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Dear Parents and Carers,

Amazingly we are already at half-term and therefore half way through the year! We have had an excellent start to the spring term, with lots of work and not much snow.

Parking

Further to my text earlier this week (and if you didn't receive it – do we have your mobile number?) parents' parking in nearby roads is causing problems for local residents. Poor parking on narrow roads puts our own children at risk when they are trying to cross between parked cars and blocking access to residential roads could have serious consequences if an ambulance needed access. Please park considerately if you must drive to school, but better still – walk, scoot or cycle!!

Sports

Our football and netball teams have both been busy representing the school over the past few weeks. The hard work at training paid off yesterday with an 8-2 win against How Wood for the boys' football team. Well done to them all.

Red Nose Day – 13th March

Once again we will be running our **Best Batch Bake Off**.

There will be three age groups:

KS1 – Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Lower KS2 – Years 3 and 4

Upper KS2 – Years 5 and 6

You don't have to pay to enter, but to raise money for Comic Relief the cakes and biscuits will be sold off after school. You need to bake a batch (at least six) of biscuits or fairy cakes. Your parents can help you, especially putting them in the oven, but it should be mostly your own effort. Bring them into school on 13th March where they will be judged and a small prize will be awarded to the winner in each category. The competition is open to both boys and girls.

If baking isn't your thing, then **make a funny face**. For donations of 50p or more you can come to school with your face decorated (*face paints*, not felt tips please) or with a zany, but temporary, hair-do.

I hope you all have a lovely, restful half-term and I look forward to seeing you all again after the holiday.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. D. Raftery
Headteacher

