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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful week we've had!

This week, our school was filled with colour and creativity as children arrived with the most magnificent Easter eggs and bonnets. The judging was incredibly difficult – there were so many impressive entries that choosing winners felt almost impossible! A huge thank you to all of you for the time and effort you've put into creating these wonderful pieces. It's been lovely to see the imagination and care that goes into these celebrations.

Our Year 5 children had a fantastic trip to Whickham Thorns this week, where they took part in a wonderful array of outdoor activities. The energy and enthusiasm they brought to every activity was brilliant to see, and their feedback has been overwhelmingly positive. In their own words, it was 'the best trip ever'!

Today we say goodbye to Miss Bell from Year 4 Aspen as she begins her maternity leave. We very much hope to share some exciting news with you in the coming weeks, and we wish her all the very best with her new arrival. Please do join us in sending her our warmest wishes.



Before we know it the summer term will be upon us, and we look forward to welcoming all the children back on **Monday 20th April**. This is such a special time of year, and we're hopeful that we'll finally enjoy some consistent dry weather so that we can make full use of our fabulous field. There's something magical about summer term – the longer days, the outdoor learning opportunities, and the chance to really make the most of our wonderful outdoor spaces.

Our class photographs are scheduled for **Wednesday 22nd April** and all children will need to arrive in their school uniform and NOT their PE clothes on this day.



'Showing up today plants the seeds for tomorrow's success'.

Our whole school attendance this week is 94.5% which is just above the national average of 94.6%. Thank you for your continued efforts to support our children coming to school.



N: Everyone!	Rec: Alex	Y1 C: Thea	Y1 H: Freddie	Y2 E: Damien	Y3 E: Finn	
Y3 R: Noah	Y4 A: Amber	Y4 B: Sadaat	Y5 B: Izzy	Y5 L: Wesley	Y6 A: Joshua	Y6 O: Ollie

Thank you all for your continued support and enthusiasm. It's the partnership between school and home that makes our community so special, and we're excited about all that the summer term will bring.

Happy Easter to everyone in our school community!

Colette Bell

Head Teacher

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