

Cantrell Primary School Newsletter 21st May 2021



ATTENDANCE. Maintaining **96.5%** for the school year so far. We'll have **In It To Win It** prizes at the end of next term. Watch this space for more details!

COLLECTING CHILDREN. Parents, family and friends picking up at the end of the school day. *Please queue and wait* for children to be dismissed by their teacher. If you see your child please do not beckon or call them to leave the school grounds, staff need to ensure children are safe. Thank you for your cooperation.

COUNSELLING SESSIONS. Please note the deadline for new referrals to the counselling service will be **Friday 28th May** to access sessions for this school year. We have limited availability remaining, and sessions will be allocated in order of referral as always. Please ask in school or visit the school website for more information.

INSET DAY. Our final INSET day is on **Monday 7th June** when school will be closed to children. We re-open on Tuesday 8th June.

SICKNESS. If your child has vomiting and/or diarrhoea, in order to reduce the risk of infecting other children and staff, we ask that you keep your child away from school for 48 hours after the symptoms have gone. Public Health England guidelines suggest that during this time children take extra care to wash their hands, particularly after using the toilet. Doctors recommend keeping your child hydrated by drinking plenty of water.

YEAR 6 LEAVERS EVENTS & END OF TERM PLANS. All of the staff are working hard to plan a special and memorable last half term for our brilliant Year 6 pupils before we say goodbye to them in July. Unfortunately, until we have received a clearer indication of how restrictions will ease on the 21st June and what impact this will have on schools, we are unable to make any concrete plans or provide any dates for a leavers' show or party - but we remain hopeful that these will be able to take place in some form. As soon as we are able to confirm any events or dates, we will of course let you know. Thank you, as ever, for your continued support.

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Coronavirus update. Please book in for a test if you, your child or a family member have any of the following symptoms: new, continuous cough; high temperature; loss or change of taste; loss or change of smell. You can book by calling **119** or book via the online government portal <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>. No symptoms? Weekly tests are still available for you. The nearest test centre is at **Ken Martin Leisure Centre** (static portacabin in car park). The centre is run by Nottingham City Council and will encourage people without symptoms of COVID-19 (asymptomatic) to drop in and get a FREE rapid test. Open Mon – Fri 8am to 5pm and Saturday 8:30am – 1pm. People over the age of 18 years old can also pick up testing kits (rapid lateral flow tests) from the site to use at home. Two boxes of seven tests are available to collect per person, or up to four boxes per family. The aim of the Asymptomatic Testing Centre is to help identify and isolate individuals who have COVID-19 but do not have symptoms and may inadvertently be spreading the virus - around 1 in 3 people with COVID-19 don't have any symptoms.

Majestic Sports Holiday Camp at Haydn Primary School, Haydn Road, Sherwood, NG5 2JU. Tuesday 1st, Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd June. 9:00am – 3:30pm, ages 5-11, £12.50 per day. There will be a variety of different sports including football, cricket, dodgeball, rounders and athletics. Daily competitions and prizes to be won! Children will need suitable sports clothing for indoor and outdoor activities, a packed lunch and a water bottle. To book your child's place email majesticportscoaching@gmail.com or visit www.facebook.com/majesticportscoaching. Majestic Sports Camp will be taking all measures to safely follow government guidelines to be Covid safe.

Nottingham Open Tennis. Venus Williams and Johanna Konta lead stellar entry list for Nottingham Open. Sunday 6 - Sunday 13 June at Nottingham Tennis Centre. Ten-time Grand Slam champion Venus Williams heads a strong entry list for this year's Nottingham Open – the first of the returning LTA summer grass court events. Williams is joined by 2017 champion Donna Vekic, two-time finalist Johanna Konta and British No.2 Heather Watson on the entry list. This year's tournament is expected to operate at approximately 25% supporter capacity due to Government rules on social distancing and restrictions on the number of supporters at sporting events. You need to be an LTA Advantage member to book - it's free to sign up. More details here: <https://www.lta.org.uk/major-tennis-events/british-major-events/nottingham-open/tickets/>

FREE courses for Nottingham City parents with children aged up to 11. Upskill your own skills and knowledge to support your children in their learning and development. All courses are small online groups being delivered through Zoom. Each course is over 4 days and only 3 hours per session. Delivered by a fully qualified tutor who is there to help you. Call now to book your place, contact Lindsay on: 07990041108, lindsay@rtse.co.uk. Course dates April - May 2021:

Course	Day	Dates 2021	Time
Developing Maths skills	Friday	June 11 th , 18 th , 25 th , July 9 th	9:30am – 12:30pm
Developing Maths skills	Tuesday	July 6 th , 13 th , 20 th , 27 th	12:30pm – 3:30pm
Developing English reading and Writing Skills	Monday	June 7 th , 14 th , 21 st , 28 th	12:30pm - 3:30pm
Developing English reading and Writing skills	Thursday	July 8 th , 15 th , 22 nd , 29 th	9:30am - 12:30pm
Supporting your child's Speech	Monday	June 7 th , 14 th , 21 st , July 5 th	9:30am - 12:30pm
Supporting your child's Speech	Friday	July 9 th , 16 th , 23 rd , 30 th	12:30pm – 3:30pm
Supporting your child with Phonics	Wednesday	June 9 th , 16 th , 23 rd , July 7 th	9:30am – 12:30pm
Supporting your child with Phonics	Thursday	June 17 th , 24 th , July 8 th , 15 th	9:30am - 12:30pm
Story telling Workshop – Learn fun ways to enhance telling stories	Monday	July 12 th	10am - 12pm
Mindfulness & Wellbeing course	Thursday	June 3 rd , 10 th , 17 th , 24 th	9:30am - 12:30pm
Mindfulness & Wellbeing course	Wednesday	July 7 th , 14 th , 21 st , 28 th	9:30am - 12:30pm
Employability – develop your skills in CV writing, interviews, progression and Managing your finances	Friday	June 4 th , 11 th , 18 th , 25 th	9:30am - 12:30pm
Employability – develop your skills in CV writing, interviews, progression and Managing your finances	Tuesday	July 6 th , 13 th , 20 th , 27 th	9:30am - 12:30pm