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Dear Parents & Carers,

Parents Evenings

Huge thanks for a warm and positive Parent's Evening on Tuesday this week! It was good to be able to offer you a hybrid model with an option on Virtual meetings for Wednesday...but not good that some of you had trouble logging on via the SCOPay site.

We do apologise and thank those first two parents in some classes who this affected. It turned out to a combination of your settings at home when engaging with SCOPay prior and some of the settings on a small number of our machines! It was tested out beforehand but clearly we were lucky in who was chosen!!

All sorted now we believe! Phew! Thank you for your patience! I have to say that the large majority of staff were so pleased to have face-to-face meetings again...particularly those who were new to teaching in the last 3 years and haven't experienced that!

Newsletters after Christmas

Please be aware that after Christmas newsletters will go out on Wednesday until we have a new Office Manager (Advert on ETeach). Mrs Brock has kindly said she will oversee this temporarily so Friday Post will become Wednesday Post!! Thank you Mrs Brock!

Vacancy for Office Manager

If you are interested in the role, do let me know...it focuses on Admissions processes and HR skills!

Monday 14th November

Please remember Odd socks day this coming Monday, to launch the start of anti-bullying week.

Lest We Forget

This weekend, our Ambassadors will be representing the school by laying our wreath at the cenotaph opposite Lancaster Hall.

If you and your child would like to join in to represent the school, please do join them - wearing school uniform if possible – Please ask Sarah Long for details of time

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In school today! Year 6 led our Remembrance Collective Worship and every class provided a home-made wreath! Always a moving event and we are always proud to see so many children of all ages wearing poppies in school!

Money struggles?

In these difficult times, where everything is so expensive, many people are struggling to afford to buy healthy food and to heat their homes.

If that's you, do please contact me, in confidence, and I can provide you with Foodbank vouchers and/or Fuel vouchers. I am here to support you in any way I can, so do please get in touch with me on my confidential email if you need to. HSLW@sendcofe.co.uk

And Finally...

Personal thanks from me for the very kind words about my leaving on December 16th at the end of term. I'm totally focussed on getting everything ready to hand over to the Interim HT...But more news of that from our Chair of Governors to come! I was deeply touched by your kindness and am trying not to think about life post-Christmas yet...an exciting challenge but I will miss our lovely community so much!

And to end on a wonderful note....if you didn't catch our Twitter feed...we had great news on Parent's Evening! Raeya Ward, a sister for Aria, was born to David & Hazel Ward on Wednesday...both mum and daughter are doing well and we look forward to meeting them in person soon!



Whatever you are up to this weekend, enjoy!
Take care!

Best wishes
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