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CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



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**Newsletter No 35**

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**Dear Parents and Carers,**

I hope that you have had a lovely week.

Most of our classes had their sports events this week. These were really fun events which the children thoroughly enjoyed. We also had a barbecue style lunch on Tuesday.

**Raised Bed Building appeal**

We had a great response and our wonderful parents and carers created lots of raised beds for our new garden. We were also able to put some in Early Years area and outside year 2. Thank you so much for donating pallets and for creating the raised beds.

**Reception and Nursery starting school arrangements**

We will not be able to organise any visits this term due to COVID restrictions but are organising a staggered start for pupils in September to ensure that they settle happily in school. You will also be able to visit with them. Early next week, we will send you a letter which will give you specific details for your child. We will also be giving you an information book and forms to return to school.

**COVID Update**

I am sure you are aware that numbers of cases are growing rapidly in the borough and many schools have closed bubbles due to positive cases in school. Thankfully we have not had any positive cases as yet but we are desperately trying to ensure this continues. Only three weeks to go so I am sure that we can get there with your support. We have a higher than usual number of pupils who are unwell at the moment but not with COVID symptoms and none of them have tested positive. To keep our community safe:

- We are continuing all procedures to minimise risk in school.
- We are sending pupils home if they are unwell and we are asking you to keep your child at home if they are unwell.

Please continue to support us:

- Keep your child at home if they are unwell
- Collect your child quickly from school if we call to tell you that they are unwell
- Ensure your child has a PCR test if they have any COVID symptoms

**Notes for your diary**

**20<sup>th</sup> July – International Day – pupils only**

**22<sup>nd</sup> July – Last day of term**

- Remember to wear a face covering when picking up or dropping your child off
- Be patient and ensure you keep an appropriate distance when entering or leaving the school, in the playground or outside the school
- If you are exempt from wearing a face covering – please stay well away from others
- Please ensure that your child does not bring things into school (fidget toys, stationery etc) other than those specified by their class teacher.

### **End of year reports**

We will be sending your child's end of year report home with them on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July. These are very detailed reports but if you still need to discuss any aspect with your child's teacher, you can contact them by email and arrange a call. I am sorry but we cannot hold face to face meetings.

### **Low Traffic Neighbourhood Consultation**

I received the following letter today regarding the LTN. I am aware that this is a very important issue for so many of you as it has such an impact on the local area.

*Dear all,*

*As you may already aware this week we launched the public consultation on the Lewisham and Lee Green LTN. As you'll know the LTN has been in place for nearly a year, and we need to make a decision about its long term future.*

*The consultation material is available on the Council's website at [www.lewisham.gov.uk/ltncconsultation](http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/ltncconsultation), which will also provide a link to an online survey. The closing date for responses is 8<sup>th</sup> August 2021.*

*The consultation responses will form part of a formal review of the original and revised LTN. Decisions about the future of LTN scheme, will also consider data gathered as part of the monitoring of the LTN, will take account of the wider policies and Council objectives and our legal and statutory duties. We would very much like your feedback in regard to this scheme so that your views can be taken into account when deciding the next steps for the scheme. It would also be helpful if you could raise awareness of this consultation through your communication channels.*

*I hope that you will be able to respond.*

*Kind regards,*

**Louise McBride**

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Have a really lovely weekend.

Margaret Hanrahan