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Dear Parents/Carers,

I was just reflecting today on the date that I have written on the top of this letter and was wondering where the year has gone and maybe in saying that I am just showing my age! The weeks and months seem to be flying by and I have consoled myself with the fact that it is a step nearer to being free of restrictions and a return to a more normal life (fingers crossed!)

School Photos

We managed to get through the all the individual photographs today and it ran like a military operation. We will send out the proofs as soon as we receive them from the photographers.

100 Jumps for Joy

One year ago, Sir Captain Tom Moore inspired the nation by walking 100 laps of his garden and raised a phenomenal £32million for NHS charities.

In honour of his amazing achievement this year his family are inviting everyone to take on their own 100 challenge to raise much needed funds for charities who have been impacted by the Covid-19 Pandemic.

Wakefield Hospice's mascot 'Treacle Bear' has completed 100 jumps for joy and is inviting school children across the district to join him!

As a school we would like to support this event and are intending to do this next **Friday 7th May 2021**. We are asking for a small donation of a £1 or whatever you feel you can afford and this can be sent via ParentPay or sent in with your child.

Many charities have struggled in this pandemic and we feel that this is a worthy local charity that we can help.

As ever with these events we will not preclude children from taking part if you feel you are unable to donate.

Wraparound Care

A reminder that the booking form for wraparound care is now open and the closing date for this is midnight on Wednesday 12th May.

A link to the online booking form has been sent out via email, and can also be found on our website: <https://horburyprimary.accordmat.org/out-of-school-care/>

School calendar

Just a reminder that next year's school calendar is on our website and that we do in fact have two remaining INSET days for this year; one at the end of the Spring Bank holiday on **Monday 7th June 2021** and one at the end of the summer term on **Monday 26th July 2021**.

E45 cream

Further to your feedback and our letter earlier in the week, I just wanted to confirm that there will be E45 cream made available in all classrooms for children to use should they suffer from chapped or sore hands. The constant washing of hands and use of sanitiser, whilst necessary at the moment, has taken its toll on us all and more so on sensitive little hands and I hope that this will go some way in alleviating the problem.

Finally, I hope that you have a lovely bank holiday weekend, let's hope the weather warms up so that we can enjoy some time with family and friends.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in grey ink, appearing to read 'JK Tomlinson', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Miss JK Tomlinson
Executive Principal