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Week 2 New Menus All clubs will begin next week

Dear Parents and Carers,

At Sheering school this week and for this half term, we have been thinking about kindness and our Christian values of being Inclusive and Respectful to others. I am always so proud to see how well the children care for each other and how they are beginning to think about the wider world through their work in the Eco Church committee and Faith Council.

We received a thank you this week from the St Clare Hospice for the money that was raised before the holidays through the sale of the Christmas toys. During the reflection time in Team Assembly this morning, we spent a little time thinking about the ways in which we can be kind and the effect this can have on other people.

PTFA Aprons

The PTFA are pleased to announce that we have the aprons, with the faces of all our children on, ready to sell in the school office. The prices are £5 for a child's apron and £7 for an adult. All monies raised from the sale of the aprons (and all of our PTFA events) will go towards upgrading the IT equipment in school and the outside classroom which we are hoping will be started this year.

Achievements from Home and School We had much to celebrate in assembly this morning:

Home: Lola, Danielle and Phoebe have worked hard in swimming and were all presented with a Puffin Award and badge; Evie received a Silver Blue Peter badge for writing an amazing poem and a certificate for Level 5 trampolining proficiencey; Charlie also received a Blue Peter badge for his achievements in football; Jacob was presented with a certificate for swimming 10metres and Ruby and Thea both received Level 2 proficiency awards for gymnastics.

School: Well done to the following children for achieving their Bronze Mathletics award: Joshua, Isla, Kenny, Ruby, Kristian, Harry, Ben, Danielle, Hannah, Poppy, Mitchell, Lucy, Ivy, Tristan, Henry, Spencer, Harriet, Molly, Sam, Tilda, Orla, Freya, Archie and Fay. Well done William, Oskar, Henry and Tilda for achieving their Silver Mathletics awards. Congratulations go to Lucy, Orla, Ruby and Emily for achieving their Gold Mathletics awards. The following children have all been using Spellzone to help improve their spelling; Emily, Tate Lucy, Isabella, Ruby, Rachael, Thea, Kristian, Spencer, Tristan, Emily, Charlotte, Orla Evie, Daisy, Joshua, Hadley, Abbie, Jak, Molly, Tom, Harry, Ruby, Maddy, Francesca, Jessica, Luke, Freddie, Sam, Harriet and Issy. Vinnie and Eve were awarded the Bronze Building Learning Power certificates for having more than 10 stamps in their Learning Passports and Freddie, Charlotte and Tilda received certificates for being Lego Engineers! Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week; Tom thanked Kristian for looking after him when he was hurt this week; Sonny thanked Hadley for being a good friend; Mrs Balloqui thanked Jacob for his wonderful 11 page story and Mrs Maris thanked Brody for his hard work and progress this week.

Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: Children who have shown kindness to someone during play time or at lunch time. Copeland: Teagan always shows kindness to others by getting them the help that they need and giving words of comfort. Durrington: Jacob was very kind to one of his friends who had been hurt at playtime. Fitzwalter: Nathan and Sam have shown real kindness this week especially during lunchtimes. Quickbury: Bobby is a great friend and is always tries hard to solve any conflicts that may arise during playtimes. Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

<u>Birthdays</u>

This morning we sang the birthday song to Poppy who is going to be 6 years old on Sunday.

Learning Hero

My Star of the Week is Evie for the kindness that she always shows to everyone and for her hard work at home and at school; You are TERRIFIC!

Letters/Parentmail Home:

Year 6 football tournament

Diary Dates

- Week beginning 8th January Clubs and music lessons begin
- Thursday 8th March: Mothers' Day service in church
- Mothers' Day lunch in school
- Monday 12th February-Friday 16th February: Half term
- Thursday 29th March: Last day of Spring term
- Monday 16th April: Summer term begins

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittaine