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Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We hope you had a great break.

### The Flood

We had a big flood in the holiday. It happened sometime between the 27<sup>th</sup> December and the 2<sup>nd</sup> January. We've worked really hard to get everything cleared and cleaned up ready for the start of term and I would like to thank all staff and Ben Wohl for their help with this.

We will have dehumidifiers in school for the next week and then new carpets can be laid in the big room, maths zone and library. Some of the hard floor in the corridor will also be replaced. Children in Years Reception and 1 have a temporary classroom in the school hall. The children have, as always, been brilliant today. What great learners they are.

As the big classroom has been cleared we have a fantastic opportunity to do some decorating and would like to invite any willing volunteers to a painting session this Friday. We will start at 3pm and finish at 5.30pm and, as the saying goes, 'many hands make light work'. Please let us know if you can come along and help.

### After School Clubs

Please complete the attached after school club form to book the clubs your child would like to attend this half term. Prices are on the form. Please send the fees in with your booking form. Thank you.

### Orienteering

Children in Year 3 and 4 and also Year 5 and 6 will be having orienteering lessons this half term on Friday afternoons.

Please make sure your child has their full PE kit in school (outdoor and indoor kit including a pair of trainers that can be kept in school) by tomorrow. Thank you if you have already brought the kit in today.

Yours sincerely

Helen Hepworth  
Headteacher

