNICEF Kid Power Programme already a great success]**



It has been a fantastic effort from both students and staff over the last few weeks with the KJS community earning 512 RUTF packets for malnourished children. Keep up the good work.

Please remember to charge the bands regularly and wear them to school so we can sync them and save as many lives as possible.

#### KJS Year 1 and 2 Sports Day

The most anticipated sporting event of the term is almost here! The children are very excited about the upcoming Sports Day to be held at Perth Street Sports Ground on Wednesday, April 10th from 9:45 am to 12 pm. More details will follow and we look forward to inviting you to watch your children demonstrate their athletic abilities and add to the great atmosphere.

#### KJS After School Sports Clubs end this week

This week will mark the end of our Term 2 after school sports clubs. As always, our participation levels have been fantastic and it is great to see our community value physical activity so strongly. Thank you to all those who participated in a KJS club this term. The commitment and enthusiasm has been wonderful to witness.

### The RACE at Discovery College

We were so proud of all our runners who competed in the RACE, held at Discovery College last Saturday. After a very wet and miserable start to the day the weather turned and provided some ideal running conditions. All of our runners competed well, finishing strongly in all their races. It was a fitting end to what has been a fantastic season. please click **HERE** to see the video of the day.

### **KJS Annual Concert]**

We are pleased to invite you to the Annual Concert which will take place on Friday 29 March at 6 -7.15 pm in the School Hall. The seating will be free and students from the music department will perform in many different ensembles including the Percussion ensemble, Ukulele Ensemble, Recorder Ensemble, Orchestra, Chinese Orchestra, Junior and Senior Choir, String groups, and Flute ensemble.

The students need to attend at 5.30 pm for Choirs and 5.20 pm for Instrumental players. The concert is a formal occasion so students should dress in Full School Uniform. (not PE Uniform.)

We hope to see you on Friday and look forward to a wonderful night of music making by the students.

Mr Stephen Davenport and Mrs Anna Mak

### **Reminder: Chitty Chitty Bang Bang DVD]**

Parents please be reminded that the Chitty Chitty Bang Bang's DVDs are ready. If you have ordered a DVD and have settled the payment, please ask your child to pick it up at the G/F school office.

### **Chess Club - 3rd Term]**

Term 3 Chess Club will start after the Easter Holiday. For sign up and further inquiries, please contact The Chess Academy directly on **3480 4199 / 9178 7376** / [info@activekidshk.com](mailto:info@activekidshk.com)

### **Junior Baking Class - 3rd Term]**

Term 3 Baking Class will start after the Easter Holiday. For more information, please see the attached brochure (click here) . For inquiries, please contact Ms. Hong: [flourhk@hotmail.com](mailto:flourhk@hotmail.com)

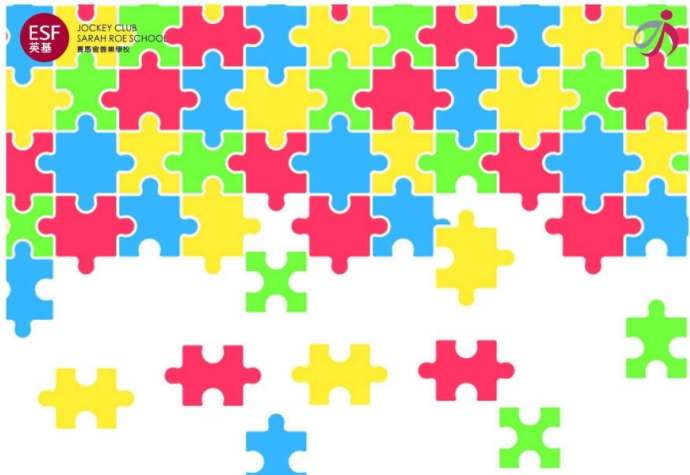
See the Junior Bakers in action by clicking on the link below:

YouTube Video: [YouTube.com/watch?v=dOW88jsc8A0](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dOW88jsc8A0)

### **Student Success**

The celebration of student success will channel to our Facebook page. You can find the school's Facebook **here**. Please keep the photos and stories coming of our children shooting the AAROW's of Success!

### **ESF and Other Notices]**



# Wear **BLUE**

Tuesday  
**2 April 2019**

A minimum donation of  
**\$20** to fundraise for  
a wheelchair accessible  
school bus\* for JCSRS  
students

\*Target: 1 Million HKD

for  
World  
Autism  
Awareness  
Day



# ESF 英基 PRIMARY CHORAL CONCERT 2019

## TICKET HK\$300 / HK\$200

30% discount of standard ticket for full-time students, citizens aged 60 or above, people with disabilities & the minder 票價7折優惠適用於全日制學生 - 60歲或以上人士 - 殘疾人士及其看護人

Enjoy 20% discount for single purchase of 4 standard tickets or above 每次購買正價門票4張或以上可享八折優惠

Tickets are available at URBITX from 11.02.2019 門票於2019年2月11日起於城市售票網公開發售

## HOW TO BOOK TICKETS

Online ticketing 網上購票: [www.urbitx.hk](http://www.urbitx.hk)  
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 Ticketing enquiries 票務查詢: 3761 6661  
 Programme enquiries 節目查詢: 3762 2657

Date: THURSDAY, 04.04.2019 7PM  
 QUEEN ELIZABETH STADIUM, WAN CHAI



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You are invited to join



**DANCEATHON**



Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2019  
 10:00 - 19:00  
 JCSRS School Hall



Raising money for UNICEF and a new bus for JCSRS  
 For sponsor form details, please contact Leanne Wu (email: [Leanne.wu@jcsrs.edu.hk](mailto:Leanne.wu@jcsrs.edu.hk))



## Author Writing Workshop

23 - 26 April 2019

Taught by award-winning author, K.T. Durham, students will explore the world of fantasy fiction and beyond, learn techniques to write authentically and creatively, and craft story-telling skills to produce a sample chapter that would impress any book publisher.

Kathryn has been working as a Speech and Language Therapist since 2005. She holds a Master's degree in Speech Pathology Studies and a Bachelor's degree in Psychology (Honours) with a minor in Linguistics from the University of Queensland.

Venue: Kowloon Junior School  
Ages: 9-11 years  
Time: 9.00am - 12.00pm



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## Classic Capers Spring Camps

23 - 26 April 2019

- Lower Kindergarten Camp (2.8-4 yrs) •
- Upper Kindergarten Camp (4-5 yrs) •
- Lower Primary Reader's Theatre (6-8 yrs) •
- Spanish through Art & Culture (7-11 yrs) •
- Upper Primary Author Writing Workshop (9-11 yrs) •



## Sports & Clinics

Enrolling  
Now

15 - 26 April 2019



Open  
to ALL



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