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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week maths seems to have been oozing from every pore! The children (and staff) have had a fantastic week. They have been doing treasure trails and puzzles, had a visit from a theatre company presenting 'The Countdown Kid', baked food, created mathematical art and done the most amazing maths with Smarties.

Although all the staff have worked hard to make this a 'Learning Together Week' to remember, special thanks go to Mr Harries and Miss Willmer, who have brought everything together.

Play Equipment

Many of you will have seen that the KS2 playground has some new equipment: table tennis and table football. I am sure these will add fun to playtimes and we may even be developing the next Olympic table tennis champion.

Coats

Playtime would be even happier for some children if they had a WARM coat (not gilet). Thin raincoats are no longer suitable for this time of year, so please make sure your child is adequately protected from the colder weather.

Photographs

Don't forget these have been scheduled for <u>Tuesday 5th November 2013</u>.

Cross Country

Boys and girls in Years 5 and 6 continue to represent the school at the district cross country events. The event itself includes runners from both large and small primary schools, so it is difficult to gauge our success until afterwards. The girls in particular are doing very well; we are ranked 8th in the small schools' league. This is a great start for us.







Windermere v Bernards Heath

Our sporting success appears to know no bounds – we have won yet another football match. Nathan was clearly the hero of the hour, scoring no less than FOUR goals, but these were only made possible by the excellent teamwork of the others including the preventative work carried out by our goalie, Daniel.

Open Mornings

Don't forget we are holding open mornings for parents looking for a Reception place for 2014/15 on Thursday 7th November and Tuesday 19th November. Please pass the word around to anyone who has a child looking to start school next September.

Finally, don't forget that we have a staff training day **TOMORROW**, Friday 25th October. The school is closed to pupils. We return to school on Monday 4th November.

I hope you all have a lovely holiday and Happy Diwali.

Mrs D Raftery Headteacher