



Our children think they have much to be grateful for. We have created Gratitude Trees.

Dear Families,

I hope that you have all been making the most of the sunshine and a little return to normal. Being able to meet others is such a vital part of everyone's well-being.

I am pleased to be able to say that the Local Authority is now happy to support visits and visitors although for now visits would be outside. I have a few irons in the fire and I know that staff have ideas of their own. In addition some of our clubs have been allowed to restart. We hope to follow with others in the not too distant future. Warthill Juniors have been feeling a little Greek this week and I know that that the infants will be a little 'Piratey' soon!

Under normal circumstances, the school is very lucky to welcome members of our governing body into school for monitoring purposes. Currently this isn't possible. Governors are undertaking their monitoring role in a virtual way. They will be talking to staff through TEAMS and will want to talk to groups of pupils. A focused group chat with pupils will also take place over TEAMS. There will be a member of school staff present throughout. The conversation will not be recorded and there will always be more than two children in a group. While this would happen organically in a school visit, I appreciate that it may feel slightly unusual for pupils. Should you NOT want your child including in one of these groups, please make school aware.

Our April birthday party will take place next Friday at 2pm. Birthday children are welcome to spend the day in their party clothes. If this weather continues, we should be able to have our parties outside and so be able to sing and dance!

Please continue to stay safe,

Beverley Pawson

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