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Week 3 Menus
All clubs will begin next week

Dear Parents and Carers,

We began the week by celebrating Martin Luther King Day on Monday. The work that he did for the civil rights movement across the world helped us to think about our Christian values of being Inclusive and Respectful. During Collective Worship, it was lovely to hear the children's comments and reflections on being inclusive and there were many ways in which I saw the children demonstrating these values throughout the week. On Thursday, 6 of our Year 6 boys were the greatest ambassadors for the school when they played in a football tournament against four other local schools. Under the leadership of their captain Alfie, Oliver, Tristan, Bobby, Ben and Tommy worked hard as a team encouraging each other, passing the ball and defending with such determination. They did not once give up but persevered throughout every game even when they were not winning. I was very proud of their behaviour and achievements on the day.

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

Home: Aidan passed his Grade 1 drumming exam; Molly achieved her 25m badge and certificate in swimming and Jacob was named Player of the Week after working well as a team and for scoring the winning goal of the match.

School: Well done to the following children for achieving their **Bronze Athletics** award: Sebbie,, William, Brody, Tommy, Jasper, Hannah, Tilda, Sam, Oliver, Evie, Abigail, Isabella, Luke, Lola, Ruby, Fay, Francesca, Emily, Luke, Sophie, Kenny, Jessica, Jessica, Poppy, Rachael, Ryan, Harriet, Jessica and Ivy. Well done Joshua, Ben, Spencer, Henry, Danielle, Kristian and Mitchell for achieving their **Silver Athletics awards**. The following children have all been using Spellzone to help improve their spelling; Kayleigh, Katie, Lucy, Abigail, Lilly, Jessica, Brody, Emily, Isabella, Jacob, Izzy, Charlotte, Molly, Tilda, Mitchell, Kristian, Luke Townsend, Joshua, Issy, Oskar, Sam, Jak, Thea, Evie, Ben, Tom, Maddy, Harriet, Lily Mae, Tilda, Molly and Ivy. Izzy, Bradley, Eve and Alfie were awarded the **Bronze Building Learning Power** certificates for having more than 10 stamps in their Learning Passports.

Well done children. You are all TERRIFIC!

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week; Mrs Shoults thanked Brody for finding her glasses; Sebbie wanted to thank Sophie and Katie for looking after him during Football Club on Monday and Mrs Guinan wanted to thank Jessica for being so kind and understanding towards her.

Roll of Honour

Our Learning Heroes this week: children who have included others in a game or during lesson time.

Copeland: Phoebe has included lots of friends in her games this week by changing games to allow others to take part.

Durrington: Joshua and Poppy worked really well in their teams during PE and made sure that everyone was included.

Fitzwalter: Tilda and Charlotte have made sure that their class mates are always included in whatever they may be doing.

Quickbury: Alfie was brilliant at encouraging his team during the five football matches this week.

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Birthdays

This morning we sang the birthday song to Jasper who will be 5 years old tomorrow and Alfie who will be seven years old next week.

Learning Hero

My Stars of the Week are Lola and Jasper for the kindness that they show others and for their contributions during Collective Worship this week.

In Our Thoughts

Please can we hold the following people in our thoughts and prayers; Elaine King (Midday assistant) who is unwell and Lucy, who is recovering well at home. I would also like us to wish Aidan, Daisy and Alfie and their families good luck and farewell as they move to different schools. We will certainly miss them.

Diary Dates

- **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 Brittain