



I had thought that I would try to send out a newsletter on a bi-weekly basis but I am failing miserably on the first week!! Despite my idea that it might work, I think I will continue to send a newsletter out on a weekly basis in order to keep you as up to date as I can. It is still vitally important that we remain as cautious and careful as we can in order to limit the possible transmission of COVID-19. We know that Christmas is coming but we want to ensure that school remains open and we want to avoid class bubbles having to work remotely.

### Positive Test Results

- **POSITIVE TEST RESULT during school hours** please inform Mrs Lowry by email ([elowry738@c2kni.net](mailto:elowry738@c2kni.net)) or by phoning school **02893353280**
- **POSITIVE TEST RESULT outside of school hours** please inform Mr Loughins on the new school mobile number **07591559076**.
- Thank you for your ongoing support and I really appreciate parents keeping us up to date regarding any issues relating to COVID-19. Please continue to keep us informed if anyone in your family is affected by COVID-19. All information that we receive is treated in the strictest confidence.

### Key Dates in November & December

Monday 30 November – Anti Bullying Week  
Friday 18 December – Christmas Dinner Day  
Friday 18 December – Christmas Concert & Carol Service Videos on Seesaw  
Tuesday 22 December – Finish for Christmas

### Tanzania Day

A huge thank you to all those parents who have contributed £2. We have raised £764 which allows us to sponsor 16 children. Any additional money raised will be forwarded to Kids4school. If you haven't contributed £2 there is still time to do so. **ALL MONEY MUST BE SENT THROUGH SCHOOL MONEY AND THIS WILL BE THE WAY FORWARD FOR THE FUTURE IN TERMS OF ALL MONEY RECEIVED BY SCHOOL.** If you haven't logged into school money yet, please do so using the welcome message sent out by Mrs Lowry in September. If you can't find the welcome message or you are having any problems, please contact Mrs Lowry.

### School Dinners

Please remember to book for a dinner on the school money system by 11.00pm on the night before your child will be taking a dinner.

Christmas Dinner Day is on Friday 18 December. Again, please book for your child's Christmas dinner on the school money system as early as possible and by **Monday 7 December at the very latest.**

### Open Night

Given COVID-19, DENI have directed schools not to hold Open Nights this year. In lieu of our Open Night we are creating some videos giving a virtual tour in the school, showing a day in the life of the school and then focusing on Nursery & Y1. The videos will be posted on Facebook & the school website. **SOME OF THE VIDEOS WILL BE RECORDED ON FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER AND ALL CHILDREN SHOULD WEAR SCHOOL UNIFORM ON THIS DAY. ONLY MR ADDIS & MS MAGUIRE'S CLASSES SHOULD WEAR PE KIT ON THIS DAY AS THEY WILL BE RECORDED IN PE LESSONS.**

Based on GDPR sheets completed by parents all class teachers are aware of which children will be allowed to be recorded as part of the videos.

**IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING SENDING YOUR CHILD TO NURSERY OR Y1, OR YOU KNOW OF A FRIEND WHO IS CONSIDERING SENDING THEIR CHILD I AM VERY HAPPY TO CHAT TO PARENTS ON THE PHONE. PLEASE CONTACT MRS LOWRY ON 02893353280 OR AT [elowry738@c2kni.net](mailto:elowry738@c2kni.net) IN ORDER TO ARRANGE AN APPOINTMENT TIME.**