Parents' Bulletin
http://www.tenby.edu.my/setia-eco-park/parents-bulletin

Parents' Newsletter
http://www.tenby.edu.my/setia-eco-park/newsletters

PA Blog
tenbysep-pa.blogspot.com.

Useful Links
http://www.tes.co.uk/article.aspx?storycode=340908
A nice article about education being a family affair - that students should be involved in conversations about their learning

http://www.tes.co.uk/article.aspx?storycode=2651278
BLP and getting students to challenge things more

http://www.tes.co.uk/article.aspx?storycode=6167534
Flexing your learning muscles

http://www.gse.harvard.edu/news-impact/2012/01/are-you-down-with-or-done-with-homework/
Homework and the Cold War

http://www.buildinglearningpower.co.uk/blp/What_is_BLP.html
Building Learning Power

Whole School

Fixtures (subject to change)

- 23.11.13 - U15 Boys & Girls ISAKL Football @ REAL Shah Alam
- 25.11.13 - U15 Boys & O15 Girls ISAC Basketball @ MKIS
- 26.11.13 - O15 Boys & Girls, U15 Boys Touch rugby v ISKL @ TIS - new event
- 27.11.13 - U13 & U15 Boys & Girls Badminton @ NIS
- 27.11.13 - O15 Boys Football @ NIS - NEW EVENT
- 28.11.13 - O15 Boys & Girls ISAC Basketball @ TIS v AISM
- 28.11.13 - U13 Boys & Girls Football@ TIS v AISM
- 30.11.13 - KLISS Primary Swim Meet @ 08:00hrs – 13:00hrs. Venue: Tenby Swimming Pool
- 30.11.13 - ISAKL Cross Country @ REAL
- 01.12.13 - U18 Netball Tournament @ AISM - NEW EVENT
- 03.12.13 - U13 Boys & Girls Football @ AISM
- 07.12.13 - ISAC Swim Meet run by MKIS. Venue: Pusat Akuatik Darul Ehsan (PADE), Shah Alam. Primary 07:30hrs – 12:30hrs & Secondary 11:30hrs – 17:00hrs

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- 09.01.14 - O15 Boys & Girls, U15 Boys ISAC Basketball @ TIS v ISKL
- 11.01.14 - Tennis @ ISKL - Team TBC
- 13.01.14 - O15& U15 Boys ISAC Basketball @ ISKL v ISKL & NIS
- 15.01.14 - O15 Girls & U15 Boys ISAC Basketball v GIS @ TIS

We would like to invite parents to come and support these fixtures.

Tenby Eagles
What an incredibly busy term Tenby Eagles have had!! 94 fixtures in total for our teams this term alone, with some fantastic results, many medals and loads and loads of improvements made. As always a huge, huge thank you to the coaches who put in so much time and effort to provide the pupils with so many opportunities.
Senior Sports Day 2014 (Mr. Elliott)
Please be advised that Senior Sports Day 2014 has been booked for Thursday 16th January, 2014 at Kelana Jaya Stadium. It is important to note that pupils must make their own way to and from the stadium on the day, arriving at 07:30hrs and picked up by 15:00hrs. All pupils are expected to attend for the whole day, any pupils who are unable to participate for medical reasons must inform Mr. Elliott in writing in advance of this date; they are still expected to be present on the day.

Please remind your son/daughter to bring a refillable water bottle, lunch and snacks, a cap and sunscreen. Pupils must wear their full PE kit and be in their house colours (no Tenby Eagles jerseys may be worn). Food and drink will be available for purchase at the venue so pupils may want to bring a small sum of money with them. However, we strongly discourage pupils from bringing large sums of money and expensive electronic items with them. If your son/daughter do choose to bring these items with them, they will be fully responsible for them as the stadium is large and ground staff and cleaners will be present throughout the day.

We thoroughly look forward to another superb day of competition and would love to see as much parental support as possible at the stadium.

Thank you for your continued support of Tenby School’s PE and sport.

Second Booster Double Antigen (Nurse Kam)
For parents of children born in 2007. Kindly return the consent form for the Second Booster Double Antigen (DPT) oral polio vaccine and measles vaccination by Friday 29th November.

Sekolah Sri Tenby (SST)

Year End Arrangements & Orientation
School dismissal on the last day of the term is 12:00hrs.

The 2014 Orientation Day for new students, F1 & F4 students is scheduled for Tuesday 31.12.13 from 09:00hrs – 11:00hrs. Venue: Parents – Auditorium. Students – respective homeroom. Students are expected to come dressed in school uniform.

2014 Class Timetables will be available for current students in the SST Resource Room from Monday 23.12.13. New students and students moving up to Forms 1 & 4 may collect their timetable on the Orientation Day.

2014 Booklists may be collected from the school shop next Monday onwards.

Please be reminded that we have instructed all our students to re-use their 2013 exercise or topic books which still have many pages unused. This is to educate our children to re-cycle. In some subjects, especially Form 4 & 5 Science, these books are not listed in these booklists released in November. This is due to the phasing out of English version of the books. However, we will inform parents to purchase them in mid-January.
**Academic Organisation Folder**
This folder will be given to parents (via students) on Friday 29.11.13. to view your son/daughter’s progress in each subject.

Students may use the content of the folder for their references at home. Empty folder must be returned to the 2014 Homeroom Teachers by **Friday 10\textsuperscript{th} January 2014** for next year’s use.

**Subscription of Bahasa magazines (printed by Dewan Bahasa Pustaka)**
The Bahasa teachers have organized a school wide campaign to improve the usage of the Bahasa language. As part of the campaign students may subscribe the following magazines:
- Dewan Pelajar (Primary 1-6)
- Dewan Siswa (F1-3)
- Dewan Masyarakat (F4 & 5)

Order forms were given out to students much earlier and the closing date for subscription is Friday 29.11.13. The orders will be given to your son/daughter during school term and orders processed during the holidays will be delivered to your home.

**CCAs**
Every child from Std 2 onwards must register for at least one CCA. For Std 1, it is optional for the children to pick only one CCA either on Tuesday or Thursday. Ideally, and expected, for all others it will be two, whereby one must be a Game/Sports and the other a Club/Uniform Unit. This participation and achievement in school CCAs is essential for our Malaysian curriculum as it is an aspect of students’ evaluation for KSSR and KSSM.

Please ensure that your child is registered for CCAs. A valid reason must be provided, in writing, to the Homeroom Teacher (together with CCA Form) if your child is not participating in any CCA.

**Superstar Awards Ceremony**
Parents are invited to this Ceremony where we present awards to our children who have made great achievements in a number of areas such as Reading, Academics, Sports & Games and Outstanding External achievements. Please return reply slips latest by **Monday 25\textsuperscript{th} November**. The details are given below:-

- **Date:** Wednesday 4\textsuperscript{th} December
- **Time:** 09:30hrs – 12:00hrs
- **Venue:** MPH
- **Date for full dress rehearsal:** Monday 2\textsuperscript{nd} December

We are also staging our year end musical drama called ‘Our Toy Story’ which will be presented by Std1-F1.
Tenby International School (TIS)

End of Term: Friday 6th December 12:00noon

**Upcoming Events For Students**
- 29.11.13 – Nursery Exit Point "Animals" Trip
- 29.11.13 – Reception Exit Point "Changes" Trip
- 29.11.13 – Senior Prom 2013

**Upcoming Events For Parents**
- 25.11.13 – Year 10 Sex & Relationships Education (SRE) Workshop @ 09:00hrs
- 27.11.13 – Drama Performance @ 19:00hrs – 20:00hrs in Drama Performance Room
- 28.11.13 – Music Performance @ 19:00hrs – 20:00hrs in MPH
- 05.12.13 – A Christmas Cracker @ 19:00hrs in Auditorium

**Outstanding Cambridge Learners Awards**
Congratulations to the following students who achieved an exceptional results in the IGCSE June 2013:

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**A Cracker of a Christmas**
An exciting array of entertainment is on offer this term to tempt and to challenge.

On Wednesday 27th November join the Drama Department and watch IGCSE students from both Years 10 and 11 as they perform their scripted and devised examination pieces. A rollercoaster of emotions is on show as they present drama to make you laugh and cry. The performance starts at 19:00hrs in the Drama Performance Room.

Thursday 28th November sees the music department scale the musical heights, performing a variety of musical genres which are all part of the diverse music curriculum on offer at Tenby International School. The show starts at 19:00hrs in the MPH.

‘A Christmas Cracker’ is a celebration of Music, Art and Drama. Join us for a joyous evening of festive family fun on Thursday 5th December, 19:00hrs in the Auditorium, with a special guest appearance of a famous seasonal figure. Tickets are available from Music, Art and Drama teachers for RM5.00. All funds raised are to be given to The Philippines Disaster Appeal.