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Dear parents,

This year we have moved to a fortnightly Heads up, however I have lots of exciting and important news to share with you so I am writing to you again this week to share these important updates.

I would firstly like to start with a massive thank you and heartfelt 'good luck' to Mrs

Paton. Mrs Paton has been such an incredible member of our school team and we have so much to thank her for. She has taught us all so much and school just will not be the same without her. The children prepared a special worship for her this week and the words they used and shared really did sum up what an incredible person and member of the team she is. Mrs Paton will still support the school on a Tuesday afternoon which we are very grateful for, thank you Mrs Paton and good luck in your next role, they are very lucky!



The role of school bursar was advertised before Christmas and we held interviews for this important postion this week. I am pleased to say that Mrs Davies was appointed as our new school bursar and will begin from Monday 27th in this new role. Mrs Davies brings key skills and experience to this position and we are thrilled she has taken this new opportunity at our school.

We also internally advertised for a teaching and learning responsibility at our school to create a stronger distribution of leadership. Mrs Slater applied and was appointed in this position. She will lead key stage 1 and 2, behaviour and assessment. She

will also deputise for me when needed. Mrs Slater brings a wealth of experience in leadership and I am very excited to see what we can create together as a senior leadship team.

I also announced last week that the PTFA have organised a special thank you to all parents and families for your support last year with a special film night on Wednesday 5th February. This will be free of charge and will start straight after school. The film night will end at 5pm. I have sent emails for consent today so please do reply with your consent for your child to attend. The film will be The Wild Robot which was recently on at the cinema.





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The week of the 3rd – 7th February is children's mental health week. As a school well-being is a priority so we will be organising lots of events and workshops around mental health over the week. The theme this year is 'community' this is perfect for our little school, and we plan to celebrate and strengthen our connections during this week.

Finally, our shining stars, well done to you all and thank you for shining so bright and inspiring others this week. We are very proud of you all!

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Meadow	Rory	Oscar

As always, thank you for your continuous support and encouragement as we grow together as a school and community.

Kind regards

Mrs Willis Headteacher

Diary Dates:

Tuesday 28th January – PE Kits PE After School Sports Club

Thursday 30th January – After School Lego Club

Friday 31 st January -	Friday uniforms
	Class 1 & 2 – Gymnastics
	Class 3 – Forest School