



Parent Bulletin Week Commencing 24th January - week B

You may recall back in June that we held a string of fundraising events in support of the Winnie Mabaso Foundation that the PE Dept visited whilst on tour to South Africa in 2019. With the support of the Farmor's Community we raised just over £4,000. The money was put towards a new swimming pool for the girls/ladies and as you can see it has gone down incredibly well. So thanks again to all of you who supported us!



Notices:

- **All years:** Covid-19 vaccinations: The immunisation planning team are currently looking at dates for the 2nd Dose in schools, details to follow. Please click on the link below that will signpost parents to the dates and venues for the walk-in clinics. Parents should be advised that if their child has tested positive for COVID-19 they need to wait 12 weeks before they can have a COVID-19 vaccine. This starts from the date of their positive PCR test. <https://covid19.glos.nhs.uk/vaccinations/#link-dropin> Any enquires please email SAI.Covid@ghc.nhs.uk
- **All years:** While it is legal to purchase an electric scooter, privately owned scooters are restricted for use solely on private land with the permission of the land owner. It is illegal to use a privately owned e-scooter on pavements, cycle paths or roads at present, so students should not be using them to travel to and from school.
- **All years:** This is a plea for donations for our DT department. With the increasing prices of timber at its high, we'd like to ask if anyone has any **natural timbers**, any length or size that you might have in your sheds or garages that you can't make use of anymore, we can even use natural wooden bed slats on the off chance you have any. Any donations can be dropped off with us at the start or end of the school day, our workshop is conveniently next to the main car park. Please email me if you have anything you'd like us to take off your hands and if you are unsure if we can use it msmith@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk. All donations will be gratefully received.
- **Year 7:** A reminder that the 2nd deposit for the Y7 residential is fast approaching. Please pay by the end of January. Thank you. Mrs Bass.
- **Year 11:** Tuesday 25th January - Nasal flu vaccinations.

Safeguarding:

School Nurse: Our school nursing service would like to remind all children that their ChatHealth service is still operating.

The number to text for support is: [07507 333 351](tel:07507333351).

The school nurse, Siobhan Whittingham, will see students on an appointment basis on Mondays, students (or parents) should contact the head of year to refer.

Well Being:

This fantastic website has been created by a practising NHS professional who understands the need to make this available to parents and their children. It gathers all the websites, apps and information about supporting mental health in one place. Hopefully, if you need this, it will help: [here](#)

Mental Health

If there is anything that causes you concern about online safety, please check out this website for advice: [parent info](#) and if you have any safeguarding concerns please contact nsturla@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk

Covid-19:

Covid update letters sent directly via intouch, can be found [here](#).

Remote learning guides for parents and students, including how to use Show My Homework, Teams, and recordings of parent briefings can be found on our website [here](#)

Letters to parents: [here](#)

- No new letters.