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"It is the Lord who goes before you. He will be with you; he will not fail you or forsake you. Do not fear or be dismayed." Deuteronomy 31.8

After School Clubs

Dear Parents,

Due to the recent announcement of a national lockdown starting on Thursday 5th November, it is with sadness that we must suspend all after school clubs until further notice. Many of our clubs are run by outside providers who are now furloughing their staff, thus meaning they are no longer available to run our clubs. In order to maintain year group bubbles and protect our school staff and children, it is not feasible for anyone else to run these clubs. With this in mind we have taken the decision to suspend **all** of the after school clubs. This is the only fair and safe solution.

Once the lockdown is lifted in December, we will reevaluate the situation going forward. No refunds will be given at this time; instead, the credit for the remaining 4 sessions will be carried forward ready for when we can restart the clubs.

We appreciate this is a difficult and challenging time for everyone, the safety of our staff and children is paramount to all that we do.

Thank you for your understanding; we will keep you fully informed.

Yours in faith and partnership

Mrs Louise Bury

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