



# ST. CUTHBERT MAYNE SCHOOL

*Growing together in love and learning as followers of Jesus*



## Newsletter 38 27<sup>th</sup> June 2020



Dear Parents,

There has been a new buzz around school this week with the Year 3s in. This was the first week of running six bubbles and all has worked well despite one possible case of Covid19 giving us the chance to test out the procedures. I can confirm that the child involved (in 6MLK Bubble 2), along with the whole family, has been tested and all tests were negative. I am sure this is a relief to all concerned. Had this not been the case, the relevant bubbles would have had to be closed and affected families and staff self-isolate.

We were also able to welcome some of September's Year 3s on Wednesday and they were able to spend time in their new classroom with their new teachers. The other halves of the classes will come in this Wednesday. It was lovely to meet them and hope this will help them look forward to joining us in September. We were able to put out our stock of second hand uniform for parents to pick up. A donation box is put out so no money needs to be handled. If any current parent wishes to pick up any items they will be available in the playground (along our one way system) between 2.30 and 3.15 on Wednesday should you wish to come along.

This coming week we are excited to be welcoming back Year 4. Please do try to follow the drop off and pick up times as this has worked well this week and supported any over-crowding. I have put the timetable at the end of the newsletter as a reminder. Please ensure your child has a named water bottle with them. **Please read the guidance that was sent out and is available on the website in a new place: Parent Information / Covid-19 Updates**

Year 5 parents will have received the Bubble allocation for the following week (July 6) and additional information will be sent out soon and put on the website. Bubble 1 will be in on Monday and Tuesday; Bubble 2 on Thursday and Friday. There will be no Year 6 timetabled this week.

Learning blogs are continuing for all classes throughout this time. I hope they are providing structure and routine for children and keeping their learning active. No formal assessments will be made this term with all children's learning being re-assessed when we are all back together in the Autumn Term. The blogs will be ending on July 16<sup>th</sup> when everyone can have a break and a proper "holiday".

### House Points and Fitter Future

Some outstanding House Points from Year 3 were counted this week and it has given us a new overall leader – St Martin. Well done to those in St Martin for collecting over 200 points. Also significant this week has been a surge from St Rose. Keep up the good work.

**This week:** St Martin 217, St Rose 196, St Catherine 186, St Dominic 176

**Overall Standing:** St Martin 864, St Catherine, 848, St Dominic 823, St Rose 757.

Last week on Fitter Future, the busiest users were: Freya Rajendram 15, Michal Sojka 5, Fraser Cullen 4, Ryan Sheehy 4 and Adam Bowers 4.

### Community News

It is heartening to hear all of the good things pupils are doing from home to support those in need. Well done to Ryan Sheehy (Year 4) for his involvement in a Sing-a-thon (Sing For Grace) last Saturday. Ryan learnt 7 songs for the event to raise money for 14-year-old Grace who is extremely ill with inoperable brain cancer. Ryan's family has helped raise £1745 so far. The Just Giving page <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/joannesheehy> gives more details.

### Online Safety and Computing news

Please see our Computing newsletter from Mrs Knight (Computing Lead) along with this newsletter. This provides very relevant support to keep your child safe at a time when everyone is increasingly engaged with on-line activity. We are also pleased to be linking up with Google G-Suite from September.

Have a good weekend,

Best wishes

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Head Teacher

### Start and end of day procedures - June 29<sup>th</sup>

<b>Bubble</b>	<b>Start time - Upper playground</b>	<b>End of day time - Upper Playground</b>	<b>Additional</b>
6J Bubbles 1 & 2	8:35	3:05	Please try to arrive and pick up at given times. Enter the playground via the middle gate, wait inside cones and exit outside cones via top gate.
6MLK Bubbles 1 & 2	8:40	3:10	
4J Bubbles 1 & 2	8.45	3:15	
4A Bubbles 1 & 2	8.50	3:20	
Key Worker children	8:30 – 9:00	3:00	

### Timetable – June 29 to July 3

	<b>Mon 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Tues 30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Wed 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Fri 3<sup>rd</sup></b>
<b>Year 4 4 Jemison</b> 8.45 – 3.15	<b>4J Bubble 1</b> Mrs Young Mrs Jacques	<b>4J Bubble 1</b> Mrs Young Mrs Jacques	<b>1 - 2pm Yr2 St Roses</b> Miss Ryan Mrs Jacques	<b>4J Bubble 2</b> Mrs Welch Mrs Jacques	<b>4J Bubble 2</b> Mrs Welch Mrs Jacques
<b>Year 4 4Attenborough</b> 8.50 – 3.20	<b>4A Bubble 1</b> Miss Thompson Miss Nolan	<b>4A Bubble 1</b> Miss Thompson Miss Nolan	<b>1.30 – 2.30 Yr2 St Roses</b> Miss Calloway Mrs Hexter	<b>4A Bubble 2</b> Miss Thompson Miss Nolan	<b>4A Bubble 2</b> Miss Thompson Miss Nolan
<b>Year 6 6 Johnson</b> 8.35 – 3.05	<b>6J Bubble 1</b> Miss Reed Mrs W-Hobbs	<b>6J Bubble 1</b> Miss Reed Mrs W-Hobbs		<b>6J Bubble 2</b> Miss Reed Mrs W-Hobbs	<b>6J Bubble 2</b> Miss Reed Mrs W-Hobbs
<b>Year 6 Martin Luther King</b> 8.40 – 3.10	<b>6MLK Bubble 1</b> Mrs Gallaher Mrs Wiles	<b>6MLK Bubble 1</b> Mrs Gallaher Mrs Wiles		<b>6MLK Bubble 2</b> Mrs Gallaher Mrs Wiles	<b>6MLK Bubble 2</b> Mrs Gallaher Mrs Wiles
<b>Key Worker Bubble 1 &amp; 2</b> 8.30 – 3.00 +	<b>As current weekly timetable</b>				