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On Monday the Blue team played Brookmead School and won 6-1. Goals from Harry, Oliver, Eden, Charlie A and Wills H (2). We conceded an unlucky goal due to a bumpy pitch. Wills H received man of the match and the Blue team top the league being undefeated for the season. Well done boys!

Behaviour Survey

Mrs Clark is reviewing some of the behaviour management systems in school. Please can you help her by responding to the survey which can be found by clicking <u>here</u>. Thank you.

5H Class Assembly

Well done to 5H for their wonderful class assembly this week. They focused on friendship and the key attributes that make a good friend. They also linked this back to their learning in class. It was fantastic!

Spring Term Parent Consultations

We are looking forward to seeing you all at the consultations next week. For those of you coming for a face to face meeting, books will be available for you to look at. A reminder that each meeting is given a ten minute slot.

Year 5 and 6 Football Tournament

Yesterday we took a Year 5 and Year 6 team of footballers to Tring School Festival of Football. What a glorious day we had, with the sun shining and all the children on top form. After the first group stages neither team had conceded a goal, with Year 5 winning all their matches, and Year 6 winning 4 and drawing 1. And then to the finals....3 teams, 2 of which were ours. Both teams won their first match against Dundale to leave a thrilling all BW final. What a fantastic match played in the right spirit. Year 6 pipped Year 5 at the post with 2 minutes to go thanks to a Fred S goal. But what left us most pleased was the fantastic sportsmanship all the children had for each other. We were very proud on both a playing perspective but also the level of respect they showed. Lots of much needed water and some winning Haribos all around on the way back to school topped up a fabulous afternoon!

Out To Learn HAPpy Camp - Easter

Mike from Out To Learn is running a HAPpy Camp in Kings Langley over the Easter break. The camps are intended for children who have both SEND and are eligible for free school meals. However, schools have the discretion to offer places to other SEND children where they feel it would benefit the child or family, as long as there is suitable justification. There are still some spaces available on the camps so please contact the office if this is of interest to you and we can help you to make contact/book a space. Further info can be found <u>here</u>.

Lenten Bazaar

As always, the annual Lenten Bazaar was a huge success this afternoon. The children created some really original stalls and have raised some much needed funds to support the incredible work of the Hospice of St Francis. Thank you to all the parents and governors who came along to support the event.

Celebration

We did not have a Celebration Assembly this week as we were focusing on World Down Syndrome Day. Celebration will return next week!

Around School

This week

Year 3 have enjoyed investigating the permeability of soil. Year 4 have been writing accounts of Mount Vesuvius from a child's perspective. Year 5 enjoyed their trip to Hazard Alley this week which supported their learning about staying safe both online and in the real world. Year 6 have enjoyed learning about the Easter story.

Next week



Year 3 are looking forward to identifying equivalent fractions. Year 4 are looking forward to starting their topic on decimals in maths. Year 5 are looking forward to continuing their Viking inspired writing. Year 6 are looking forward to finding out about Charles Darwin and writing a biography.

Diary Dates

Please find below a list of key dates for the Spring Term. We will add to this as we progress through the school year. New dates will be highlighted.

Date	Event
Monday 24 th March	Parents' Evening 4 – 7pm
Wednesday 26 th March	Parents' Evening 4 – 7pm
Thursday 3 rd April	6M Class Assembly 9am
Wednesday 2 nd April	Scooter Scramble
	(See separate letter from Mrs Reeve sent today)
Wednesday 2 nd April	Mrs Smart Marathon Non-Uniform Day
Thursday 3 rd April	6M Class Assembly 9am
Friday 4 th April	End of Term – School Closes at 1.30pm

Thank you and best wishes Mr Stanley