

Weekly Newsletter No. 37 8th July 2021

We are a nut free school!

No nuts in any snacks or packed lunches please



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Dear Parent/Carer,

Coronavirus update—We currently have 1 pupil in the year 5/6 class who has had a positive home test and is awaiting the results of a PCR. If positive, we will unfortunately have to close that bubble and the children and staff isolate. The child also uses the school bus so all children who use the bus will also have to isolate. Parents of affected children have been informed and will be kept up to date. Please continue to follow the latest government guidance.

It was lovely to see the parents of next year's **Reception class** on the Zoom meetings on Monday. I hope those that joined in found the meetings useful. If you weren't able to make the meeting, please contact school to arrange a phone call. We do have a few spaces in the Reception class for September if you know anyone who might be interested.

Due to health issues (not COVID), Miss Dunbar will unfortunately not be returning to school this term. Mrs Bennett has resumed her role as Reception class teacher with Mrs Mort supporting at times to prepare the children for transition to year 1.

The KS2 art exhibition was fantastic! All children have worked incredibly hard—please have a look at their creations which will soon be on the school website on the Gallery tab.

Thomas Atkin in year 6, very sadly lost his grandad recently due to cancer. The family are doing the Jog 31 Miles in July Challenge to raise funds for **Cancer Research UK**. If you would like to contribute please look up the fundraising page on Facebook 'Rachelle's fundraiser for Cancer Research UK.' Donations can also be brought into school in named envelopes and Mrs Atkin will add the donations to the fundraising page.

School reports will be sent home on Friday 16th July. If you would like to discuss the contents of the report then please email askwith@ycatschools.co.uk to arrange a phone call with your child's teacher.

Please see attached a flier from our tennis coach about **tennis equipment** that can be purchased. If you wish to buy tennis equipment, please place your order by Friday 16th July at the latest. Equipment will then be delivered to school the following Tuesday.

Yours faithfully, Mrs E Nayler, Headteacher

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS—To comply with our risk assessment, children continue to be kept in 'infant' and 'junior' bubbles.

Please note Monday = Sports club for years R, 1 and 2 only

After school club on other days is craft and puzzles.

PTA NEWS—The next **Bags2School** date is Wednesday 14th July. Bags were sent home this week. Please leave items in bags outside the village hall by 9am on Wednesday 14th July. Please follow the guidance on the bag about what can / cannot be donated. **Thank you!**

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