

# Wickersley Northfield Primary NEWSLETTER











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## Virtual Parent Consultations

Don't forget that the Arbor sign up system for the virtual parents meetings closes this **Wednesday** 12th May 2021.

If you haven't signed up for a time to talk to your child's teacher, please do it now.



If you are having any problems signing up contact the school admin team who will be happy to assist you.

(Remember there is only one appointment slot available for each child in the class.)

The meetings are being held on **Tuesday 25th May and Thursday 27th May** with Tuesday being the night with the later appointments.

#### **Gold Awards**

A huge WELL DONE to Hallie Cheetham.

and Olivia Bowns





who have both achieved their gold award on Mathletics.

Keep up the fantastic work everyone!

#### **Auntie Sue**

All the children in our school will know that Auntie Sue is our school cook.

It is with great regret that I am informing everyone today that Auntie Sue has made the difficult decision to finally retire and hang up her school apron. We know that this has been a difficult decision and that she will miss the school and all the pupils greatly.

We will all miss Auntie Sue as well!

Auntie Sue has worked at Wickersley Northfield for 28 years and has been the cook since 2000.



Friday and I am sure you would all like to wish her all the best for the future and an extremely happy retirement doing everything that she loves to do.

### Reading

Developing a 'love of reading' is one of the most important ways to support your child's reading skills and also to enable them to do better across all subjects in school.

To promote children's pleasure in reading, we need to read **to** children and **with** them and to **talk** to them about books. These conversations are crucial as they help children to engage and think deeply.

See the attached information for how you can support your children at home.

#### **School Cook**

Dolce, the company who run the school kitchen will have a difficult job finding a dedicated replacement for Auntie Sue.



If you are an experienced cook or know someone who would like to work for Dolce as the cook in our school kitchen, please contact the area manager asap for more details:

suzanne.james@dolce.co.uk

(The position is full time,  $27 \, 1/2$  hours a week on a 38 week contract. The hourly rate is £9.91.)

#### **Beat the Streets**

How many beat the street points have you earnt since it started?

Thank you to all our pupils and school community for walking, running, scooting, cycling or rolling between the beat boxes across Rotherham.



We are still in second place on the overall leadership board for total points which is absolutely fantastic.

The competition is running until **7pm on Wednesday 26th May 2021** so keep up the great work.