

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday April 1st 2020

Re: Staffing Update Year I, Netball Success – Year 4,5 and 6, Parent Council – April 8th 9am

Changes to Covid Guidance as of today.

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you're well and have managed to find all the winter coats that you'll have put away last weekend – it's FREEZING isn't it?

As promised, I've got some quick updates for the Parents and Carers in Year I - next week will see the 'full' return of Miss. Cordell to school and therefore hopefully, some return to normality and routines. Thanks you to you all for your support over the last few weeks. The maths packs that were sent home need to be returned please, so that Miss. Cordell is able to ascertain exactly what's been covered and plan her lessons accordingly. She'll be in touch with future work after Easter.

I'm delighted to report that we've had yet more success on the netball courts with Year 5 running out Deans Champions. They join Year 5 and 6 as Champions of their year groups and top the Deans Table. Year 3 also performed well in their fixtures a few weeks ago and the Year 5 and 6 mixed team came an admirable 7th across the whole of Sussex. How about that for sporting prowess? We're absolutely delighted with them all!

Our first Parent Council for a little while takes place at school next Friday April 8^{th} at 9am. Please do join us if you are able. At the moment we have class reps for each Year apart from Year 3 – it



would be great to have someone to represent this class so, if you're interested, please do contact Nessa, our Chair, on <u>nessa.stringer@yahoo.co.uk</u>.

Last, you'll be aware that the guidance around Covid changes from today. From now on, children who test positive for Covid-19 will only need to isolate for 3 days rather than the 5 that we've been used to. Free lateral testing also ends for the majority of us. You'll have seen that as a school, Covid is still very much a factor we continue to deal with. As always, I'll look to keep you updated on staffing implications and arrangements and I thank you wholeheartedly for your continued support. Have a good weekend.

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