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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am thrilled to have been appointed the substantive Headteacher at The Rackham C of E Primary School.

I have taught in many different schools in a variety of locations however The Rackham absolutely is the most special of them all.

From my experience as Acting Head at The Rackham, I have witnessed first-hand the unrelenting dedication of all our staff, Governors and the diocese. It is my privilege to work with them all in a substantive role to take our school onwards for the benefit of our children.

A successful and happy school depends on us working together. You, as parents and carers, make a vital contribution to our children's achievements fostered by ongoing positive relationships between home and school.

It is the team work between us all that will ensure our children will be the best they can possibly be and The Rackham will be the best it can possibly be.

Parking:

Would you please be mindful of where you park at drop off and pick up. We have been advised about a lot of congestion on Common Road which has made access to homes a challenge for families living in that area. Thank you in anticipation of your help.

Half Term Activities at Kingfishers Bridge Nature Reserve

For February half term Kingfishers Bridge are offering the chance for children to get closer to nature. There will be two one-hour sessions each morning, and the Wren Café will be open for hot drinks, cakes and snacks.

Dissecting owl pellets. Monday 13th February.

The children can find out what our owls are eat, using identification charts to sort the bones found in owl pellets. **Compass Trail.** Tuesday 14th February.

The children can learn to use compasses navigating their way around Home Wood while finding the answers to questions about wildlife.

Making bird feeders. Wednesday 15th February.

We will be making bird feeders using all natural elements for biodegradable feeders.

Tickets can be pre-booked through our online ticket shop; see the individual event listings for more details. <u>https://www.kingfishersbridge.org/store/c6/Events.html</u> Kingfishers Bridge Nature Reserve, Wicken, CB7 5XL

Thank you sincerely for your continued support.

Best wishes, Miss Turner

