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Dear Parents & Carers,

What a splendid sunny end to the week! Our youngsters have enjoyed being out on the field letting off steam! From now on, unless we have a quagmire, youngsters will be allowed on the field at both break and lunchtimes. I have been so impressed by their patience and uncomplaining acceptance of lunchtime restrictions up to now!

We have received a letter of thanks for the food and clothing that we sent to Norwich Open Christmas. The organisers tell us that they had around 550 guests on Christmas Day. What an excellent thing for the school to make a contribution to an event like this – well done!!

On Thursday I had the privilege of attending my first Celebration Assembly. What a joy it was to give certificates and prizes to youngsters who had worked hard or had gone the extra mile in being helpful. I was particularly impressed with the Year 6 House Captains' input into the assembly – what excellent role models they are!

We have unfortunately been hit by illness this week: sickness and Chicken Pox seem to be going around - please be aware!

Problem Solving Challenge! ANOTHER one for you to do this week! Last week's challenge was completed successfully by all who brought it back to school. We had 41 completed with Comets ahead with 72% and Planets 44% (a number of them are ill) and Stars with 52%. Excellent! It is important that we build a learning together routine at home (as well as all the other things you do) and that our pupils feel encouraged to be resilient when faced with problems. Problem Solving is a learning focus as our assessments have told us that youngsters' skills need to be improved in that area. So.... thank you for continuing to support that!

More support needed please! Our Storytelling Assembly will commence at 11.00 on Thursday 2nd February. Please return the slip below if you have a (short) story that you will tell in our assembly.

Have a good weekend

Interim Headteacher

Story Telling Assembly. Please return by Tuesday 31st January to the Class Teacher

Parent

Youngster's name & class.....

Solo performance Y/N Jointly with your youngster(s) Y/N



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