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Dear Parents,

World Book Day

We are celebrating World Book Day next Thursday, 6th March by having a "Where's Wally Dressing up Day" and supporting "Book Aid International", which supports literacy in Africa. If your child would like to take part, they can wear a costume from a "Where's Wally Book" and bring £1 to support this charity.

IT Assembly

Can I remind you that there is an IT assembly next Friday 7th March at 9.00a.m and everyone is welcome. This will be followed by a brief IT presentation.

Ipad Training -12th February

I'm sure the children have told you how fantastic the Ipad training was last week. However, there are still a large number of children that have not contributed. If you have forgotten it is not too late to send in your £3.00 and we would be very grateful!

Music Tuition

We have had a request from a parent for flute lessons. Before we investigate further, please let us know if your child would be interested in learning to play the flute. In addition, we currently have a few spaces for guitar tuition.

Hertfordshire Catering Ltd

We have sent home this week to Reception and Year 1 children, questionnaires concerning free school meals for all KS1 children commencing September. If your child is currently in Reception or Year 1, please do fill in the form and return to the school office next week, to enable us to plan for this change.

Class 4 - PGL Payments

If you haven't already done so, please send in the third £50.00 instalment to the school office next week. In total, you should have now paid £150.00.

Reminder

If your child is absent from school for any reason, do please ensure that you let us know either by email or telephone on the first morning of absence.

"Count your Blessings"

During Lent many Christians give up something they enjoy doing. This helps us remember the time Jesus spent in the desert without anything to eat or drink and reminds us that lots of people in the world don't have all the things we have. This Lent in assemblies, we will be using the Christian Aid publication "Count your Blessings" focussing particularly on the countries in Southern Africa. You are welcome to follow this with us.

Pancake Day

The day before the beginning of Lent is Shrove Tuesday. Traditionally we have celebrated this by having a pancake race. This year our pancake race will be at 3.00pm on Tuesday 4th March in the playground. Everyone is welcome.

Hatch End Hawks Lacrosse Club

Please find attached details of some taster and beginner sessions for adults.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher