



CUDHAM
CE Primary School

NEWSLETTER

16th July 2021

'Together, we Aim, Believe and Achieve'

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Friday, Cudham Family!

It wasn't the week we had hoped it would be when I wrote last week's newsletter. However, I am extremely proud of the England team and Gareth Southgate for the joy they have brought to the nation over the last few weeks. The leadership, teamwork and resilience they have shown has been nothing short of inspirational for all of us, particularly our pupils, and I hope it is something that will stay with the children. I am not ashamed to say that I had tears in my eyes after the match on Sunday – not because we had lost, or even that we had come so close, but for the abuse I knew was coming towards the players who missed their penalties. It is something that nobody should have to endure and we have a responsibility to educate our children to understand that it is not okay.

I cannot believe that next week is the last week of term! It seems to have flown by, despite it bringing challenges we did not expect to face. I continue to be proud of our community for the way we have handled the challenges, supported one another and worked hard to keep our children safe and educated. I am so appreciative of the support you have shown our school over the past year. In some ways it will be good to bring this chapter to a close and I continue to hope and pray that next year we can move forward with something that resembles some form of normality!

Thank you to Mrs McKatherine, who has organised our community event for this evening – I look forward to seeing you on Zoom at 4pm.

Bubbles

Just so you are aware, we will be continuing with our class bubbles for the last week of term. We feel that we have worked hard to keep everyone safe up until now and for the sake of a week, it does not seem logical to change that for the final days of term.

Sports Morning

The video footage is being edited together from Sports Morning and will be published on Cudham YouTube this week. Thank you for your continued patience.

Usborne Sponsored Read

Thank you Miss Yielding for all her work in organising our Sponsored Read event this week. Please do send in the sponsor money next week so we can announce the final collection and the rewards we will receive as a result. The children have really enjoyed reading in different locations around the school!

Last Day of Term

Our last day of term is one week today– Friday 23rd July 2021. We will be finishing at **1:30pm** and our first day back after the summer will be Tuesday 31st August 2021.

The staggered collection time will be in place:

Surnames A-G: 1:30pm

Surnames H- M: 1:15pm

Surnames N-Z: 1:30pm

FOCS

We are so grateful for the continued support of FOCS. Thanks to them your child has been able to enjoy an ice lolly treat on a Friday afternoon on several occasions this term including today! If you are able, please do supporting the charity and spread the word by following the link below.

<https://www.justgiving.com/friendsofcudhamschool>

CUDHAM's GOOD NEWS RAINBOW

Please do continue to share your items of good news over this last half term for our Rainbow by sending your photos, messages and artwork to admin@cudham.bromley.sch.uk - thank you.

God bless,

Mr. Finch