



COVID-19 UPDATE

Schools are encouraged to take the decision to reopen to more pupils from 22 June if deemed safe to do so.

Edwina Grant OBE wrote to us on Monday to let us know that our Director of Public Health has reviewed his guidance that schools should not welcome more pupils and has determined that it should not change.

That means Dr Sakthi Karunanithi is advising that schools should continue to delay reopening to, Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 pupils, along with the scheduled plans for year 10 pupils in secondary schools. It is still the case that he believes two of the five government tests are not being met in the county.

We await further updates.

TEMPERATURE CHECKING

We have been temperature checking on entry to school. We had a giggle with our new thermometers, whilst recognising the importance of identifying symptoms of COVID-19. The children (and the staff) were wonderful. I think Mrs Longhorn and Mrs Sharples rather liked their new look!

We really hope to see you all again soon. A school is just not a school with it's heart missing. The children are what keep the building and the atmosphere alive. It's very quiet.



NOTE TO PARENTS

Again, we are thinking of you all, in these very difficult times. The staff at Caton St Paul's have found it incredibly hard too, as we miss the children and families. I must be share, that we had all been looking forward to returning to school, since it was announced back in May, SLT and governors have worked hard on risk assessments, reviewing systems; plans and organisation.

But alas, it was not to be.

Please be rest assured we are working closely with LCC, and hope to be opening very soon. It is likely we will follow the structure we had in place initially. In the first instance, welcoming EYFS and Year 6 back. We will review the return Year 1, as this by be determined by space and staff. KWC is still available for those critical workers that require childcare.

Please note KWC is NOT school, and we are not required to provide a full education. Wherever possible, staff in KWC will support and plan for children's learning.

As we prepare for wider school opening - hopefully on the 22 June...

Miss Sanderson and Miss Turner have been having a 'shimmy' on the cat walk. Thankyou to local lady Julie Hicks for kindly making and donating our new tunics. We love them!





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One family, belonging, believing and learning together.

Romans 12v5 'So in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others'.

WELL DONE EVERYONE

Many of you have had new teachers this week! You have adjusted amazingly well to the change. To all parents too. It must be difficult keeping up with daily/weekly updates. We appreciate you.

ZOOM

Don't forget to send your permission slips to Miss Sanderson and class teachers.

ZOOM VIRTUAL WORSHIP ON FRIDAY

Why not join us for virtual family worship on Friday at 2.30pm. Mrs Richardson will send you an invite if you would like to join us. Miss Sanderson will be sharing the word, and celebrating our new VIPs

THANK YOU

Look at our super school - decorated and designed by our PTA and volunteers. Thanks Mrs Pearson and the PTA for raising the money last term. Thanks also to Mrs Assitt for your inspiring painting, your talent and your time. It's cheered us up no end in school.





CHARITY BIKE RIDE

Well done to Lucy and Isabel on their sponsored bike ride.

On 25 May, Lucy and Isabel Leslie completed a 30 mile bike ride to raise funds for NHS Charities. They rode from Brookhouse to Sunderland Point, where they couldn't stop for their sandwiches because the tide was coming in. They then rode back to the Millennium Footbridge and set off on the round trip to Glasson Dock. Two extremely tired girls and a very proud Dad arrived home 5 hours after departing, having cycled 31 miles. Total sponsorship of £600 has been passed to NHS Charities.



VIP WINNERS

This week's VIP winners are:-

Glen H - EYFS

Annabelle W - Year 1

Will J – Year 2

Abi T – Year 3

Evie E – Year 4

Finlay W – Year 5

Olivia M and Thomas S – Year 6

All for engaging so well in online learning.

