

Messages From The Principal

Dear KCC Families,

What a stunning week it has been at KCC. On Saturday, I had the privilege of attending our very first Grade 12 Graduation which took place at the Marriott Hotel, Al Forsan. The students were exceptional, and the event reflected the values that define KCC, values that I myself have come to be so proud of, as Principal.



The venue also held personal significance for me as I stayed there just under a year ago during my interview process before being the role of Principal. It felt like a true full-circle moment to witness such success in front of me: young people who have overcome challenges, exceeded expectations, and been so well supported by their loving families and dedicated, expert, passionate teachers and support staff.

Thank you to everyone who helped create such a memorable occasion. We wish our graduating cohort every success in their future endeavours and know that their connection to KCC will always remain strong.

This week on campus, we have continued our end-of-year assessments, including G&L assessments too for students across cycles. Assessment is not only an opportunity to validate progress and attainment, but also an important way to inform teaching and learning moving forward. Our students have approached these assessments with maturity and determination, and we are very proud of how well they have engaged with the process.

The Early Years "Hats Off Show" was a delight this week. Our students brought exuberant energy, skill, and positivity to the Black Box each day, making it a truly joyful event. Bravo to all involved, and thank you, as always, to our families for both attending the performances and supporting the children with hat designs and costumes.

Our parent team across all grades works tirelessly throughout the year, and especially during the final weeks of the school year. Thank you to each one of them for their passion, commitment, and care. These events do not simply happen on their own; they become lasting memories for our children because of the thoughtful planning and preparation behind them. We are deeply grateful for the high-quality experiences our parent community create.

At this time of year, we also begin to wish several colleagues well as they embark on new beginnings. We will share more soon about staff departures, as well as the new arrivals who will join KCC's journey in the next stage.

We are very proud of our strong staff retention rates, which help to shape and sustain our culture year after year. Early Years and Primary continue to stand out for their particularly very low turnover, even more so this year, while Secondary remains broadly in line with previous year's figures too with some key additional leadership capacity into roles being added, as we look ahead to next year.

The future is bright, and we look forward to the continued successes ahead, together.

Mr Peter

The KCC CATCH-UP.

Key Dates

June

- 15 Islamic New Year (School closed)
- UPDATE** 16 Grade 5 Parents Meeting (Transition Meeting)
- 16 MYP Science Fair
- 17 EYIKR Hoopoes and EYICS Gazelles Show
- 18 EYIJB Houbara and EYISR Flamingo Show
- 18 AI Parent Workshop
- 19 EYIMD Oryx and EYIND Arabian Wolves Show
- 26 G5 Graduation
- 29 G10 Graduation

SHUS

second hand uniform shop

June Opening Dates

Wednesday 17	7.45 - 8.15 am
Monday 22	2.40-3.10 pm
Wednesday 1 July	7.45 - 8.15 am 2.40 - 3.10 pm

Cash
Only

RAHA PARENT TEAM

Results

Fixtures



Dear Parents,

Please note that the school **will be closed on June 15** in observance of Islamic New Year. Classes will **resume on Tuesday, 16 June 2026**.

We wish all our families a joyful, peaceful, and blessed Islamic New Year.



KCC YEARBOOK 2025-2026

Please note that payment for the yearbook is only accepted through the official payment link below. Cash payments and bank transfers cannot be accepted.

Please complete both steps:

1. Pay at the link here: [Yearbook Payment Link](#)
 - a. Please ensure that **all fields** are completed.
2. Complete our internal (two questions) school form: [KCC Yearbook Payment Confirmation](#)

The payment link will close on Monday, 22nd June.

The expected delivery date is Tuesday, 23rd June.



WHOLE SCHOOL

Provider Pop-Up Event

We are delighted to invite our school community to our Provider Pop-Up Event, taking place in the **school canteen from 2:00pm to 5:00pm** on:

- Tuesday, 23 June 2026
- Wednesday, 24 June 2026
- Thursday, 25 June 2026



A range of our valued partners will be attending:

- External ECP Providers
- School Transport Services
- Magrudy's School Uniform Supplier

This is a great opportunity to meet our providers, ask questions, explore services, and prepare for the upcoming academic year.

We look forward to seeing you there!

ECP End of Year Reminder



Please note that the **final day of all Extra-Curricular Programme (ECPs)** for the 2025–2026 academic year will be **Friday, 19 June 2026**.

We would like to thank all students and families for their participation and support throughout the year and hope everyone has enjoyed their ECP experience.

AI for Parents Workshop

Thursday, 18th June

We warmly invite parents to join us for our upcoming AI for Parents Workshop on **Thursday 18th June from 8:00–9:00am at Knowledge Hub**.

This session will help parents explore AI alongside us and build a shared understanding of its opportunities and challenges.

During this interactive session, we will:

- Explore what AI is (and what it is not)
- Experience some of the AI tools currently used at KCC to support teaching and learning
- Discuss how AI can enhance inquiry, creativity, and personalised learning when used purposefully and ethically
- Conduct a SWOT analysis, examining the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats associated with AI in education
- Consider the benefits, limitations, and safeguards that should guide the use of AI with children
- Share current research and resources related to AI and child development

This will be an interactive conversation, where we gather parents' questions and perspectives to help shape future workshops.

PYP

Grade 5 Parent Meeting (Transition Meeting)

Tuesday, 16th June

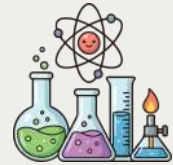
Grade 5 parents are warmly invited to meet with some of our Secondary team to learn more about the transition from PYP to MYP. This informative session will provide an overview of what students and families can expect as they move into the next stage of their learning journey, as well as an opportunity to ask questions.

Tuesday, 16th June | 5:00pm | KCC Black Box

MYP

MYP Science Fair

Tuesday, 16th June

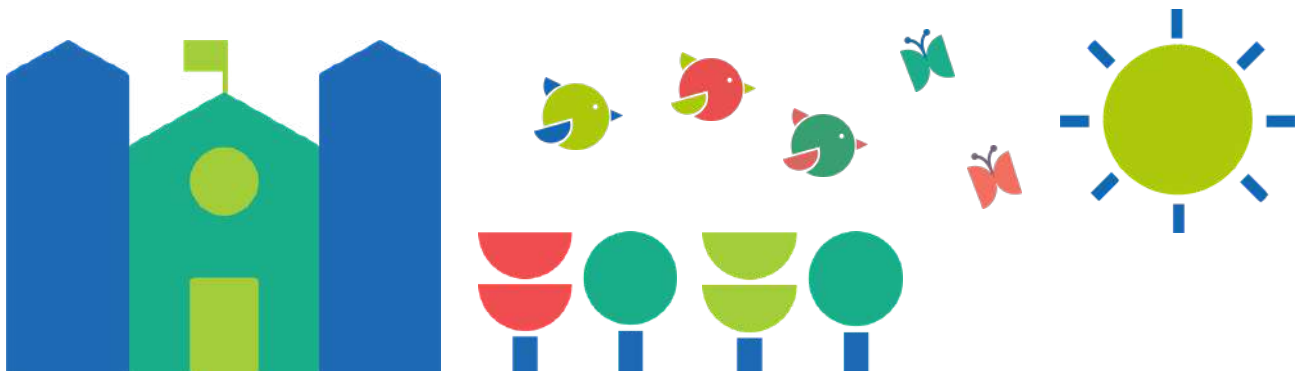


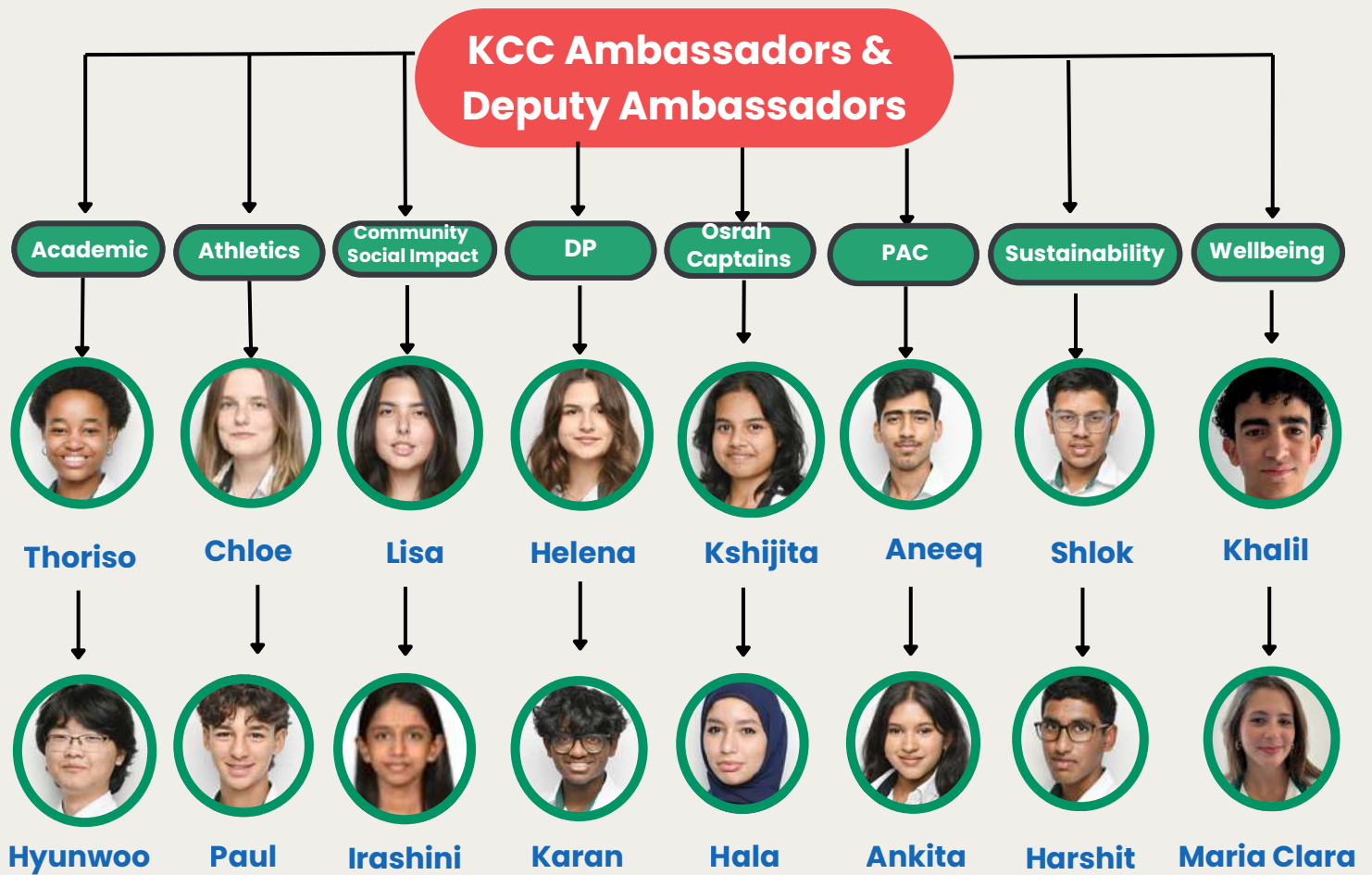
We are excited to invite everyone to the Science Fair, taking place on **16 June from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM in the Second floor.**

With over 40 participants, the event will showcase a variety of exciting projects, including research papers, innovative models, unique science experiments, and more. It is a wonderful opportunity to see the curiosity, creativity, and critical thinking our students bring to their learning at KCC, as well as their passion for exploring the world of science.

The Science Fair is not only a celebration of scientific learning, but also a chance for students to share their ideas, explain their thinking, and take pride in their work.

We warmly welcome all students, staff, and families to join us in supporting our young scientists and celebrating their achievements together.





KCC Ambassadors: Student Leadership in Action

This year marked an exciting milestone for Raha KCC with the launch of our first-ever KCC Ambassadors programme. Through leadership training in areas such as collaboration, communication, meeting management, and event planning, our Ambassadors have developed the skills and confidence needed to lead effectively and represent their peers.

Despite seven weeks of distance learning, the Ambassadors demonstrated resilience and commitment, leading student committees and ensuring student voice remained at the heart of school improvement. They have also supported assemblies, school events, and daily school life, serving as positive role models throughout the community.

Their contributions have already made a meaningful impact, helping to shape initiatives such as the school's Report & Support system and strengthening our commitment to student wellbeing and agency.

We are incredibly proud of their achievements this year and look forward to their continued positive impact on our school community.

Ramadan Caring Boxes

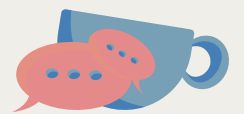
Thank you to the KCC community for your generosity and support of our Ramadan Caring Box Campaign.

Despite some disruptions, we were still able to collect 50 boxes for our maintenance, facilities, security, nursing, and Food Nation teams. Our Grade 5 student leaders helped distribute the boxes, supported by parents who assisted with packaging and collection.

Thank you to everyone who donated. We look forward to continuing this initiative next year.



Parent Team Coffee Morning





FIRST EVER

MYP Science Exhibition at KCC!

Come Join Us

ON TUESDAY, 16TH OF JUNE 2026

LOCATION: 2ND FLOOR HALLWAY

FROM INNOVATIVE MODELS, UNIQUE SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS TO RESEARCH PAPERS! ARE YOU READY TO HAVE SOME EXCITING DISCUSSIONS?

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Training Camp

6 July - 28 Aug

Raha International School,
Gardens Campus

The KCC CATCH-UP.

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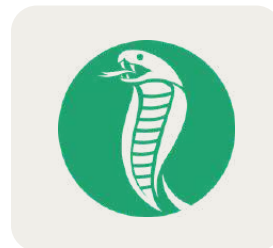
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**Family
Handbook**



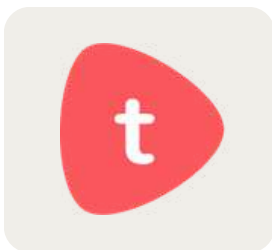
Term Dates



KCC Cobras



**KCC Parent
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Toddler



**KCC
Website**



**Canteen
Menu**



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