A Note from the Principal  
28th March 2016

Dear Parents,

No doubt the students are enjoying the first few days of their holiday, a well-deserved rest after an extremely busy term. While the senior students will have important external exams soon (IGCSE, AS and A Level exams begin in May), a few days rest over the next two weeks would be a welcome boost for many of them.

Please ensure that your son or daughter has safety glasses or contact lenses for playing sport. We have had a few eye injuries due to collisions that have broken glasses and caused extra facial damage. As such, students will have to play sport wearing either approved safety glasses or contact lenses for all school matches and inter-house matches.

The accounts office will be open on Sunday, 10th April from 12 noon to 6pm, for payment of school fees. Payments can also be made online at any time (www.ktj.edu.my/payments) or with the accounts team during the normal working week and Saturday mornings.

The Secondary students’ termly reports will be ready to download on the parent portal this week. If you have concerns about your son or daughter’s progress, please do contact his or her Houseparent or the respective Head of School.

Next term we will open the Arc to students! It is a great new facility that the students and staff are eager to use. The Cafe and Shop will be open, although our cashless payment system might not yet be running when the students first return. The vendor is currently beginning the installation and checking of the new cashless payment process but we have to ensure it is operating smoothly which will mean prolonged testing.

We are currently carrying out a significant upgrade of our ICT infra-structure, putting in over 160 wireless access points, including the primary school and boarding houses. These new instalments together with other hardware and software upgrades will improve the students’ ICT experience.
A few weeks ago, the new Sewerage Treatment Plant was opened and is working well. The one that was next to Alia house has now been dismantled and taken away.

Next term, we will be holding the annual KTJ Golf tournament on 8th May, further details and an application form are attached to this email.

Wishing you all a relaxing and enjoyable holiday.

Best wishes,
Dr. Simon Watson
Principal

A Note from Head of Senior School

Dear Parents,

The Senior School term has progressed really quickly with many activities. This busy term has seen Senior School students taking their trial examinations, preparing for IELTS examinations, attending education seminars, attending conferences, taking part in inter-house and inter-school competitions, taking part in Oxbridge Engineering Workshops, Oxbridge Debate and Forensics competition, among others. Even in the final week of this term, the school remained busy with Senior School students taking part in the School Musical and the annual athletics meet while the Sustainability Club organised activities to celebrate Earth Hour and the Form Four Economics students went on an educational visit to Bank Negara. These are some photos taken during the Earth Hour event.

The Press Team of Social Media Club was also working hard to produce their latest edition of student newsletter, called “KTWhat?!”. Please follow this link to read the newsletter: https://goo.gl/GoHuAi

In the coming term, the Upper Six and Form 5 students will sit for their external examinations. It is important they use the 2 week break productively and to remain focused on their studies. Formal lessons will cease on Thursday, 28 April. The Lower Six students have been extensively briefed on university applications and choices. They are encouraged to use this break to continue their research as well as to establish links with former KTJ students within our Alumni network. The Form Four students will sit for their end-of-year examination in June and they should reflect on their teachers’ comments in the End-of-Term report. The results of this examination are used to assist students in making the right choices for Form Five.

I wish all Senior School students a good break.

Best wishes,
Suresh Naidu
Head of Senior School
A Note from Head of Middle School

Dear Parents,

A trophy carries dust. Memories last forever.

Mary Lou Retton (Olympic Medal Winning Gymnast)

What do you remember from school? Do you remember lessons? Teachers? Competitions? Performances? Do you hope that your children, in the future, have similar memories?

Despite the thunderstorms and the heat, the students have been excelling in sports over the last few weeks. I am extremely proud of their achievements, whether they won trophies or not. In my mind, as long as each individual tries their best, whether it be individually or their part in a team, they deserve to be congratulated.

The students who attended the U13 FOBISIA Games at St Andrews Green Valley, Thailand worked and played extremely hard. I am told that their behaviour was excellent and that they made many new friends. In athletics they came in 6th, with students receiving medals on both the track and field. A particular mention must be made to the boys team B 4 x 100m relay, who came from 4th to 2nd after a superb final 100m from Cheng Loong. In swimming the team was placed 7th overall. Well done to Syazmin, who received 3 medals. The girls football team came in 6th place. Well done to Biolyni, who scored all 5 of the KTJ goals, and to Pionca for her efforts as goalie. The girls basketball team had some very tough games and came in 4th place, drawing with the team who came in 2nd. All the boys participated in the football, enjoying their games and coming in 7th place. The boys basketball team played outstandingly well, coming away with 5 wins and a draw and overall achieving 1st place. Many thanks to April Scott, Steve Davis and Jason Walker for all that they did for the students in preparation for and during the tournament.

Very well done to all the students who took part in the KLISS Athletics, held on Saturday 5 March. KTJ finished 4th overall, with the following results for Middle School students:

Hoo Chi Ni: 3rd place for the U15 long jump as well as 4th place in the 800 m
Dacie Ang: 5th place in the 100 m hurdles, 6th place in the 200 m and 2nd place in the 400 m
Justin Liew: 4th place in the 200 m
Zky Tey: 6th place in javelin
Miranne Watley: 4th place in the 1500 m
Askar Fariha: 4th place in the 400 m

On 16 March, our new girls U15 touch rugby team play their first games, beating ISKL A and B teams, but losing to Epsom. Well done to Nana, Nini, Dacie and Evelyn, who all scored tries. Women of the matches were Evelyn and Nana. On the same day, the U15 boys lost to Epsom 29-12, with tries from Akmal and Rok Chan, one converted by Azim. Man of the Match was Azfar. The U14s also lost to Epsom 24-15, with tries from Farouq, Julian and Isyraf, and to ISKL 24-21, with 2 tries from Farouq and one from Richie and Muiz with 3 conversions. Man of the Match was Farouq.

On 23 March our U15 boys and girls teams played in the KLISS basketball finals. Both teams came second overall in a tournament of 8 teams. In Mr Bailey’s opinion, the KTJ boys team were certainly the best team in the competition, but they ran out energy in the final game.
As I said in my last newsletter, House Sport is taken very seriously at KTJ. The rugby and netball competitions are now complete, with the following scores for the junior teams:

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On Tuesday 22nd March we held the House Athletics. Thankfully the rain on that day cooled things down, as all students either took part or supported as their friends competed throughout the morning. The overall results were as follows:

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The KTJ students have also been doing very well in more cerebral competitions. On the 19th and 20th of March, two teams from the Robotics Club joined the 'League of Extraordinary Robots' competition held at D'Puzzle in Cyberjaya. Congratulations to our junior team of Sudeepa, Raphael, Ren Xin and Sin Kang for coming 7th, and our senior team of Colin, Yuvaranesh, Linus and Patrick Ch'ng for coming 10th.

Last night I had the pleasure of watching the school musical, ‘The Wizard of Oz’ which was performed beautifully. There was a lovely atmosphere in the auditorium throughout, with plenty of laughs, great suspense and wonderful singing, backed by a superb orchestra. Many congratulations to the cast, orchestra and crew for such a good performance.

After a very busy term I feel that the upcoming two week break is extremely well deserved. I would like to wish all families a very peaceful time together and look forward to welcoming all students back to school for more memory making next term.

Best wishes,
Anna Fournier
Head of Middle School
Dear Parents,

The end of another busy term with Sports Days, sporting fixtures, book week, trips, coffee mornings, reports, Parent Meetings, Science Week and Healthy Eating Week. However, it has been haze free!

We had two amazing sports days and I had the enviable task of giving out all the medals for the track events. It was so lovely to see the reactions of the children. It really made my week! The older children had an extremely demanding time with numerous athletics meetings where they won lots of medals and look very prepared for the FOBISIA trip next term.

All of the classes have been busy with their exciting IPC Exit Points as it is the end of term. Y2LW had an eventful, action-packed exit point with a range of transport and travel related activities. They started by sorting themselves and their parents using knowledge of Venn Diagrams and finished by directing a partner around the room to meet with another person for a ‘high five’ in the middle of the class! Some of the parents were rather nervous when they had a blindfold on and the children became their eyes! Year 3 astounded the parents with their numerous presentations. They produced these on their laptops and made videos on the iPads explaining what they had been learning during their Space topic. Year 1 talked about their trip to the Organic Farm and explained about the life cycle of a butterfly. Something that I hope we will start to see in our garden.

* Parents Invited

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I hope you all have a safe, happy and restful holiday and I look forward to seeing you all in Term Three.

Best wishes,
Annette Harvey

Head of Primary
Mini FOBISIA

Two schools from Penang came down to visit KTJ to take part in a mini-FOBISIA competition. After school on the Friday all of the children took part in different athletics activities. On Saturday, they moved on to Football, T-ball and Swimming. All of the children showed amazing sportsmanship through the activities. The children enjoyed themselves and it was really good to see each and every one trying to improve each time they compete. Well done KTJ Primary!
**Sports Day**

It was wonderful to see teachers supporting the children and cheering them on. Parents and teachers enjoyed themselves, especially Mr Matthew in KS2 sports day! He was amazing with the children, giving them encouragement and tips on how to improve. All of the children loved to be part of the sports days and are particularly proud of their shiny medals. Parents, teachers, children, and everyone else contributed to make this a successful event. Good job everyone!!!

**KLISS Athletics – Saturday 19th March**

KLISS Primary athletics held in IGB International School proved to be an excellent day for sport. All of the children tried their best and they were enjoying themselves. Despite being a small school (probably 4 to 5 times smaller than other schools), KTJ managed to win a few medals! We are very proud of all of our children!

Below are the results for KLISS Primary athletics:

Mukhriz (Primary 5) Won Gold in Quoit throw for Under 10 boys category
Hirresh (Primary 6) won Bronze in 400m for Under 11 girls category
Annabelle (Primary 6) won Silver in 60m and Bronze in 400m for Under 11 girls category  
Emmeline (Primary 6) won Gold in long jump for Under 11 girls category  
Amrit (Primary 6) won Gold in Javelin for Under 11 girls category  
Aidan (Primary 6) won Bronze in Discus throw for Under 11 Boys category

**Meet our New Rabbit, Spring!**

She is settling in well and has been warmly welcomed by Snowflake. As you can tell from her dirty paws, she got straight down to work digging some new tunnels and we enjoy checking up on her progress each day to see where the new, fresh mounds of earth are.

Well done to Shan Nei for coming up with the name Spring. All of the students made suggestions and the name was picked by the three rabbit monitors.

**Year 1 KD Exit Point – Flowers and Insects**

Students in Year 1 KD had a wonderful morning with their parents as they shared much of their IPC learning this term. Children confidently told their parents about the different parts and functions of plants, the lifecycle of a butterfly, their educational visit to GK Organic Farm and much more! The students particularly enjoyed sharing their own independently created stories of the butterfly life cycle - complete with actions and commentary! Thank you to all the parents for sharing your child’s learning this term. We look forward to welcoming you to our Entry Point in Term 3 - details to follow!
On Monday 21st the Year 3 children had their exit point for their IPC topic 'Earth and Space. Time and Place'. They shared all the knowledge that they had acquired through the topic with the parents with demonstrations, power points and videos. Finally, walking the parents through their IPC books, showing all the work that they have done.
Form 1 Maths Quiz

On 18th of March, Mathematics Department together with Maths Club held its annual Maths Quiz for the Form 1 students. The purpose of the event was to encourage the young learners to further explore already familiar topics and concepts such as Geometry and order of operations, while giving them a taster on more advanced topics such as isomorphism, all while having fun in a fast paced, competitive environment.

The Maths Quiz was held in the Auditorium, where eight mathematically themed games were set up. This year, a few new games were added to the mix. New games such as 10, Numberlink, Four Fours and Tangled quickly became some of the most widely popular, while crowd favourites like Maths Relay, Matchstick Transformations, Tangram, and Shikaku maintained popular appeal once again. Each station put participants’ core mathematical skills to the test, skills like problem solving, mental arithmetic, and pattern recognition being some of the most important. Within a time frame of just six minutes, students banded together in groups to obtain the highest score possible in each station. After the six minutes were up, the groups rotated, moving on to the next station. This process continued until all challenges were completed by each group.

The Maths Quiz was once again thoroughly well received by the Form 1s. Of course, the organisers had a lot of fun too!

Gopeng Trip on the 24th – 27th February by Dheena – Form 1

On the 24th of February, we, the Form One students went on an exciting and educational road trip to Gopeng, Perak. This wonderful trip changed some of our lives. It made them more confident, more brave, more appreciative and more grateful. I personally managed to push through 4 of my biggest fears, the fear of falling, heights, bats (generally any flying animal) and darkness. Yes, darkness!

How did the facilitators in Nomad Adventure help us do that? They invented a system called “The Circle of Courage”. It is where first, the whole group stands in a tight circle. They call that circle the “Velcro Zone”. That is because the students are standing so close, they stick like velcro. That represents our comfort zone.
Then, the whole group stand further apart, this time about elbow distance. The students touch their elbows with the next person’s. That is the “Superhero Zone” and that is where the facilitators encourage you to be. This is where your ‘moderate fears’ are. They feel you should be a “superhero” and conquer all that you can, but not too much.

Finally, they make you stand in a big circle, fingertips touching. This is the “electricity zone”. This is where your biggest fears are. This is also where you start panicking. At Nomad Adventure, they encourage you to stay out of this zone.

On the day that we arrived, we were given a short briefing on the facilities, facilitators, dormitories, etc. Then, we started some activities straight away. We had a walk through the kampong or village. We also tried our hands at tin panning with the traditional ‘dulang’ or tin pan. The dulang is a round dish that you would put some dirt containing tin and water on then you would shake it. We also tried rubber tapping. We were told to find a rubber tree and our group facilitator explained about it further.

After a long day of activities, we went back to camp for some dinner. After dinner, we had a night briefing on what we needed the next day. After that briefing, our main facilitator talked to us about tin mining in Gopeng and how it literally built Malaysia. After the stories, we went back to our dorms for a long awaited sleep.

The next morning, we packed our day bags with what we needed and then we left in the back of a truck to a place called Mountain School. At mountain school, we learnt the circle of courage and we did fun activities like the giant swing, leap of faith, silent cave, low rope and high rope activities.

The giant swing is an activity where you are harnessed up and hooked on to a red ring connected to some cables. Then, you are pulled up and release at your own will. Another activity was the leap of faith. The leap of faith is an activity where your harness is hooked to long string and you would climb up a tall ladder. When you are at the top, you stand on a small platform and jump! You fall slowly as the belayers lower you. A few students found it scary but majority found it fun. I managed to do this because I promised my friends I would do all the low activities if I don’t do the giant swing so I did the leap of faith and I found it really fun! There, I conquered my fear of heights and falling.

One of the last low activities was the silent cave. There is no harness for this activity. Instead, you hold onto one cable and stand on another. You must then walk silently into a dark bat cave to a checkpoint. At that checkpoint, we continue moving into the cave but this time, by foot. When we reach the other side, we exit the cave and go to our next activity.

After lunch, we started the high rope activities with ground school. Ground school is a place where you train for the clipping on the high ropes. After ground school, we started. There were a few high rope activities, a zipline and abseiling.

The next day, we went to water school. There, we had to train on some water skills like crossing a river, defensive swimming, how to jump in to save someone and how to get back on to the boat if you fall of. After water school, we went white water rafting! It was an amazing experience for all! Here I conquered my fear of speed.

After white water rafting, we were invited to a dinner hosted by Dato’ Aminuddin Hashim, Azim and Aydin Zaki’s dad. We at KTJ were very proud to be the first guests at the TT5 dredge after its new refurbishing. When Dato’ Aminuddin found out we were in Perak then, he was delighted and immediately invited us to dinner there. After the dinner, we went back to camp for the night briefing for our last day. We were all very tired after that wonderful dinner.

The next day we had a fun series of activities that they called The Quest Of The Magic Fire. The Quest Of The Magic Fire is like a mini amazing race. There are a few checkpoints. At each and every one, you would be given a clue to the next station. At each station, you will have to do something to get the next clue.

After The Quest Of The Magic Fire, we all went back to have a shower and then we had lunch. After lunch, the winner of The Quest Of The Magic Fire was announced. It was the Animal team consisting of Maya, Syazmin, Ashar, Yooven, Adrian, Balqis and myself, Dheena!
We finally went to the bus that would take us back. We put our stuff in the boot and got ready for a 3-4 hour long drive. We then said our goodbyes and see you next times and mounted the bus. If we could, I would definitely want to come back!
KTJ’s Interact Club was lucky and honoured to be given the opportunity by the sponsorship of Rotary Club of Seremban to send two representatives, Interactors Sabrina Lim and Bryant Tee, to participate in the 48th District Interact Conference held in the Royal Malaysian Navy Base in Lumut. The event lasted for 4 days and 3 nights, incorporating multiple insightful talks given by reputable speakers and demonstration tours to witness how the military arm works. The highlight of this event was when the Interactors were given a chance to have a closer look to the different types of military helicopters that are currently in use by the Malaysian Government. Not only that, permission was also given to them to get into the helicopter and get a snapshot for remembrance.

22nd of February, marks 111 years for the incredible organization that is Rotary International. The number of people and communities helped, networks developed and friendships formed cannot even begin to be counted. Interact Club Kolej Tuanku Ja’afar is honoured to be part of this worldwide organization. We celebrated it by providing free car wash for our school community, to inculcate the volunteering spirit among our Interactors.
Charis Old Folk Home Community Service

35 Interactors from forms 4, 5 and L6 visited Charis Old Folk’s home in Mantin during our extra-curricular time. The home provides care for 23 old folks from different age groups and backgrounds. One group of Interactors volunteered to clean up the house and the compound while the other group planned and performed for the old folks.

The Interactors sang and danced together with the old folks, and the joy written in their expressions was priceless. They were simply overwhelmed. The group that was in charge of cleaning started their work as soon as they stepped into the house. Some of them swept, mopped, cleaned the fans and washed the toilets. The rest raked the dried leaves and cleaned the compound. It was a productive evening indeed.

The Interactors also spent time mingling and talking to the old folks. It was heart breaking to see them sharing their life experiences and some of them even shed tears as they gave advice to the interactors.

Rotarians Christina, May and Dato James brought along the donation-in-kind like rice, milo, milk powder, biscuits and other necessities from Rotary Club of Seremban. The Interactors helped out in distributing to the old folks. Our club also donated clean and new bed sheets, pillow cases and adult diapers to the home. It was sad to say goodbye to them but we'll be sure to pay many more visits in the near future.
FOBISIA Choir by Amirul Imtiaz – Upper 6

Being in the choir can be a lot of fun. The same can be said for the whole FOBISIA experience in the beautiful island of Jeju: it was hectic, energetic and exciting. From the warm nurturing home of Malaysia to the rustic green sceneries of Jeju, here is the summary of events of the KTJ choir team through the eyes of their only bass/tenor member:

The first day was a day of many firsts for everyone on the team. Obviously, this was the first time any of us had reached Jeju. It was the first time most of us experienced outside temperatures below 20 degrees and it was the first time that I had Korean seafood porridge. We had breakfast at a food court in Incheon International Airport. We all had a hearty Korean meal (with the exception of a few others who had authentic “Korean” Starbucks instead). Then, we took a bus to the Gimpo International Airport in order to take a domestic flight to Jeju. Once we landed, we were by greeted by Ms Morell of NLCS and then boarded another bus to reach North London Collegiate School Jeju. Along the way, lush green tea plantations and fields decorate the roadside of Jeju with a grand mountain as its backdrop. It was not long before that we arrived at the breathtakingly marvellous sight that is the North London Collegiate School’s campus. As much as I would like to go into much detail about the school itself, there would be at least two pages on description alone. Anyway, we were taken to our respective rooms and, with little time to unwind, set off for rehearsals. Choral singing waited for no one. Never tired students’ limbs affected slumber more.

On Day Two, I woke up rather early. Walking around without a jacket after sunset wasn’t the best idea I’ve had if the instant shivers from the night before were to be of any indication. My room’s window offered a great view of daybreak: the sun’s orange hues making way for the blue skies. The rest of the day was mostly spent on more rehearsals but with more specification. Somewhere in between, we inevitably made new friends with students from schools around Asia. I also got the esteemed position of triangle player in the percussion band after my Korean buddy, Jiyeon, offered me to join her. During the Senior Choir practice session, we met Mr. Thorrington, one of the school’s music teachers. I initially thought that Mr Dalton had somehow followed us to Jeju as his voice and accent sounded exactly the same. Mr Carter was having the time of his life when he found out that the song that the seniors were going to sing was titled “The Jolly Carter”. Day shifted to night and every team was taken to see a live theatre performance in town by a popular local troupe known as The Painters. The actors’ quirky antics sent the audience roaring with laughter as well as dazzling them with their impressive feats in art. Once the performance was over, we had a chance to buy their merchandise and get it autographed (I got a neat little notebook. Signed, of course).

The following morning, all of the choir members, with the exception of NLCS students, were taken to Maru-do Port for a nice seaside hill hike. Up there, the view was amazing and I was pretty content with leaving my friends in the dust in favour of breathing in the fresh sea breeze and taking snapshots of the mountains that loomed over the horizon, the little vibrant port standing out like a gem off to the shore complimenting the azure skies. I even had a chance to try out Udeng, a type of Korean fish cake that is rich in flavour and squiggly in appearance. I also had ice-cream too. My fellow KTJ pals thought I was crazy for eating ice-cream in this weather. Then again, they have been saying the same thing over and over again when they saw me walking around campus without any winter wear.

Half an hour later, we were back in NLCS and 30 minutes behind schedule for rehearsals. The rehearsals were long and exhausting but we gave it our all because we knew that it would pay off in the end. Then, before we knew it, it was already time to perform. I stood at the corner of stage, triangle held at the ready. I closed my eyes and took a deep breath. I could feel them. The eyes of the world were all on us. The anxiety of us choir members. The hopes and expectations of our conductor. It was all or nothing. And so, with a wave of a hand, we started to sing. And sing our hearts out we did.

The concert was a success! By the time we were done, claps and cheers filled the auditorium and the audience requested an encore. Being the professionals we were, we gave them just that, granted, with a few muddled lines but we didn’t care. We were too overjoyed by the fact that we did it. But alas, all good things must come to an end.

At the crack of dawn, I checked my luggage for the fifteenth time to make sure nothing was left behind. After three days in Jeju, it was time to head home. It was as if the world was conspiring to make my day a bookend as I had the
deliciously simple Korean seafood porridge for my last breakfast in Korea. The same one I had when I first arrived. And so, that marks the end of our Korean excursion and the beginning of our return to Malaysia. If you wish to take part in any of our wonderful trips, please join the KTJ choir. Really, we need more basses and tenors here.

On the 20th of March, the guitar club of KTJ organized the biannual KTJ Guitar Festival. This year we were fortunate enough to have Sheikh Hady Basmeih, aka Hady Afro, as our guest artist. The festival was held for two days, where activities such as Guitar Clinic, Guitar Recital and Masterclasses were held. During these activities, members of the guitar club as well as guitar students had the chance to get up, close and personal with Hady, witnessing his undeniable talent while learning new guitar techniques. The Guitar Clinic was when I first got to meet Hady and watched him perform. Being a passionate guitarist myself, I was truly impressed by his skills and unique musical style. Hady also performed at the Saturday night event the following night, where he played several solo pieces as well as one ensemble piece with members of the guitar club. Overall, it was a very pleasant experience to have met and performed with Hady, a living proof that Malaysian guitarists can actually make it internationally and live the dream of travelling around the world doing what they truly love. I’m sure he not only inspired many aspiring, young guitarists but also those who do not play the instrument. I feel that the Guitar Festival was generally well-organized, though in the future more opportunities should be given to the students to perform on stage, and also activities that allow non-guitarists who are interested in participating should be held.
The Oxbridge Society’s Fifth Annual Debate took place on Saturday 5th March in the Auditorium at Kolej Tuanku Ja’afar. Once again this prompted a fantastic turnout of Oxbridge members who came to coach and mentor over 160 Year 9-12 students from 17 local and international schools. Oxbridge Society President, Mark Disney, thanked all the participants and the staff and students of KTJ (especially Emma Davidson) for once again putting on a fantastic show.

The Plenary Debaters were Tony Pua (politician) Munir Abdul Aziz (lawyer) Sharifah Bakar (banker) and Natasha Kamaluddin (investment banking) arguing that ‘This House Believes that all Concepts of Freedom are Fluid not Fixed’ The Cambridge team (Natasha and Sharifah) suggested that our understanding of freedom has changed markedly over time. The Oxford side (Tony and Munir) took the view that an innate sense of freedom was fundamental to the human condition.

Following the debate and the vote (99 Oxford to 81 Cambridge) the students broke into groups for a working lunch and returned in the afternoon for a series of mini-debates and an Impromptu contest in the main auditorium:
1. This House believes that technology has enslaved rather than freed us.
2. This House believes that economic freedom is more important than political freedom.
3. This House believes that personal freedom has always been an illusion.
4. This House believes that national security should always outweigh individual freedom.
5. This House believes that international freedom of movement is a fundamental human right.
Prizes were awarded to the best speakers and the best impromptu performances by KTJ’s very own award winning debate team of Thevesh, Aaron, and Imran.

**Raline Award**

Congratulations to former KTJ student Raline Shah. Raline studied IGCSE and A level Drama at KTJ, and after studying Political Sciences at the University of Singapore, has gone on to a successful acting career, culminating last week in her winning the Best Supporting Actress award at the Indonesia Box Office Movie Awards last week for her role in *Surga Yang Tak Dirindukan*. In recent years she has also appeared in the movies *5cm* and *Supernova: The Knight, Princess and Shooting Star*. At KTJ, she appeared in many school productions, including *Flowers for Algernon, Once in a Lifetime, Skungpoomery* and *Oklahoma!*
South East Asia Forensics Tournament

The school Forensics club had another successful year at the South East Asia Forensics tournament held at The International School of Kuala Lumpur. For the seventh year in a row we won the award for the best competing school. The club had finalists in the Impromptu speaking and Extemporaneous speaking events. We also were very proud of our medal winners, taking Silver and Gold medals for debate speakers, Gold for Original Oratory, Gold for Extemporaneous speaking, Impromptu speaking and Debate. Added to this a member of the club one Gold for Best Debater and Best participant of the tournament. Well done to Thevesh, Aaron and Imran for their record breaking success.

We were also proud to create a partnership with The International School of Kuala Lumpur. For the first time in the 38 year history of the tournament an event was held away from ISKL. In late January KTJ hosted the preliminary rounds of the SEA Forensics competition. For two days schools from all over Malaysia competed for a place in the debate event at ISKL. Many thanks to all of the team members who worked so wonderfully together to create an event that was an absolute success, giving many young Malaysians the chance to compete at the SEA Forensics tournament that they would not have otherwise had. KTJ has every right to be proud of the Forensics team. They have been wonderful ambassadors for the school.

An Evening with Tun Dr Mahathir (7-10pm Wednesday 24th February)

The Oxford & Cambridge Society of Malaysia’s first major event of the year featured Tun Dr Mahathir at the Hotel Maya in KL on the ostensible topic of ‘2020: Realistic or Idealistic?’ The Moderator, Oxbridge President, Mark Disney (a KTJ teacher) explained that the event was a closed-door session (i.e. no press).

The 170 members and guests included 30 KTJ students, primarily from the 6th Form, who had time to meet, mingle and makan before TDM arrived at 8.20pm for an 8.30pm-sharp start. At the age of 90 (and despite about of the flu), the grand ‘Old Man’ of Malaysian politics still displays remarkable vim and vigour.
For half an hour, the students heard Tun giving his views on Vision 2020 and offering his take on the geopolitical challenges of the Middle East and China. The floor was then opened for comment, leading to a frank and thoughtful exchange of views on many of the ‘unmentionables’ currently swirling around the country. Topics included, but were not limited to, Tun’s reputation as an authoritarian, the TPPA, relations with Singapore, ASEAN’s culture of ‘impunity’, affirmative action and the NEP, the police, the judiciary, and why war should be illegal as well as immoral... More than enough to be getting on with!

Mark Disney questions TDM

Tun accepts a token of appreciation

Emma Davidson from KTJ’s EAL Department with her in law and Tun Siti Hasmah

The Leos and the School by Olivia Lim – Lower 6

It was scorching hot when the Leos gathered at G33 for a briefing for the school cleaning project. As a way to conserve the beauty and cleanliness of the school, KTJ Leo Club organised a school cleaning project. A series of activities were carried out such as weeding, raking dried leaves and watering the thirsty plants. We were divided into different groups which were led by our board members to clean various compounds in KTJ.

You might probably have noticed groups of students cleaning up the school on Thursday afternoon. Yes, it was us, raking heaps of dried leaves under the blazing sun. We, proud members of Leo, watered the beautiful plants in front of the admin block and weeded at the herbal farm near the pond. It was enlightening to see our members help and encourage each other throughout the program. Sweat trickled down our faces, but this did not stop us from continuing our community services that serve as contributions to our school. After 30 minutes, the weather worsened, strong surges of wind started at us, and droplets of rain began to fall. We sped up and motivated each other to persevere. I felt like with the blessing of God, we managed to clean up the school, and successfully restored the beauty of school environment. We are really proud of our efforts.

It was a fruitful and meaningful day for me as well as the other Leos. Throughout this program, I realized that I took the efforts of the ground staffs for granted as it was not easy to maintain the cleanliness of our school. Ten of us spent 45 minutes to remove the dried leaves from the basketball court alone. Imagine how long it would take for one ‘Mak Cik’ to
clean one entire boarding house. A big shout out to all the ground staffs who work very hard to create a comfortable study and living environment for all of us: From the bottom of our hearts, thank you!
Sivasangari's Achievement!

Sivasangari was bestowed the Ahli Semangat Jerai Kedah, ASK medal by the Kedah Sultan on the 3rd of March 2016 in Balai Penghadapan Istana Anak Bukit, Alor Setar, Kedah. This is for her achievement in squash for the state of Kedah.

Golf

Winnie took part in the above mentioned tournament this February in Mission Hills, China. She came in tied for 6th place. This is a very good show from Winnie, considering she is only 14 and this is her 1st appearance playing against competitors who are, on average, two years older than her.

She hit 10 birdies over 3 days but many double bogeys and a triple, spoiled her chance to be in the top 3 position.

She is currently 3 strokes better than Malaysia No. 1 ladies amateur Nur Durriyah Damian. The course layout is tough with lots of water hazards and traps. Well done, Winnie!
The U19 and U15 girls played in a Netball tournament at Epsom on 2nd March evening. The girls played really well and had a wonderful time. Please see the results below:

U19 team finished 3rd overall. Won 2, Lost 2.
U15 team finished 3rd overall. Won 1, Lost 3.

Thank you to our staff April and Kelli for taking the teams.

**Rugby**

KTJ Girls' new U15 touch team play their first games! Take a look at their results:

KTJ vs ISKL Bs 1-0. Try from Nana.
KTJ vs ISKL As 2-1. Tries from Nini & Dacie.
KTJ vs Epsom 1-2. Try from Evelyn.

Women of the matches were Evelyn and Nana - well done, ladies.

Our U19 boys beat Epsom 31-12, Tries from Azri Azmi 3, Shaun Lau and Tiong. Min kicked 3 conversions. Man of the Match was Danial Ramlle.

The U15 boys lost to Epsom 29-12 - Tries from Akmal and Rok Chan, one converted by Azim. Man of the Match was Azfar.

The U14s lost to Epsom 24-15, Tries from Farouq, Julian and Isyraf. They lost to ISKL 24-21, Tries from Farouq 2 and Richie, Muiz with 3 conversions. Man of the Match was Farouq.
U13 Boys and Girls KLISS Basketball Finals

Please find below the results from yesterday’s U13 finals. Both teams did well to make it to the finals, demonstrating why basketball is so strong at KTJ. The boys dominated throughout the tournament and are shaping up to be another outstanding team.

Boys results - KLISS CHAMPIONS 2016
KTJ VS TENBY 20-2
Taylor VS KTJ 7-18
KTJ VS HELP 22-9

Girls results - finished 4th out of 8 teams
Vs. ISP: lost 13-10 (after overtime)
Vs. Nexus: lost 14-4
Vs. IGB: Won 15-10

Interhouse Netball 2016 by Jinnue Goh, Irinah House – Lower 6

This term’s Interhouse Netball Competition ended with a bang as the Irinian underdogs (or should I say underDRAGONS) emerged as the champions in both junior and senior tournaments which I bet nobody, not even us, saw coming. The matches were undeniably all very intense with many players once again gaining purple-greenish battle scars on various parts of their body. Not to mention, the collective effort of the rest of the house having sacrificed their vocal chords and once again achieving the forever KTJ sunburnt skin! Finally, all that rush of stealing fruits from the cafeteria, hurriedly scarfing leftover food to make it back home by our lockup time, hot potato drills and endless 6-7 pm practices has all been worthwhile. And as everyone hugged and flung their arms in the air with joy despite the sweat and tears, all that came into their mind was not the joy of winning, but the sense of accomplishment as a team and most of all, house makan!

Our amazing deputy house captain, Janneni in action. The Irinah team giving their absolute best.
The explosion of joy the second the whistle was blown.

The heroines we all know and love of the day.

KTJ Cross Country 2016 by Nur Syazlin – Lower 6

The first interhouse sport of this term is the interhouse cross country competition. This event is unlike any other because this is the only sports event where everyone in the house participates. As the competition drew nearer, our intense training sessions began. Everyone devoted their time and energy to weeks of arduous training. With each training session, not only did our stamina get better, but we gained something even more valuable, the bond amongst us grew even stronger!

On the day of the competition, everyone was feeling excited yet nervous at the same time. Seeing everyone in their bright orange shirts accentuated our desire to put our best foot forward in making Irinah proud! Fuelled with determination, the dynamites tried their best to complete the track within the shortest time that they were capable of. After crossing the finish line, we cheered for our Irinians to complete the race. Our dragon spirit was truly extraordinary that our exhaustion was the last thing on our minds.

We anxiously awaited for the results to be announced. Irinah’s junior girls emerged as champions and the seniors were first runner up! It was a tight competition for the senior category as we lost by only two points! Nevertheless, we are immensely proud of ourselves. Cross-country made us stronger both mentally and physically, but most importantly, it brought us closer together as a house.
Athletics Day 2016 by Chai Eu Ern – Lower 6

In the run-up to the Day

Our athletes went out of their way

To run and jump and build up muscles

In preparation for their tussles

...and this is where the well of my poetry skill runs dry. Moving on...

The weather gods were being cranky these past few weeks, so despite our attempts to squeeze in more training, downpours out of the blue hampered our practice sessions. It was annoying but a little rain wasn’t going to stop us in the grand scheme of things.

On Sports Day, the sky was a sombre bluish-grey, contrasting with the little multi-coloured flags around the tracks. Nonetheless, we went on with our business – crowds shrieked as runners streaked past, a teacher-in-charge hollered through a loudspeaker, while Houseparents and sixth formers frantically search for athletes.

Then it rained.

At first, most of the audience sought cover in the stands, but then more and more people trickled out to cheer for the athletes. The rain on our parade didn’t dampen our crusade! I also spotted Irinians giving encouragement to friends in other houses, despite being “rivals”. A special mention needs to be given to those participating in the long-jump and triple-jump events – it must have been unpleasant to leap into a pit full of soaked sand. I salute them!

In the end, we continued our Irinah legacy by being crowned champions in the senior girls’ category. On the flipside, we came in last for the junior girls’ category due to two of main athletes suffering injuries. However, as our house captain assured us the night before Sports Day, as long as we gave it our all, the results are secondary to our journey together.

Enough mush for now; I’m going to proceed with blowing my trumpet for whatever accomplishments we have, because we have several. A few other achievements are as follows (this list is by no means extensive):

- OVERALL GIRLS’ CHAMPION!
- 8x50m senior girls’ category – 1st place! Our teamwork is on point!
- 8x50m junior girls’ category – 2nd place!
- Moon broke the record for 400m! She is the reason why we have day and night – the sun can never catch the moon. (By the way, when I asked her how many medals she won, she replied only 3. How dare she participate in 3 events and only win all 3 gold medals? Tsk tsk. I’m disappointed. You can do better than that, Munira Mahmud. Should’ve won 4½ medals out of 3, maybe.)

There are many people who contributed a lot to athletics, but I want to give a shout-out to someone who’s too nice to draw attention to her efforts: Kamilia. She greeted me with two bizarre sights on the same day in the week before Sports Day, if I’m not mistaken. First, I saw her sitting on the floor in front of her room surrounded by flecks of damp grass and mud, fitting spikes to multiple pairs of grubby sports shoes without regard to the dirt and stench. Then later I saw her clambering around on the slope outside Ms Angie’s house, trying to place pairs of (washed?) wet shoes in the sunshine so that they’d dry on time because apparently the rays of the sun don’t reach the laundry area downstairs. Kamilia, you are an angel.

A suggestion for next year’s athletics: get the principal to offer a sacrifice to the rain gods to ensure their mercifulness on Sports Day.

P.S.: Happy birthday Grace 😊
Enter my embrace

In action

Have a sane one to help you unsee the previous picture

The strongest of them all
On Thursday 10th March 27 students and 3 staff departed KTJ for Thailand to attend the U13 FOBISIA Games. This year the games were held at St Andrews Green Valley. It was a very busy 3 days of Athletics, Swimming, Basketball and Football Tournaments. The students have given their absolute best on the track, field and court. They demonstrated a high level of sportsmanship and represented KTJ with pride. They made a lot of new friends and had a fantastic time.

A big thank to Mr Davis and Mr Walker for accompanying them on the tournament. Mr Baillie, Mr Maidin, Mr Yang, Mr Wilson, Mr McLaughlin for helping to train them. Thanks to Mr Adam and Miss Cecile for helping to organise the students too.

The results:
Swimming KTJ Team 7th Place
3 medals to Syazmin Shahasir
2nd 50M Backstroke
3rd 50m Backstroke
2nd 50m Freestyle

Football Boys Team 7th Place
Football Girls Team 6th Place
Basketball Girls 4th Place

Athletics Team 6th Place Overall.
Individual medals:
Low Ziyuan 3rd 400m
Tan Hong Sean 3rd 1500m
4x100m relay boys B team 2nd place. Cheng Loong Wong, Idlan Fahmi Bin Muhammad Azmi, Megat Aminurrashid and Tan Hong Sean.
Wong Ren Hong 2nd Shot put B
Fong Yong Bing 2nd Discus A
Ang James 2nd Javelin B
Irfan Bin Mohd Haimuddin 3rd 100m. 3rd High Jump A
Choi Kah Ming 3rd Long Jump B
Biolyni Bujeng 1st Shot put A, 3rd Discus A
Eng Li Loong 3rd Javelin A
Chang Zhi Heng 2nd Discus B competition
Cheng Loong Wong 1st High Jump B. 1st Triple Jump A

Basketball Boys 1st Place
Team: Tan Hong Sean, Adrian Lea, Wong Ren Hong, Low Ziyuan, Idlan Fahmi Bin Muhammad Azmi, Fong Yong Bing, Ang James, Megat Aminurrashid, Chang Zhi Heng, Eng Li Loong, Choi Kah Ming, Cheng Loong Wong, Irfan Bin Mohd Hairmuddin, Agilan Siriganesan, Kelvin Singh.

On 23rd March, our U15 boys and girls were in action. The girls travelled to BSKL and the boys played at Tenby. Both teams displayed some great basketball and demonstrated how strong our basketball is at KTJ. The girls finished 2nd out of 8 teams, and the boys lost in the finals to ISP and also claimed 2nd out of 8. The boys team were certainly the best team in the competition, but they simply ran out energy in the final game, maybe due to the majority of them competing in multiply events in house athletics on the day before.
Overall, it was a good representation as the new comers to KLISS.

**Girls results**
Lost 10-12 against ISP
Won 15-10 against BSKL
Lost 12-16 against HELP

**Boys results**
Won 15-5 against Tenby
Won 24-17 against Taylors
Lost 29-24 against ISP

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**State Cross Country Results**

**Individual Result:**
**Under 18 Girls**
Kamilia (Lower 6) – 10th
Maisey (Lower 6) – 15th

**Under 15 Girls**
Chi Ni (Form 2) – 21st

**Under 12 Girls**
Katiyah (Primary 6) – 15th

**Under 12 Boys**
Ryan (Primary 6) – 10th
Team result
Seremban District came overall 2nd.

**State Basketball Result**
Low Zi Shi (Form 5) – has been selected for state team – champion for Seremban district.

**State Swimming Result**

200m Breastroke girl U18
Bianca Khor Min Jia (Lower 6) - Bronze

100m Freestyle Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Bronze

50m Butterfly Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Silver

100m Backstroke Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Gold

100m Butterfly Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Gold

200m Individual Medley Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Gold

50m Backstroke Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Bronze

100m Breastroke Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Gold

200m Freestyle Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Gold

50m Breastroke Boys U12
Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) - Silver

4 x 100m Medley Relay Girls U18 (Bronze)
1. Lau Xiao Yun (Upper 6) - (Back up)
2. Teh Zi Ern (Form 5)
3. Ashalena (Form 5)
4. Bianca Khor Min Jia (Lower 6)
5. Victoria Ng Joo Ee (Form 5)

4 x 100m Freestyle Girls U18 (Bronze)
1. Lau Xiao Yun (Upper 6) - (Back up)
2. Victoria Ng Joo Ee (Form 5)
3. Ashalena (Form 5)
4. Bianca Khor Min Jia (Form 5)
5. Anura (Form 2)
**Overall MSSNS Aquatic Champion Boys U12 (Gold Trophy) - Kam Zhuo Wei (Form 2) – was selected to represent state to National**

**State Golf Result**

Winnie (Form 2) was the champion in the under 15 girls.
Virshalini (Form 4) came in third in the same category.
Victor (Form 2) came in second.
Izzat (Form 2) came in third in the same group.

All were selected to represent the state in the National MSSM meet in Pahang but sadly non will be going as they were involved in the FOBISIA golf tournament in Staffield Country Resort at the same dates.

**State Squash Result**

Vasudef (Form 3) was the champion for the under 15 boys.
Vasundhra (Form 2) came in third.
Danishwar (Form 1) came in fourth for under 15 boys and Wong Fui Lin (Lower 6) came in third for under 18 girls.
Vasudef (Form 3) and Vasudhra (Form 2) will represent the state in the national MSSM in Penang.

**State Badminton Result**

**Round 1**
1.) Lee Phei Ying (Form 2) & Angela Wong Xiao Tong (Form 2) (U15 Girl Double)  
2.) Priyanka Ann Peira (Lower 6) (U18 Girl Single)  

**Round 2**
1.) Jeff Yew Sze Kiet (Form 1) - U12 Boys Single  
2.) Tang Khai Jun (Form 1) - U12 Boys Single  
3.) Jeff Yew Sze Kiet (Form 1) & Tang Khai Jun (Form 1) (U12 Boys Double)  
4.) Eric Tey Cheng Huan (Form 3) (U15 Boys Single)  
5.) John Yap Jia Chern (Form 4) (U15 Boys Single)  
6.) Huang Jia Wei (Upper 6) (U18 Boy Single)  
7.) Dacie Ang Ziting (Form 3) (U15 Girls Single)  
8.) Ang Jian Wei (Form 2) & Sean Tan Siong Ann (Form 2) (U15 Boy Double)  
9.) Johnny Tang Tien Hong (Form 4) & Julian Teo Maine Junn (Form 4) (U15 Boys Double)  
10.) Lee Phei Ying (Form 2) & Sabrina Lim Hui Li (Lower 6) (U18 Girl Double)  
11.) Erica Evangelia Chua Sze Wei (Form 5) & Young Jing Sean (Form 4) (U18 Girl Double)

**Quarter-Final**
1.) Athan Siah Zen Han (Lower 6) (U18 Boy Single)  
2.) June Ang Zlining (Lower 6) (U18 Girl Single)  
3.) Huang Jia Yi (Form 4) (U15 Girl Single)  
4.) Ryan Quek Chun Yan (Lower 6) & Lim Wen Hau (Upper 6) (U18 Boys Double)  
5.) Athan Siah Zen Han (Lower 6) & Bryant Tee Wei Jiunn (Lower 6) (U18 Boys Double)  
6.) Dacie Ang Ziting (Form 3) & Huang Jia Yi (Form 4) (U15 Girl Double)

**Semi-Final**
1.) Bryant Tee Wei Jiunn (Lower 6) & June Ang Zlining (Lower 6) (U18 Mixed Double)
# District Athletics Meet Result 2016

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*KTJ get 3rd place overall winner for the DISTRICT ATHLETICS MEET 2016.*

**5 Bronze, 3 Silver, 8 Gold**

*New Record for U18 Boys 100m  
Azri Azmi B Zaki (Lower 6) NBK 11.1s*

**Azri (Lower 6) was the best athlete for U18 boys and best sportsman.**

Many were selected to represent the district to state athletics.
Secondary School

Beginning of third term, 10\textsuperscript{th} April

A Levels Examinations, 3\textsuperscript{rd} May to 30\textsuperscript{th} June

IGCSE Examinations, 3\textsuperscript{rd} May to 17\textsuperscript{th} June
## TERM DATES 2016

### TERM 3, 2016

**Sun, 10\(^{th}\) April – Sat, 25\(^{th}\) June (Secondary)**  
**Mon, 11\(^{th}\) April – Fri, 1\(^{st}\) July (Primary)**

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| A level subject choices meeting Parent/Teacher Meeting | Sat, 8\(^{th}\) October  
11:30 am – 12:30 pm  
12:00 pm – 2:30 pm | Classes start at 8 am 30 minute lessons finishing at 11:00 am |
| Mid-Term Break (School Closed) | 1:15 pm Sat 8\(^{th}\) – Sun, 16\(^{th}\) October | Mon, 10\(^{th}\) – Sun, 16\(^{th}\) October |
| Deepavali Break           | 12:45 pm Fri, 28\(^{th}\) – Mon, 31\(^{st}\) October                   | Mon, 31\(^{st}\) October                                              |
| Exeat                     | 3:30 pm Fri, 18\(^{th}\) – Sun, 20\(^{th}\) November                    |                                                                         |
| End of Term               | 12:00 pm Fri, 2\(^{nd}\) December                                       | 12:00 pm, Fri 9\(^{th}\) December                                    |

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Staff return on Thursday, 5th January, 2017  
Boarding students return on Sunday, 8\(^{th}\) January, 2017