



CUMBERWORTH FIRST SCHOOL

Newsletter 26th March 2021

Rev'd Canon Joyce Jones

Today we said 'thank you and farewell' to Rev Joyce as she prepares to leave our parish to take up a new post within neighbouring parishes. Until Covid restrictions Joyce had been a regular visitor to school, leading assemblies or just popping in to chat to the children. She was very generous with her time and the children enjoyed seeing her in school. Additionally Joyce has been a valuable member of our Governing Board for the past 4 years. We will miss her very much and presented her with some gifts and cards from children, staff and Governors when she called in to say good-bye this afternoon.

This week's Newsletter has 2 pages and Stars of the Week are on Page 2.

St Nicholas' Award

This term our St Nicholas' Awards go to

Harry I, Maisie, Matilda in Year 3

Evie W & Oscar in Year 2

Congratulations to all of them

Congratulations to

Quinn

on being awarded his
Senior Pupil badge

Easter Holidays

Public Health England has agreed a 6 day window after the final day of teaching in which school leaders are asked to remain contactable so they can assist with Covid tracing where necessary ie in our case until tea time on Thursday 1st April. After this date we should not need to contact parents to advise of the need for children to isolate in respect of a confirmed case in school during the previous week. After we break up any confirmed cases of Covid where symptoms start before 6pm on Sunday 28th March (no matter when the test result is received) MUST be notified by email to the school office as a matter of urgency. Confirmed cases where symptoms have started later than this, or isolation due to contact with someone testing positive, should still be advised by email so that we can monitor the situation and have an indication of any known absences prior to our return on Monday 12th April 2021.

We hope you all have an enjoyable and healthy Easter break.

Covid-19

Thank you all for your continued support in respect of the restrictions and advice regarding Covid-19 relating to school children and our site. It is essential that if a member of your household has symptoms, no matter how mild, and needs a test the entire household isolate until the results are received. Thank you

Year 5 Bikeability

Many of our Yr 5 children will be taking part in Bikeability training on 19th & 20th April. We are sure they will do well and hope they enjoy it.

Joke Book

We have had lots of jokes for Comic Relief and it's taking a little time to get them all typed up and ready to go on the website. However hopefully we won't keep you waiting much longer. Keep an eye out for it in the Newsletter section.

If you wish to make a donation to Comic Relief you can still do so until 31 March on our school ParentPay page: <https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Fc/Default.aspx?shopid=3516>

We will share further details and photos of our 200th Anniversary celebrations and some of our Easter work after the holidays.

★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★ ★

Class Panda

Amelie Bella Charlie
Daisy M George Jessica
Joel Seb

Class Australia

Agnes Arthur Ava Chiara
Evelyn Harry I Harry O
Heidi Lucie Matilda Minnie
Olive Oliver William B

Class Koala

Henry H Horacio
Izabella Macie

Class China

Alex Ava Aysha Caitlin
Devlin Emily M Esme Flynn
Harry Hollie- Mai Holly Isaac
Isobel Millie Paige Toby

We break up for Easter on Friday 26th March and re-open on Monday 12th April.