VAHEGURU JI KA KHALSA VAHEGURU JI KI FATEH



Hukamnama Sahib

A message for us all to reflect upon, given this morning from the Siri Guru Granth Sahib Ji (Sikh Holy Scriptures) from the holiest of Sikh sites Sri Darbar Sahib Amritsar, Panjab, India (Golden Temple).



SEVAK SEAV KARAHAE SABH THAEREE

"O LORD. ALL THINE SERVANTS, WHO RELISH THE NAME. PERFORM THY SERVICE. HE, WHO EFFACES HIS SELF-CONCEIT FROM WITHIN HIMSELF, BECOMES PURE BY GURU'S GRACE."

SRI GURU GRANTH SAHIB JI - ANG 599

ਧਨਾਸਰੀ ਮਹਲਾ ਪ ॥

Dhanaasaree, Fifth Mehl:

ਜਤਨ ਕਰੈ ਮਾਨੂਖ ਡਹਕਾਵੈ ਓਹੁ ਅੰਤਰਜਾਮੀ ਜਾਨੈ॥

People try to deceive others, but the Inner-knower, the Searcher of hearts, knows everything.

ਪਾਪ ਕਰੇ ਕਰਿ ਮੁਕਰਿ ਪਾਵੈ ਭੇਖ ਕਰੈ ਨਿਰਬਾਨੈ ॥੧॥

They commit sins, and then deny them, while they pretend to be in Nirvaanaa. ||1||

ਜਾਨਤ ਦੂਰਿ ਤੁਮਹਿ ਪ੍ਰਭ ਨੇਰਿ ॥

They believe that You are far away, but You, O God, are near at hand.

ੳਤ ਤਾਕੈ ੳਤ ਤੇ ੳਤ ਪੇਖੈ ਆਵੈ ਲੱਭੀ ਫੇਰਿ ॥ ਰਹਾੳ ॥

Looking around, this way and that, the greedy people come and go. ||Pause||

ਜਬ ਲਗੂ ਤੁਟੈ ਨਾਹੀ ਮਨ ਭਰਮਾ ਤਬ ਲਗੂ ਮੁਕਤੂ ਨ ਕੋਈ ॥

As long as the doubts of the mind are not removed, liberation is not found.

ਕਹੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਦਇਆਲ ਸੁਆਮੀ ਸੰਤੂ ਭਗਤੂ ਜਨੂ ਸੋਈ ॥੨॥੫॥੩੬॥

Says Nanak, he alone is a Saint, a devotee, and a humble servant of the Lord, to whom the Lord and Master is merciful. ||2||5||36||

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SERVICE EXCELLENCE VIRTUES ASPIRATIONS

NEWSLETTER NO: 28

17TH MAY 2024



Principal's Message Mrs. S. Sanghera

At Seva we understand the importance of good health and great learning. This week, our excellent year 6 students and teachers completed SATs, our brilliant year 11 students and teachers continued with GCSE examinations and our wonderful year 4 students presented an assembly full of information about how to stay healthy.

There has been much to celebrate recently at SEVA and we are ever grateful for the support received by you all. We are now at a point where we can see the finish line on phase 2 of our school expansion. Over the next few weeks, we will be packing up crates and boxes and making the BIG move from the MIRI building to the PIRI building. This is a momentous event made possible through the prayers, hard work and team effort by all involved.

To celebrate and share in the pride we all feel in having a new school building to match the outstanding progress achieved at Seva recently, we would like to invite you to an open evening. The students, staff and trustees would be grateful for your company on Friday 21st June, from 3:30pm to 6:30pm at the PIRI building. More details about this will follow.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you all there.



PARENT NOTICES

The Virtue of this half-term is:

RESPECT

Thursday 9th May GCSE Start Date

Friday 24th May

Last Day of Term. Home Learning for all students.

Monday 3rd June

Home Learning for all students. Except those in Year 11 who are sitting an exam.

<u>Tuesday 4th June</u> Speak Out Challenge Finals





SEVA STARS OF THE WEEK





SERVICE

Mr Chahal nominated Alan in year 7 for volunteering and helping the teacher during lessons.

Well Done.



EXCELLENCE

Miss Gabriel nominated Sanmeet in year 10 for the kindness she consistently displays towards members of staff and her peers. Well Done.



VIRTUES

Mrs Mann nominated Angel in year 8 for offering to help others and showing all of the SEVA values all of the time.

Well Done.



ASPIRATIONS

Miss Angulo nominated Sophie in Year 9 for progress and attitude in Spanish lessons always trying her very best. Well Done.





SECONDARY NEWS



The distribution of the Year 11 leavers hoodies last week was a momentous occasion, marking the culmination of months of planning and design. Pupils' excitement and joy was palpable as they received their personalised hoodies, which will serve as a lasting reminder of their time at Seva School. Not only will the hoodies provide a sense of belonging but also serve as a tangible connection to our school community, with the list of names on the back ensuring that no one from their year group will be forgotten.

Mrs M K Gill























SECONDARY NEWS



On Saturday students set out from SEVA early in the morning under the hot sun to start their 6 hour walk as part of their Duke of Edinburgh Expedition Preparation Day, students showcased their resilience and teamwork skills in preparation for their upcoming adventures. Throughout the day, students engaged in various activities that challenged them both mentally and physically, helping them build the necessary skills for a successful expedition.

During navigation exercises, students demonstrated resilience by persevering through challenging terrain and adverse weather conditions. They worked together in teams, relying on effective communication and problem-solving to navigate their way through unfamiliar surroundings.

Additionally, students participated in team-building activities such as rope courses and trust exercises, which required them to trust and support each other. Through these activities, they learned the importance of teamwork and collaboration, understanding that success often depends on the collective effort of the group. SEVA students were great at motivating their peers to continue when the journey became tough.

Overall, the Duke of Edinburgh Expedition Preparation Day provided students with valuable opportunities to develop confidence resilience and teamwork skills that will serve them well during their upcoming expeditions and beyond.

Thank you Mr Subhra, Mr Eastwood, Miss Akhtar and Mr Malhi.













SECONDARY NEWS



Gursahib in Year 9 competed in an amateur boxing bout over the weekend.

Well done to Gursahib and hopefully his journey continues.

Mr T Malhi







KHALSA AID BAKE SALE





CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

We extend a heartfelt THANK YOU to

Seva School, Coventry

for their exceptional fundraising efforts, raising an incredible £125

Your dedication and generosity are deeply appreciated!



Recognise The Whole Human Race as One





HOUSE POINTS SYSTEM & RESULTS



Our School's Mission Statement

"The Truth is High: Higher Still is Truthful Living"
Guru Nanak Dev Ji - Founder of the Sikh faith

Our house points system is aligned to the 3 key principles of the Sikh faith. Each of the houses are also assigned a key figure from Sikh faith history.

Weekly House Points Results from 6th May to 10th May



34675



34869



38110

The house with the most points this week is:

Kirat Karni

CONGRATULATIONS





ATTENDANCE MATTERS





Year 6 SATS

Well done to all the Year 6 pupils for completing their stats this week.

Year 11 GCSE's

There are revision classes put in place for all Year 11s whether in exams or not until 23rd May. Year 11 study leave starts on Friday 24th May.

Workshops

Parents requesting to take holidays during term time will be required to attend a workshop before any request is considered. The workshop will be held once a week on a Wednesday at 3:30pm - 4:30pm. This workshop is to highlight the importance of attendance and the detrimental impact of taking holidays during term time can have on your child's attainment and progress.

Absence

If your child is absent from school due to illness, you must inform the school by 08:30am. You must call and leave a message on the absence line (option 1) or email <u>attendance@seva.coventry.sch.uk</u> clearly stating the pupil's name, year/class and a detailed reason for the absence. Reason of 'not well' is not acceptable.



CELEBRATING BEST ATTENDANCE FOR ALL YEAR GROUPS

6th MAY - 10th MAY

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YEAR	%		
RS	97.5		
1	89.7		
2	99.4		
3	96.6		
4	94.9		
5	99.5		
6	97.0		
7	90.2		
8	95.2		
9	92.3		
10	95.3		
11	93.0		
Weeks Average for Whole School	94.1		



NEW TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT PLAN



Primary Drop Off and Pick Up

- Prop Off
 YR & Y1 only can park in Piri Building (Eden House), they must be then walked round to the rear of the building to their designated drop off.
- V2 to Y6 can use the drop and go, not allowed to park in Piri Building (Eden House) Staff members will be at the drop and go location

- Pick Up

 YR & Y1 only
 can park in Piri Building (Eden House), pupils
 must be collected at the rear of the building from their designated drop off. Y2 & Y6 must park on North View and walk to collect
- child(ren) from collection point at Piri Building (Eden House)

PLEASE NOTE - If you have children in both Primary and Secondary, we encourage you to collect them when the Secondary day ends. When the secondary day ends the sibling in Primary can be collected by parents/carers or their sibling in Secondary.



	NEW DROP OFF ARRANGEMENTS			
I	YEAR	MON to FRI	PARKING LOCATION	
ı	YR-Y1	8.10am - 8.25am	Can park in Piri Building (Eden House) Car Park - must display badge	
ı	Y2-Y6	8.10am - 8.25am	Drop and Go facility in Piri Building (Eden House) Car Park	

	NEW PICK UP ARRANGEMENTS				
	YEAR	MON / WED / FRI	TUES / THURS	PARKING LOCATION	
	YR - Y1	2.55pm		Can park in Piri Building (Eden House) Car Park - must display badge. Collect pupils from the rear of the building as shown on the map.	
n	Y2 - Y6	2.55pm	3.55pm	Must park on North View and walk to collect child(ren)	



Secondary Drop Off and Pick Up

- North View
 Y7 to Y11 must park/drop off on North View
 Pupils must enter the school using the new walkway created at Piri Building (Eden House).

Pick Up

Y7 to Y11 must park on North View and either wait for their child(ren) to walk to the car or collect by walking to the collection point at Piri Building (Eden House).

PLEASE NOTE - If you have children in both Primary and Secondary, we encourage you to collect them when the Secondary day ends. When the secondary day ends the sibling in Primary can be collected by parents/carers or their sibling in Secondary.

NEW DROP OFF ARRANGEMENTS				
YEAR	MON to FRI	PARKING LOCATION		
Y7 - Y11	8.10am - 8.25am	Drop and Go facility in Piri Building (Eden House) Car Park or ensure you park/drop off on North View		

NEW PICK UP ARRANGEMENTS				
YEAR	MON / WED / FRI	TUES / THURS	PARKING LOCATION	
Y7 - Y11	3.15pm	4.15pm	Must park on North View and walk to collect or wait for child(ren)	





Drop Off and Pick Up Locations PIRI BUILDING (EDEN HOUSE) DROP AND GO

COMMUNITY NEWS



May send activities

Ladybug Lodge are incredibly excited to announce a range of activities over the May half term!

All activities must be booked separately

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
27th May	28th May	29th May	30th May	31st May
Spencers Retreat Care Farm	Sensory Stay and Play Sessions	Sensory Stay and Play Sessions & Small group Swimming	Sensory Stay and Play Sessions & Small group Swimming	Sensory Stay and Play Sessions & Small group Swimming
Spencers Retreat, Spencers	Tiverton School, Ashington	Tiverton School, Ashington	Tiverton School, Ashington	Tiverton School, Ashington
Lane, Berkswelll, CV7 7BY	Grove, CV3 4DD	Grove, CV3 400	Grove, CV3 400	Grove, CV3 4DD

Spencers Retreat Care Farm: Meet the animals and enjoy activities at a private farm

Sensory Stay and Play: Messy play, craft, soft play, sensory room and outdoor activities

Swimming: Small group swimming in fully accessible hydrotherapy pool

All activities have availability for Limited Mobility and ages 0 - 18









Advance booking via the website is essential via QR code link or web address below

Stay and Play sessions have a suggested donation of £S Swimming has an upfront donation of £8 The Farm has an upfront donation of £S



Charity Number: 1207790

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COMMUNITY NEWS



SIKH WOMEN'S EXHIBITION, LEICESTERSHIRE

An exhibition by a group of Sikh women has opened at the Bosworth Battlefield Heritage Centre last week. The Leicestershire museum is hosting the display about strong women throughout history until October. Further details can be found using the website links below:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/articles/cn405d7ye7qo.amp

https://www.bosworthbattlefield.org.uk/



The exhibition includes objects which illustrate the lives of the historical females depicted in the timeline





Fundraiser

In Memory Of Mrs Woodward



We need your support! Sunny Singh Heer — a Seva School Trustee, is running not one, not two but THREE half marathons!

Mr Heer is putting himself through the paces to run in memory of our wonderful Mrs Woodward who we sadly lost last year. Every penny he raises will pay for outdoor furniture for our pupils to enjoy throughout their years at Seva School. Mrs Woodward's legacy and love of the outdoors will continue forever as the furniture will hold engraved plaques in her memory.

A message from Mr Heer:

'It's important we remember the special people who come into our children's lives — Mrs Woodward is an important part of our Seva family and I'd appreciate all donations, however big or small, to create this special memorial to remember her by."

Scan to donate



gofundme

Target £2,500

Fundraising Target: £2,500 (raised to date at 10th April £830)

Details of the marathons:

4th February 2024—Warwick Half Marathon (completed in 1 hour 52 minutes)

28th April 2024—Coventry Half Marathon

23rd June 2024—Leamington Spa Half Marathon

You can sponsor Mr Heer by scanning the QR code









ADMISSIONS



Section 48 FAITH INSPECTION ਸੈਕਸ਼ਨ 48 ਵਿਸ਼ਵਾਸ ਨਿਰੀਖਣ OUTSTANDING ਸ਼ਾਨਦਾਰ

PRIMARY ADMISSIONS ਪ੍ਰਾਇਮਰੀ ਦਾਖਲੇ

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Email:

primaryadmissions@coventry.gov.uk

To secure a place in primary for September 2025 apply by

December 2024

SECONDARY ADMISSIONS

ਸੈਕੰਡਰੀ ਦਾਖਲੇ

EMAIL:

secondaryadmissions@coventry.gov.uk

To secure a place in secondary for September 2025 apply by

September 2024





DIETRY INFORMATION





We are a nut, meat, fish egg and gelatine free school.

Please note that items containing these ingredients are not to be brought on school site under any circumstances.

Thank you for your support.

ਅਸੀਂ ਸਾਰੇ ਕਿਸਮ ਦੇ ਨਟਸ, ਮੀਟ, ਮੱਛੀ, ਆਂਡੇ ਅਤੇ ਜਿਲੇਟਿਨ ਮੁਕਤ ਸਕੂਲ ਹਾਂ.

ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਨੋਟ ਕਰੋ ਕਿ ਇਹਨਾਂ ਸਮੱਗਰੀਆਂ ਵਾਲੀਆਂ ਚੀਜ਼ਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਕਿਸੇ ਵੀ ਹਾਲਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਾਈਟ 'ਤੇ ਨਹੀਂ ਲਿਆਂਦਾ ਜਾਣਾ ਚਾਹੀਦਾ।

ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਸਮਰਥਨ ਲਈ ਤੁਹਾਡਾ ਧੰਨਵਾਦ।

Noi sintem o scoala in care carnea, pestele, ouale si gelatina nu au voie sa fie aduse sau consumate in scoala.

Orice produs de mincare care contine aceste ingrediente nu este permis sa fie adus in scoala sub nici o forma.

Multumim pentru ajutor.















UNIFORM MATTERS



Only on the days students have PE can they be in school wearing their school PE kits. This does not include branded wear, hoodies or leggings. In order to maintain the quality of the 3G pitch students using it must wear astro boots, no studs or bladed boots. The astro boots they wear must be black to keep aligned to our PE uniform expectations. The images below show what the astro boots look like as they have a different grip to usual trainers. If students are not wearing these boots and the correct PE uniform they may be asked to sit out or a call may be made to you to drop the correct PE uniform off. The black astro boots are available to buy in most sports wear shops including Sports Direct.





















