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Creating a Love of Learning

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Dear Parents,

Please could we remind you to show consideration to our neighbours when parking at drop off and pick up times, in particular not blocking driveways. Thank you in advance for your understanding and support.

Willow structures on the common

Just a reminder that, although complete, the willow structures are very delicate and we were advised not to use them for a few weeks after planting to ensure they have rooted securely. Therefore, we would ask that you please ensure that children don't play in or around them after school. We are hoping to be able to use them after the Easter break. Thank you for your support.

This week:

Hockey Success – we are very pleased to share with you that Islay & Ruby (Year 5s) were selected for Henley Hockey under 10s team and yesterday won the counties tournament making them Under 10s Girls County Champions! They now go forward to the regional competition.

Lucas (Year 5) played for the U10 boys who came 2nd in their tournament and also progress to regionals. All 3 have been very dedicated and worked really hard on the game skills over the last year - it's lovely that these great results have followed.

Maths Challenge – some of our Year 4 children took part in a Maths Challenge that was hosted by St Mary's School in Henley on Tuesday. Six schools took part in a series of STEM challenges including reassembling polygons, making a fully working, electric powered, merry-go-round and a series of inverse operation challenges. Afterwards all the children had cookies and juice!

Netball Finals – On Tuesday after school, 9 of our year 5/6 children played in the Oxfordshire netball finals at Wallingford School. They were exemplary citizens of our school. They showed dedication and enthusiasm and did themselves proud, coming 6th in the County. Well done to them all! Thank you to Simon Jones and Mrs Tully for their help.

Reading Challenge – thank you to all the children and parents who took part in the Reading Challenge recently – you raised over £650! This will go towards buying new books from Usbourne for all the classes.

Next Week:

Year 1 and 2 Football Tournament – we will be sending teams to take part on Tuesday at a tournament hosted by Kidmore End School. They will be back in school in time for lunch. We wish them well.

Easter Church Service – is on Wednesday at 9.15am in Church. All parents welcome to come and join in.

Forest School – there will be no Forest School on Thursday for Peppard Class as this has now finished for the term.

Easter Egg Roll – our annual Easter Egg roll (or toss!) will take place on Thursday at 1.30pm. Each child will have a go at who can throw their egg the furthest. Parents are welcome to come and cheer on! Thanks to FOPS for supplying the prizes, one for each year group.