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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to all of you who supported our collection last week for the victims of the Grenfell Tower fire. We have raised over £900.00, which we will send on to support the families affected by this tragedy. We joined in the minutes silence earlier this week and have supported the children who have had questions and concerns.

Year 6 completed their "Apprentice" project this week selling their products to the rest of the school. All of the teams worked hard to develop their products, advertise and create their products on the day. Well done to all of you who took part and congratulations to The Fidget Bakers' team who made the most profit.

Our Year 3 and 4 athletics team represented the school in the borough athletics event this week at Hornchurch Stadium. All of them performed brilliantly in jumping, throwing, sprinting and running events. We look forward to hearing the team results.

Mr Isaac and Miss Purcell were delighted that Zak, representing the Year 6 Athletics team last week came second overall in the event. His overall scores for all the events were the best the school has ever had. Stephanie in Year 5 also made the top 10 with her performance and came 9^{th} overall in the girl's competition. Well done Zak and Stephanie, the hard work in training really paid off!

Year 1 and 2 took part in a Cowboy drama workshop this week, which led to them writing their own Cowboy stories. Their teachers were very impressed with their writing and the pupils enjoyed being so creative.

We are holding our Summer Fair next Friday. School will close at 1.45pm and the fair will begin at 2.00pm. Please remember to send in money and raffle tickets with your name and phone number on the back if you would like to enter the raffle. You can also send £3.00 and the permission slip for a wristband if you would like your child to enjoy the bouncy castles during the school day.

Please can I remind you to park safely on the roads surrounding the school. We have had several near misses reported to us due to cars parking on the footpaths. Please consider the safety of the children before you park. Traffic wardens are regularly attending the roads around our school to ensure that our pupils are safe.

If you have anything you would like to discuss with a member of Senior Management please attend the drop in sessions every Friday from 2.00pm - 3.00pm. Alternatively, please book an appointment at the main office. Senior staff are also available at the beginning and end of the school day in the playgrounds, on the gates and at the doors if you need to see them.

Have a lovely weekend!

Yours faithfully,

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