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Dear Parents,

Thank you for your patience this week. During this time with coronavirus restrictions, if staff are off sick, I am covering classes as we are reducing the numbers of visitors to the school. This has meant that last week and for maybe the next two weeks, I will be in class every day. I will of course still be there for the rest of the school and for parents but it may just take time to reply to emails or phone calls. I really appreciate your understanding here.

Thank you for your kind donations for Children in Need today. In school we talked about how helping others reminds us of our Christian values and also to be thankful for everything that we have.

Remembrance

Even with the restrictions in place, it was wonderful to take part in a shortened Remembrance service on Wednesday with the rest of the Sheering community. Three children from our KS2 classes presented our poppy wreaths at the Sheering memorial while the rest of the children observed the 2-minute silence, socially distanced, on our playground. I felt very proud that our children have such a good understanding of why we remember the service men and women and these thoughts were reflected in the prayers that they wrote.

Achievement from Home and School

Home: Joshua was very proud of his swimming certificate and badge for passing his Level 3 Learn to Swim award.

School: The following children have all achieved their **Bronze Athletics** award; Poppie, Jacob W, Patrick, Ruby T, Sonny T, Sonny W, Archie, Ryan, Lucy, Danielle, Oliver, Charlie C, Alfie D, Noah D, Elsie Mae, Max, Mitchell, Edith, Alfie, Freya, Lenny, Joshua, Ruby N, Catherine, Isabella O, Jessica and Abigail. Alfie D, Mitchell, Edith, Catherine, Jessica O, Patrick, Ruby T, Sonny T, Poppie and Jacob were presented with their **Silver Athletics** award. Congratulations Edith, Patrick and Jacob W on your **Gold Athletics** award. Our **Super Spellers** this week are Durrington Class with a score of 43,266,236 points.

Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who have demonstrated resilience in maths this week.

Copeland: James always tries hard in maths and is always proud of his achievements.

Durrington: Isabelle has been working hard all week on part and whole numbers.

Fitzwalter: Phoebe has worked independently with subtracting larger numbers.

Quickbury: Isla has demonstrated resilience by persevering with her division work this week.

Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Birthdays

This week we didn't have any birthdays in school but we welcomed two new babies born to the Pinder-Graingers and the Gray family.

Letters/Parentmail Home

Christmas card orders

Learning Hero

My Star of the Week is Aaron for showing resilience and enjoyment in maths.

Diary Dates

Thursday 26th November: 'Flu immunisations

Friday 18th December: End of term

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain