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26th June 2020

Good afternoon everyone,

This has been a great week in school welcoming back so many children. We could see the children were nervous at first but all of them are enjoying being in school and the staff have been really pleased to get back to some sort of normality. This newsletter explains how we are hoping to extend our opening to Year 6 depending on the numbers returning in Nursery, Reception and Year 1 and that we have achieved our virtual sports award for the work we have been doing to encourage pupils to stay fit during lockdown. Please read to find out more.

Wider opening of school

We have, this week, welcomed back Nursery, Reception and Year 1 pupils which has been great! I know the children have really enjoyed coming back and have settled into the slightly different routines really well. For the school to be able to open for Year 6 I now need to set a time limit for when you can bring your pupils into school.

From Monday we will not be accepting any additional pupils into Nursery, Reception or Year 1. If you would like your child to return, please ring the office by 12pm tomorrow (Friday 26th June) or email me on ht@canonjohnson.co.uk by 1pm.

When we have confirmed numbers for these year groups we will then hope to open for Year 6 during the final few weeks of term.

Learning packs

The new learning packs will be available from Monday 29th July from the back entrance of school. Please also remember to complete the Pupil Premium form for a free school sweatshirt!

If you have any problems with the work or need more, do not hesitate to use all the online resources we have given out or contact your class teacher using their email address.

Please avoid collecting packs at the start and end of the school day, to avoid congestion.

The email addresses of the staff are below:

Nursery: nursery@canonjohnson.co.uk

Reception: reception@canonjohnson.co.uk

Year 1: year1@canonjohnson.co.uk



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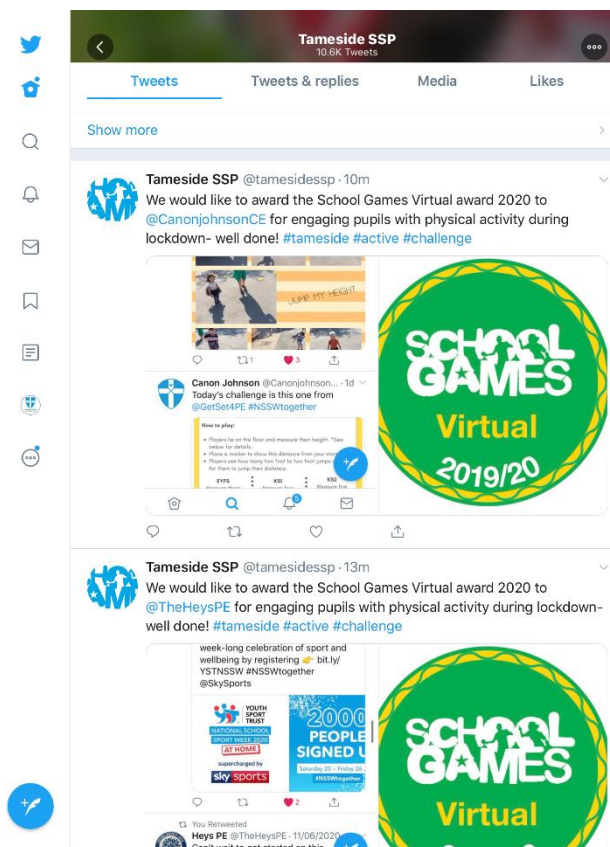
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Virtual School Sports Award

This week we have been awarded the School Sports Award for our efforts in encouraging pupils to keep fit and active during lockdown. Below is the twitter we received with the announcement. Well done to all the pupils and staff for getting fit!



<https://twitter.com/tamesidessp/status/1276097002594590721>



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Free School Meal Delivery boxes

Mrs Chilton and I have been, and will continue to, deliver weekly food boxes for any families that receive Free School Meals. We deliver about 40 each week so if you are eligible please email me on ht@canonjohnson.co.uk to receive a weekly food parcel for your child.

Pupil premium eligibility

Can I say a big thank you to all the parents that have completed and returned their Pupil Premium eligibility form? These have been given out with the learning packs and enable the school to claim money for your child and mean your child can receive a free school meal. As an incentive to complete and return the form we are providing a school sweatshirt for your child ready for September for all forms returned. Please fill them in and drop them off in school.

Further copies will be available with the next learning pack or can be downloaded from our school website.

<https://www.canonjohnson.co.uk/news-1/letters>

Social Distancing guidelines

The final section of this newsletter this week is a plea to all families. I have been given information this week to show that infection rates in Tameside are one of the highest in Greater Manchester and don't seem to be reducing. Please can you follow the social distancing guidance so we can re-open the school and prepare for all pupils to return in September.

Once again, thank you for your patience and support for the staff of the school. Do not hesitate to contact me if you need anything at all on ht@canonjohnson.co.uk and please stay safe.

Have a good weekend

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