Friday 19th June 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are so pleased to be extending our opening to year 6 who will be joining the key worker bubbles back in school from Monday 22nd June, in two groups. It will be important that they have the opportunity to prepare for the transition to secondary school and have the chance to reflect on their time at Roose. This decision was made by the governing body last night and has been approved by the County after thorough risk assessing. We have had to put a great deal of provisions in place for this to be able to happen. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our Roose team and staff for their hard work, either in school or at home, via home-learning.

We have also made the difficult decision to not extend our opening further to any other year groups until September. This is because of the restrictions of social distancing and the extra provisions we have put in place. We do not have the staff or space to safely bring back other year groups and we are following advice by government on not using a rota system for children.

We thought it was important to let you know our intentions as some of you may be planning to return to work. Of course, if government or County guidelines and guidance changes, we may have to review this.

Please remember, that if you or your family are struggling during this difficult time, please contact school and we may be able to signpost you for some support. These are difficult times for everyone and we all have good days and bad days. Try to keep yourselves safe, healthy and happy as a priority before doing any home-learning.

Best wishes,

Jenny Redhead

Acting head teacher