#### KAMPALA KINDERGARTEN ASSOCIATION

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

## Re: End of Term II 2024 Circular

Greetings from the Management, Staff and Children of Kampala Kindergarten Association (KKA). We thank the Almighty God for enabling us to safely complete Term II 2024 today, Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2024.

Our dear parents/guardians, we congratulate and thank you for your continued support in all the school programmes. As we break off for the holidays, we wish to communicate the following to you:

## **1.END OF TERM II 2024**

## a. Children's Progress Reports

Every child has been given an End of term II Progress Report. Please study your child's report carefully and if there are any issues of concern, kindly approach the Class Teacher, Deputy Head Teacher or Head Teacher for clarity. In case the teacher has indicated or recommended something in the child's report, we request you to address it for the good of the child.

## b. Holiday Motivation Work

All children have been given Holiday motivation work to help them revise the taught concepts. Please, encourage your child to do the work under the supervision of a responsible person and return it at the beginning of term III 2024 for marking. The Holiday Motivation work includes a project work section which the child has to start at the beginning of the holiday in order to complete it in time. The parent's encouragement and guidance is very vital in this area. The children of blue and green classes have also been given a list of words to read and learn, kindly supervise, encourage and guide them to read them regularly. They will be tested by their teachers at the beginning of Term III.

## c. Children's Files

Your child's paper-work has been filed in his/her file; you may use it for revision purposes. We request the Parents to off load and return the files at the beginning of Term III.

## 2. TERM ACTIVITIES

## a. Class photos

The school took Class photos from 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2024. Every child was expected to take 2 copies (a big one and a small one) for home records at a cost of Ugx 3,500/= only. Those of you who have not yet picked these copies from the teachers, are requested to do so at the beginning of Term III.

## **b.** Education Trips

As a way of exposing children to a wider environment, the school organized Education trips for all the children from 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 as follows: Naro Fish Farm - Kajjansi and Entebbe Meteorological Centre for the Blue Level, UgandaWildlife Education Centre - Entebbe for the Green, Red and Yellow Levels.

In addition to the general trips, different classes conducted trips to different places in the interest of reinforcing the curriculum taught concepts. We thank the KKA drivers who were transporting the children and the teachers who organized and conducted the trips. We also thank parents for the contribution of Ugx 20,000/= towards the entry fees. In a special way, we wish to appreciate Mummy Fernanda and Mummy Okuku who hosted some of the classes. May the good Lord bless them. We believe that the children benefited much from this arrangement.

# c. Open week

The school organized an Open week from Monday 15<sup>th</sup> to Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 with the purpose of giving parents an opportunity of checking on their children's progress. Parents who did not turn up are advised to create some time during the holidays to have a physical interaction with the teachers to discuss the child's progress and forge a way forward for further improvement.

## d. Literacy Week:

The school conducted a Literacy week from 5<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> August 2024, under the theme; "Effective planning Promotes Reading and Writing." This was an extract from the year theme; "Effective Planning leads to Excellence." We

wish to register our sincere appreciation to you for the support which was expressed in your contributions and attending in big numbers. The week had several activities among which was having parents reading stories to children in classes. We thank the parents who were requested and accepted to get involved in the exercise. Our children were very excited about it.

I would like to recognize the classes which emerged the winners of the Literacy Exhibition; Class 3A at the Green Level (overall winner) and class 5B at the Blue level (1<sup>st</sup> runners up). We thank the teachers, children and support staff for their tireless and selfless effort towards the success of the event.

#### 3. GENERAL ISSUES

#### a. Children's Health

There has been rampant cough and colds that resulted into high temperatures among children. This brought about irregular attendance of school by children, we thank the parents who have been co-operative whenever called upon to pick their sick children for further treatment.

## b. School Fees

The school dues have remained the same; Normal Programme (half day) **1,062,500/=**, Day Care Programme (full day) **1,342,500/=** All school dues are paid in the bank before the beginning of the term. No child will be allowed in class before full payment of fees is made. Please be informed that you can only pay cash for the following: club, lunch, late pick-up, extra uniforms and diaries, for which you have to get a receipt. Post-dated cheques are not accepted by the school any more.

## c. School Transport Scheme

Parents with children on the Transport scheme are requested to pay the term's charges before the service is delivered. There are 58 school days in term III 2024. The money has been calculated and indicated on the bank slip.

## d. Admissions for 2024 & 2025

We wish to inform you that we are still enrolling children for the academic year 2024 in all classes. We also call upon Parents who wish to enroll their children with us for the academic year 2025 to pick, fill and return the application forms before the end of September 2024. The interviews will take place in October 2024. Please inform relatives and friends who have children of nursery school going age.

## e. P.1 Admissions for 2025

The Parents of the Blue Level whose children are ready for P.1 are reminded to visit the primary schools of their choice and apply for P.1 admissions.

## f. Day Care Class:

In addition to Class 1D, Kampala Kindregarten Association is running a Day Care Class in the name of **TOTS' Palace** for the children from 3 months to 2 years. Interested parents are requested to come and pick forms from the front desk.

## g. Amazon Club:

As usual, the club will be operating during the holidays from Monday to Friday starting on Monday August 26, 2024 from 9:00am to 4:00pm, for all levels (Yellow, Red, Green, Blue and the Alumni/siblings who are below 12 yrs of age). This club has two programmes namely:

- 1. Half day (9:00am -12:30pm) at **Ugx120,000**/= (includes a break meal but no lunch).
- 2. Full day (9:00am 4:00pm) at Ugx 160,000/= (includes break and lunch meals).

Children in this club who will require assistance with their Holiday work, shall be requested to pay an extra fee of Ugx 20,000/= for the KKA children and Ugx 50,000/= for the non- KKA children. However, the Saturday swimming lesson is still available at UGX 5,000/= from 10:00am to 12:00pm. Interested parents are called upon to register at the front desk. For further details, please contact the Patron/Instructor on 0700678627 /0789815254 / 0708069448 or the HM & DHM on Tel. No. 0754087386/0782038900 or the Bursar on Tel. No. 0702129916.

## h. KKA Alumni Association

In our struggle to strengthen and develop the school further, we are starting the KKA Alumni Association. You are therefore requested to join us in the mobilization of all old boys and girls of 18 years and above to register with the school through our website, email and whatsapp 0700678627/0754087386/0702129916 or physically come to the school front desk and register.

# i. KKA Kids Boom Camp:

KKA is devoted to take lead in the nurturing of children and equipping them with key skills that will help them to live responsibly and independently in the ever changing society. The school is therefore organizing to host a one week skills training program which we have termed as '**KKA Kids Boom Camp'** for the children between 3-12 years. All children within the stipulated age will be allowed to participate at a fee of Ugx 370,000/= per child (Boarding) and Ugx 250,000/= per child. Please register now.

"We hold the future"

Nanyanzi Lucy Head Teacher