

Newsletter Number 13 – Friday 26th June



As we move to the end of the academic year I wanted to outline to all of our families the arrangements for September and an exciting event that will be taking place before the end of the term.

Thank you

From all of us at Pineham Barns we would like to say thank you to all of our families for your support and energy whilst we have been closed. We have all missed the children and it has been wonderful to see and hear about all of their adventures. Thank you to everyone who sent in videos and photos for our kindness video, it was wonderful to see the children supporting our school values at home. In case you missed it, the video can be found on our Pineham Barns Facebook page.





Staffing News

The team is once again growing and I am delighted to outline the staffing team for next year. To accommodate our growing school, we have appointed two new teachers who will be working alongside the existing team from September, Miss Emma Evans and Miss Georgia Hadley.

Miss Emma Evans is a hugely experienced teacher and has taught extensively across Key Stage One and Early Years and will be joining the Year One team alongside Mr Pender from September.

Miss Georgia Hadley will also be joining us in Year Two alongside Mrs Rogers. Miss Hadley is really looking forward to joining the team and is eager to meet the children and join our growing school.

Mrs Jennie McMenzie will be working in Year Two alongside Miss Hadley as a Teaching Assistant. Mrs McMenzie is a hugely experienced Teaching Assistant who has a keen interest in the outdoors and is looking forward to lots of Welly Walks with the children.

I have no doubt that they will be a huge asset to our growing team and we are very much looking forward to welcoming them aboard. As we move towards the end of the academic year, I have outlined the teaching staff below.

Reception

Mrs Emily Dell and Miss Lucy Randall

Year One

Mr Josh Pender and Miss Emma Evans

Year Two

Mrs Hannah Rogers and Miss Georgia Hadley

Year Three

Miss Amy Latham

Year Four & Five

Mr Peter Fairbrother

Transition will be more challenging this year in the current circumstances, but we have lots planned for the children in Years 1 upwards over Seesaw in the coming weeks to support their transition. Further information will follow regarding this, but I have outlined how the classes will be moving next year below:

Mrs Dell's class will be moving to Miss Evans and Miss Randall's class will become Mr Pender's class in Year One.

For our current Year One, Mrs Rogers' class will be moving to Miss Hadley and Mrs Rogers will be the new class teacher for Mr Pender's class.

A full outline of the staff for September can be found on the document attached to this email.

Virtual Sports Day!

We are very excited to announce that we will be holding our very own Virtual Sports Day on Thursday 9th July. We have been so disappointed by the many events that have had to be unfortunately cancelled during the summer term and Sports Day is one of our favourite. Mr Pender as our Sports Lead, has been busy creating a Sports Day with a difference which involves many familiar faces from the staff team. The virtual sports day trailer is on Seesaw & Tapestry today to build up the children's excitement.

Further information will follow next week, but we hope that all our families will get involved; there is even a special event for Mums and Dads!



Don't forget to visit the school's website pinehambarns.school and Twitter site for more updates.

Have a lovely weekend!