

25th March 2021

Dear Parents,

There are definite signs of spring in the air and this brings new hope to us all that new beginnings are on the way, both in nature and as we hopefully begin to move through the government's roadmap out of the current restrictions we are living with.

#### **Next week at Marston**

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Mrs Bosley at Long Lane

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> March

Mrs Bosley at Marston

Wednesday 31st March

Mrs Bosley at Marston

Thursday 1st April

Mrs Bosley at Long Lane

<u>PM – Forest School for all children – Please send children with outdoor clothes to change into.</u>

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

School closed for the Easter Holiday

Monday 19th April

School reopens for all children

#### **Red Nose Day**

Thank you to all those who donated so generously to Red Nose Day. At LLPS we raised £49.35 and at MMPS we raised £35, which gives us an amazing total of £84.35!!!

## **Easter Egg Hunt at MMPS**

After School Club on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April will be our traditional Easter Egg Hunt. The hunt will take place between 3:30pm and 5pm at a cost of £5. All children are invited to attend.

The Easter Bunny will be doing it's last shop on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March at 4pm. It will not be possible to book places after this time because there will not be an egg for your child. If your child(ren) would like to attend please contact Mrs Lovett via email, <a href="mailto:mlovett@acornfed.derbyshire.sch.uk">mlovett@acornfed.derbyshire.sch.uk</a>, by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March at 3:30pm.

#### **Breakfast Club and After School Club**

A booking form for BC and ASC will be emailed to parents early next week. Please complete and return the form to the following staff, -

- Mrs Watts (t.watts@acornfed.derbyshire.sch.uk) for LLPS
- Mrs Lovett (mlovett@acornfed.derbyshire.sch.uk) for MMPS



Please remember that bookings for ASC and BC **MUST** be made **IN ADVANCE** except in exceptional circumstances. Thank you.

### **Job Vacancies**

Due to Mrs Pointon's upcoming retirement, we have some vacancies. We have vacancies for, -

- Middday supervisor at MMPS
- Some After School Club and Breakfast Club Play Worker hours at MMPS

We also continue to have a vacancy at LLPS for our ASC.

If you are interested in any of these roles please contact me to discuss them. It is possible for the roles to be shared. The job descriptions for the roles are attached to this email, along with an application form.

# **Contact tracing over the Easter holidays**

During the Easter holidays, schools will again be playing an important role in contact tracing and the national effort to limit the spread of coronavirus (COVID-19). This is a key part of the test and trace process, as schools hold the data about close contacts and pupil contact details.

During the Easter holiday staff, students, parents and carers only need to inform the school of a positive case where they have developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school.

The government does not expect school staff to be available for contact tracing duties beyond the first 6 days of the Easter holidays, at which point all positive cases should be dealt with through NHS Test and Trace. This means that we will not need to remain on-call after Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> April. Up to and including 7<sup>th</sup> April I will check my emails daily between 9am and 9:30am. Please email (t.bosley@acornfed.derbyshire.sch.uk) me if your child develops symptoms and you are going for a test and then met me know the result of the test.

Where pupils or staff test positive for coronavirus (COVID-19) during the holidays, having developed symptoms more than 48 hours since being in an education setting, we are not required to take any action. If this is the case, please follow contact tracing instructions provided by NHS Test and Trace.

### Contact with a positive case during the holiday

Where pupils or students need to self-isolate due to contact with a positive case during the holidays, we do not need to be informed about this until the first day of the Summer term.

Best wishes		
Teresa Bosley		