



Temple Meadow
Primary School
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4 Community Trust Meeting

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you to those that attended the wraparound care meeting yesterday evening which introduced 4 Community Trust (4CT) to all of you; we had an excellent turn out. I do hope that by the end of the session you were able to solve any concerns or queries you had. I'm sure you found it reassuring to meet the 4CT team and to view their presentation. It seemed the item that provoked the most questions was the operation of the app that supports bookings and communication. Generally, the advice was to ring the 4CT office and they would answer your question and also point you to the location on their website that provides more detail and a demonstration on how to use it.

Some questions were around holiday clubs and Jo explained that these currently operate from their Oldbury site. It sounds as though, where there is demand in the future, other clubs may be set up. I suggest you make you need for this known so that Jo gets a sense of what you and other local schools need.

Someone asked about the staffing model and Jo confirmed it would be the current team that your children are used to. We haven't formally been told as yet, but as soon as that is confirmed we will have all the details of DBS clearances on our SCR (Single Central Record).

It is not long until the new club launches and as a school, we will be working through all the items we need to know and informing 4CT of operational matters at Temple Meadow.

I'm so glad we have managed to bridge the gap between TMKC ceasing trading and an alternative provider being hosted at Temple Meadow; we have worked hard to put this in place. As I said in my previous letter, some schools have very limited wraparound which must be a nightmare for working or studying families. I think Jo and her 4CT team will really benefit you with their in-depth understanding of vouchers; benefits and support to families as government initiatives chop and change.

We are looking forward to working with them and ensuring Temple Meadow families have reliable, safe and effective wraparound care.

Do continue to contact us via our tm.admin@meadow.sandwell.sch.uk if you have any further concerns, compliments or anything else and we will ensure we pass these messages on.

Thank you once again for those that were attendance. The 4CT presentation and the very brief power point I shared on can be found on our school website under our 'About Us' section.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Walsh
Headteacher



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