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Newsletter (August 2010)

Dates for Your Diary

Enrichment Classes for Form 3 & 5 (SPS)	Thursday 10.06.10 onwards
UPSR Second Trial (SPJ)	Wednesday 25.08.10 – Thursday 26.08.10
PMR/SPM Trial Exams & Second Assessment Test (SPS)	Monday 26.07.2010 Wednesday 28.07.2010 & Mon 16.08.2010 – Tue 24.08.2010
Start of Term 3 (SPS/SPJ/TT)	Monday 16.08.10
Start of Term 1 – 2010/2011 (TIS)	Monday 23.08.10
National Day (TIS/SPS/SPJ/TT)	Tuesday 31.08.10
Hari Raya Puasa Holidays (SPJ/SPS)	Monday 06.09.10 – Sunday 12.09.10
Teacher-Parents Meeting (SPS)	Saturday 25.09.10
PMR Examination (SPS)	Tuesday 05.10.10 – Tuesday 12.10.10
End-of-Year Examination (SPJ)	Monday 25.10.10 – Wednesday 27.10.10
Occasional Holiday Deepavali (TIS/SPS/SPJ/TT)	Thursday 04.11.10
Deepavali (TIS/SPS/SPJ/TT)	Friday 05.11.10
End-of-year Examination (SPS)	Monday 08.11.10 – Wednesday 24.11.10
School Concert (TIS/SPS/SPJ/TT)	Tuesday 23.11.2010
SPM Examination (SPS)	Monday 22.11.10 – Thursday 16.12.10
End of Term 3 (SPS/SPJ/TT)	Friday 26.11.2010

Intensive Classes for UPSR 2010 (SPJ)

Intensive Classes will be conducted for UPSR students during the second term holidays. All Junior 6 students are expected to attend the scheduled intensive classes.

Time-Table for Intensive Classes for UPSR 2010 (SPJ).

Time\Date	11.08.10	12.08.10	13.08.10
8.30 am - 9.30 am	BM	English	Science
9.30 am – 10.30 am	Maths	Science	BM
10.30 am – 10.45 am	Break	Break	Break
10.45 am – 11.45 am	Science	Maths	English
11.45 am – 12.45 pm	English	BM	Maths

Second UPSR Trial 2010(SPJ)

There will be a Second UPSR Trial Examination on the 25th August 2010 and 26th August 2010.

Second UPSR Trial Examination 2010 - Time Table

Date	25 th August 2010 (Wednesday)			
Time	Code	Subject	Duration	Type of question paper
8.00am-8.20am		Briefing by Chief Invigilator		
8.20am – 9.10am	011	Bahasa Malaysia – Pemahaman	50 mins	Multiple Choice Questions
9.25am – 10.40am	012	Bahasa Malaysia – Penulisan	1 hr 15mins	Subjective
11.10am – 12.25pm	018	Science	1 hr 15mins	Multiple Choice and subjective questions
1.30pm – 2.20pm	014/1	English 1	50 mins	Multiple choice Questions
Date	26 th August 2010 (Thursday)			
Time	Code	Subject	Duration	Type of question paper
8.00am-8.20am		Briefing by Chief Invigilator		
8.20am – 9.00am	015/2	Mathematics 2	40 mins	Subjective
9.25am – 10.25am	015/1	Mathematics 1	1 hr	Multiple Choice Questions
11.30am – 12.45pm	014/2	English 2	1 hr 15mins	Subjective

Pupils must assemble by 7.50am before going into the examination hall.

Pupils will be allowed to go home after the last paper of the day.

Lunch will NOT be served on the 26th August 2010 in view of early dismissal.

UPSR Aptitude Test. (SPJ)

As from 2009 students sitting for the UPSR have to take an Aptitude Test.

The aptitude test is a psychometric test to measure the innate, learned and acquired abilities of a student. It is used to identify the potential of students. This will help the students to identify courses that are suitable to be taken by them in future. This would also assist the teachers to recognize the interest, talent and tendency of students under their charge.

The aptitude test has 61 objective questions to be taken in 90 minutes: It would consist of:

Section A : Thinking Skills (20 questions)

Section B : Problem solving and making decision skills

(20 questions)

Section C : Tendency, interest and readiness (21 questions).

Enrichment extra classes (SPS)

After the Term 2 school holidays, all Sri Tenby Senior School Forms 3 & 5 students will be attending Enrichment Extra Classes from 1:50 – 3:00 pm every Thursday and Friday, starting on 19 August 2010. These classes are conducted by the hardworking and dedicated teachers for the purpose of helping students achieve better academic results in PMR / SPM. The students will be drilled with answering the past year examination question papers and additional questions.

Motivation Seminar (SPS)

On 23 July 2010 (Friday) from 2.00 pm to 3.30 pm, a Motivation Training Course was conducted by Mr. Vincent Tung, Senior Administrative Officer of Inti International College Penang for Sri Tenby Senior School Forms 4 & 5 students. The purpose of this course is to generally raise the outlook of Forms 5 & 4 students, to motivate them in all aspects, to achieve better academic performances and to be self disciplined.

PMR Exam Seminar (SPS)

PMR examination seminar was successfully carried out on 16, 17 and 23 July 2010. The seminar was attended by all the Forms 3 students and Form 2 students were also invited to attend the seminar. Teachers from other schools were invited as speakers. They are very experienced and are marking PMR examination papers. The speakers stressed on the techniques in answering the examination questions for the subjects Bahasa Malaysia, Geografi, Sejarah and English Language.



PMR / SPM Trial Exam and Second Assessment Test (SPS)

Forms 3 & 5 students of Sri Tenby Senior School sat for their PMR / SPM trial examinations on 26th – 28th July 2010.

Forms 1, 2 and 4 students will be sitting for the second assessment tests on 16th – 24th August 2010.

Teachers-Meet-Parents Day (SPS)

On the Teachers-Meet-Parents Day 25th September 2010 (Saturday), all parents / guardians are cordially invited to collect their child's / ward's academic progress reports and to meet the teachers.

Teachers will meet the parents / guardians to discuss the academic performance, learning attitude and behaviour of their child / ward.

Co-curricular Participations Results (SPS)

Sri Tenby Senior School's student Delon Koh Ti Ewe of Form 5 Arts took part in the 1st Club Crew Championship for Commonwealth Countries and the 31st Penang International Dragon Boat Festival Invitation Race. These two events were held at the Teluk Bahang dam, Penang on 24 – 25 July 2010. The main organisers of the events were International Dragon Boat Federation and Commonwealth Dragon Boat Federation. Delon took part in the following events and received the following awards.

A. 1st Club Crew Championship for Commonwealth Countries

No.	EVENTS	RESULTS (Placings)
1	Premier Open 200 m	3 rd placing
2	Premier Open 500 m	3 rd placing
3	Premier Open 2000 m	2 nd placing

B. 31st Penang International Dragon Boat Festival Invitation Race

1	Premier Open 200 m	1 st placing
2	Premier Open 500 m	1 st placing
3	Premier Open 2000 m	2 nd placing



Scouts Activities (SPS)

The Scouts 18 GT(N) of Sri Tenby Senior School are having additional activities during weekends to prepare for the cooking competition organised by Sekolah Menengah Methodist Lelaki to be held in September 2010.



Leadership Training for Prefects and Monitors (SPJ)

Leadership training was given to our prefects and monitors. The training was very successful as the participants were made aware of their qualities and self worth and their roles as leaders of the school. In addition they acquired skills on how to be good and assertive communicators. Students on the whole enjoyed the training through the interesting sessions.

Educational tour (SPJ)

Junior 5 and 6 had a educational but fun filled 3days and 2 nights tour to the Cameron Highlands. They not only visited all the interesting places but were given of sessions on “How to be a successful student” and “How to write a journal”.



Briefing at Orang Asli Settlement



MARDI research station



Briefing before jungle walk

New Additions to the school (SPJ)

Please observe the traffic signs around the school compound for the safety of our pupils.



Basketball court

The basketball court is for the use of our pupils. This is another sports activity that we are introducing to the pupils. Please do not park in the basketball court. Thank You for your co-operation.



Visit to the Perak Road Fire Station (TT)

Tenby Kindergarten will be visiting the Penang Fire Station at Perak Road at around 9:00 a.m. on 20.8.10. Please arrive promptly. The school will charter a bus to go to the fire station. We will be back at approximately 11:30 a.m.. The school will be dismissed at 12:30 p.m..

Pick Up-time(TT)

School finishes at 12:30pm. If you are not able to pick up your child after 1:00 p.m., we have a late pick up service. A fee of RM 15 for each 15-minute increment of time will be charged. The latest time to pick up is at 2:00 p.m. Payment for this service will be expected when the child is picked up. You will be asked to initial the time and date of departure.

Graduation Pictures and Gown (TT)

FS3 class will be taking graduation class pictures and individual portrait with cap and gown. The picture package includes a certificate, a 8R individual portrait picture with a wooden frame, 4 passport sized, and a 5R class picture. **The total cost is only RM40. Please turn in the money by August 27, 2010.** *The photographer recommended that our graduate boys wear long sleeve white collar shirt and long dark coloured pants. The graduate girls wear a white collar shirt and short.* **The photo taking day is on the September 3, 2010 at 8:30 a.m..**

FS1 and FS2 Class picture (TT)

FS1 and FS2 students will take the class picture on September 3, 2010. Please come to school on time. Please follow our school dress code. Children must put on the school T-shirt and a pair of navy coloured pants. The class picture cost RM 5. If you would like to purchase the class picture, please send the money to school on August 27, 2010.