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Dear Parents,

It was good to see you all at our Parents' Evenings; particularly the few parents who are not able to bring children into school themselves for a variety of reasons. It is good to have your support. Thank you to everyone who came along.

I thought it seemed a good time to remind ourselves of some of the forthcoming events and some of the expectations of the school.

Wednesday 24th March we have a visit from the schools' police liaison officer who will talk about police uniforms and equipment and the work of police officers.

Tuesday 30th March will be a particularly busy but, hopefully, a very happy day when children will watch a play, the Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe in the morning and take part in our Easter Parade at 2.30 in the afternoon. There will be teas, coffees and cakes for you to buy.

You are invited to the Easter Parade which is a relaxed get-together that allows us to invite younger family members. This is a joint event with First Friends Pre-school who share our school site. Children are learning some simple seasonal songs and we ask that parents help them to make hats or bonnets for the Parade. Parents often ask about things they can do with their children and this should provide a good opportunity to make something together. Please bring the hat to school on the day.

On Wednesday 31st some Year 6 children are organising an Easter Egg Hunt for the class, which is extremely thoughtful and kind of them. We then break up for the Easter Holidays on Thursday 1st April. This will be a special day with own clothes and a disco in the afternoon organised by the PTA.

We will be looking for helpers for all our events, so please volunteer if you can spare the time.

From the beginning of next term we will be asking children to come into school on their own using the front door of the classroom. They are excellent at organising themselves with coats, lunchboxes and book bags at home time, so I anticipate no problems. If it is raining, please use the shelter and our other entrance.

Looking forward to a warmer, sunnier and snow-free end of term,
Best wishes,

J. Bellotti