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Weekly Newsletter – 9th October 2020

Well done Y4 – Class of the Week

As you are aware unfortunately, our Year 4 class 'Bubble' have to self-isolate until the end of next week. We are really missing them as they had made a brilliant start to the term. However, I am very impressed by how hard they have been working at home. They should be very proud of themselves! They are certainly making good use of ClassDojo. A huge thank you to their parents for supporting them with this too!

Year 4 are my 'Class of the Week' for their hard work at school and at home this week.

SumDog

Following the success of the SumDog competition last Summer we have entered our school into the Lancashire competition which started this morning and finishes at 8.00pm next Thursday 15th October. Mrs Eccles has posted a letter about it on ClassDojo and the website. I know that the children were very excited to hear about it and keen to be in the winning class. At the moment we have 4 classes in the top 10 in Lancashire!

Class Dojo

Thank you to all the parents who have downloaded the ClassDojo app – almost 75% of our families have done so already. This enables the class teacher to share messages with individual parents and parents can contact the classteacher. We will also be posting information and letters via this app too. Please contact the office if you need us to re-send the log in details.

Zoom – Coffee and Chat

Don't forget this will take place on Mondays from 2-2.45pm so you can chat to our Learning Mentors and other parents from the comfort of your own home. If you are interested in joining the session please just email: Stacey.crompton@kirkhamwesham.lancs.sch.uk or hayley.pye@kirkhamwesham.lancs.sch.uk or ring the office on 01772 682866 and they can send you the link.

Keeping Gates Clear

Thank you to everyone who is ensuring they remain socially distanced whilst waiting to collect or drop off their child. Please could I ask that you **don't stand waiting in front of any gates or entrances** as parents with prams are struggling to come in whilst keeping a safe distance from others. Thank you for your support with this.

Public Health England have confirmed that Y4 parents may bring their child with them at drop off and collection times if they have no other provision but please could you ensure that they remain next to you at all times and stay socially distanced from others.

Tempest Photographs

These took place today and if your child was in school, you should receive an emailed link from Tempest to view your child's photographs. Please note at no times were the 'bubbles' compromised – in fact it was like a military operation during family photographs. It was lovely to see how caring the siblings were to each other! The photographer will be coming in again on **Thursday 22nd October to complete Y4's and any other children who were absent today. Family photos will also be taken for any children who weren't in school today.**

Finally, as ever, please don't hesitate to get in touch with me by email: head@kirkhamwesham.lancs.sch.uk, via messenger on our school Facebook page or by ringing school.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend Rhiannon Jones

