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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week started on a wonderful note with several messages and letters praising our school for the impeccable behaviour and the great turnout at the Remembrance Service on Sunday. I would like to take this opportunity to say how proud I was of each and every one of our children who represented the school and the Beavers and Guides, you were a credit to our school. Well done!

As a school, we entered a WW1 Creative Writing Competition run by the Lord Mayor of Chester. I am delighted to share that Megan Hayward won the Year 3 Highly Commended Prize and was invited to attend the Remembrance Service at Chester Cathedral. We are all really proud of Megan's achievement.

Remembrance Sunday

A special thank you to Reverend Jane for organising the wonderful events within the village and leading the Remembrance Service, Tilston really came together and we are proud to be part of such a respectful community.

Key Strings

On Friday we enjoyed welcoming members of our community into our school and joining us for the Key Strings Concert- Remembering Britain. The children enjoyed learning about the First World War through music and learnt to play a variety of string instruments.

Anti-Bullying Week

Our focus for worship this week has been **respect**. As a school we choose to respect and will not tolerate bullying. We discussed different ways of bullying, including cyber bullying. We introduced our Child Friendly Anti-Bullying Policy which we hope will help children to understand what to do if they ever feel they are being bullied.



We made pledges to show how we will respect each other.

Lunch Menu for week beginning 19th November 2018	
Monday	Beef meatballs in tomato sauce with pasta or jacket potato & cheese
Tuesday	Chicken pie, or tomato pasta
Wednesday	Braised beef Dinner or jacket potato with cheese
Thursday	Ham, sweetcorn and cheese pasta bake or jacket potato with cheese & beans
Friday	Tomato & cheese pizza & chips or fish & chips

* Please note, the cost of a school lunch is now £2.30. Reminder that all children in Reception and KS1 are entitled to a free school meal.

Robin's Family Lunch

Thank you to all the parents who were able to join us for lunch on Wednesday. A special thank you to Mrs Dutton and all the Lunchtime Supervisors for always making our lunchtimes enjoyable.



This week's personal development goal is **to work hard**. I am always very proud walking around school and visiting each class as our children always work hard and try their best. Well done to the following children who have worked incredibly hard this week.



Stars of the Week



YR	Emily: working hard on the writing challenge.
Y1	The Robins Class: for being a wonderful conscientious class all week.
Y2	
Y3	Eve: working really hard in maths and literacy.
Y4	Oli: working hard in his own work and helping others.
Y5	Thomas: always working hard and trying his best whatever the task.
Y6	Charlie: working hard at writing a fantastic diary entry and letter.

TSA

Thank you to everyone who attended the TSA meeting on Tuesday. Plans for the Christmas Fair are under way and we are looking forward to a great fundraising evening on Friday 7th December. More information from the TSA is attached to this newsletter.



Our Star Hand Writers



Website

We hope you follow your child's progress and the wonderful experiences they take part in by logging on to our website regularly. Website: www.filston.cheshire.sch.uk



Twitter

Tilston Primary School now has a Twitter account. I will post regular updates to promote our school and share our achievements with our cluster schools. If you would like to follow us, please search for us using the address below.

@TilstonSch

Our consent form requests permission for the internet, however if you do not want your child's image to be used on Twitter, please let Mrs Farmer know in the office by the end of next week.

Family Lunch

Please remember parents of pupils in the House Martins class are invited to join us for a school lunch on Wednesday 21st November 12-12:30pm. We need to confirm numbers by Monday 19th November so please contact Mrs Farmer if you would like to join us. Please let us have your menu choice and payment (£2.30) on Monday morning.



Children in Need

We have had a fun day in school today in our spotty clothes. A special thank you for your kind cake donations. We ran a cake sale this morning and we will also be running one after school. Once we have counted all the money we will let you know the total raised for our Children in Need event. As always, a very special thank you for supporting such a great charity.



Kestrel's Worship

On Thursday 22nd November we would like to invite our Kestrel parents to join us for Worship. Our Worship starts at 9:05am and we will be finished by 9:30am. We look forward to seeing you next week.

Tempest Photography

Tempest will be in school next Friday morning, 23rd November, to take individual and family photographs. If you have any younger siblings you wish to be included in a family group, please come in at 8.30am.



Our Prayer of the Week- Laura

Thank you, God, for this school. Thank you for the pupils and staff. Thank you, God, for this school.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'K Mort'.

Mrs Kelsey Mort