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## Bubble closure

We were disappointed to get so close to the end of the school year without having to ask children to self-isolate. We would like to thank parents for their patience at this difficult time, especially on Wednesday when we had to let you know at short notice.

Reports from staff have been incredibly positive about the children's home learning – they are pleased with engagement and effort, as well as quality of work.

If there is any help you need with technology, or paper copies of any work, please let us know.

Finally, please remember this is supposed to be self-isolation for children who are close contacts – please see Government guidance regarding self-isolation rules.

## Vacancy

We are currently looking for a cleaner to work flexible hours after school every day. It is 7.5 hours a week and will start on September 1<sup>st</sup>. There is also the possibility of some welfare hours at lunchtime as well. If this is of interest to you, please email [head@stpauls.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:head@stpauls.lancs.sch.uk).

## Newspapers

Amethyst Class would like any newspapers you have spare to use as props in their play. Please bring them to school as soon as possible. Thank you.

## Staffing

Leaving us this term:

**Mrs Burridge:** Mrs Burridge has worked as a TA and WAC club leader for many years at CSP. Her calming influence in school will be missed by all staff and children. She is moving on to train to be a teacher. We are sure she will be a massive success in her new venture and we wish her well.

**Mrs Assitt:** Mrs Assitt has been a creative influence in WAC club for many years. Her artistic talents will be sorely missed (although I'm sure we'll be using these again soon). Good luck in the future, Mrs Assitt.

**Mrs Edwards:** Mrs Edwards joined us a midday cleaner and welfare assistant in September. Since then, she has filled every day with energy and music, even writing and recording our school song. Mrs Edwards leaves us to take a post at the Lancashire music service and we know she will be amazing at this.

**Miss Walsh:** Miss Walsh has taught in Ruby class since November and has had a massive influence on the children in there, helping them settle during a difficult year and ensuring all children have made good progress. Miss Walsh leaves to take up a permanent position at Bolton-le-Sands and we wish her well at this exciting time.



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## Sports Day

We had a wonderful sports day on Tuesday – the sun shone and so did the children.

It was brilliant to see all the children taking part in races as well as jumping and throwing events. Children took part with smiles on their faces but also with a competitive streak. The bubble relays, with everyone out on the field cheering them on, were a sight to behold.

Well done to Charlie B and Emma D who won our sportsmanship awards – you were fantastic.

Congratulations to Artlebeck who were our overall winners.

Massive thanks to the PTA who provided ice-lollies to all children (and staff) who took part.

## Parental communication

Reports are scheduled to be sent home on Monday 12 July. If you need to request an additional copy of these to be emailed to you (split family etc.), please inform [bursar@stpauls.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:bursar@stpauls.lancs.sch.uk).

This is on top of the half-term reports that have been sent home this year, and two parents evenings. We are pleased we have been able to communicate so effectively with parents in this difficult year.

Please be aware that teachers have a personal life as well! Try and keep to working hours (8:30am – 5:30pm) if sending emails to teachers. Thank you.

## VIPs

A massive CSP well done to all our super VIPs this week.

Diamond – All Diamond Class for their impeccable behaviour when on our school trip!

Ruby – Neve for being an excellent sportsperson on sports day and always with her positive attitude, determination and encouragement for others.

Topaz – Hannah for writing a fantastic recount of sports day. It featured adjectives, paragraphs and beautiful joins. Well done!

Emerald – Harry for a massive improvement in attitude and to handwriting. Harry isn't keen on English!!

Sapphire – Jayden for working really hard in every subject this week and having excellent sportsmanship on sports day. Well done!

Amethyst – Skye for being a mature and considerate member of Amethyst class – thank you.

Please can all VIP T-shirts be returned on Friday morning so they can be washed and handed out the following Friday. Thank you.

## Robin Wood

Year 6 are going to Robin Wood on Wednesday. We look forward to having a wonderful time with them, as we did with the Y5 children at Coniston. Please think about your contacts over the next few days to ensure we can get to Wednesday without closing this bubble.