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Dear Parents,

I hope that you are all well and have had a lovely weekend. Please find below information about key events in school this week.

Visit from the Mayor of Oldham:

Yesterday our children had the pleasure of welcoming the Mayor of Oldham to our school. Last year, our Eco Team wrote a letter to the council about the amount of litter that is surrounding the school. As a result of this letter, the council installed new bins on the entrance to the school on Southlink. The Mayor came to thank our Eco Team yesterday and the whole school community for making our local area a cleaner and tidier place. As an Eco School we are very proud to have received this honorary visit and I would like to thank Mrs Bush, Mrs Warrington, parents and children for their amazing efforts – Well-done!

PTFA Meeting:

Last week the PTFA met to discuss new and exciting ways in which we can continue to 'Achieve Excellence' at Horton Mill. We discussed different activities and experiences that we would like to provide for our children as well as discussing how the money raised from PTFA events will be used. I am delighted to announce that we will be using some of this money to extend and refurbish the School Library. We also planned fund raising activities for the end of the Spring term, including an Easter Egg Treasure Hunt, an Easter Bonnet Parade and an Egg Craft Competition.

Head Teacher's Award:

The following children received the Head Teacher's award last week for showing **RESILIENCE** by **Managing Distractions**.

Reception: Saqqib Miah

Year 1: Amaima Irfan

Year 2: Amina Khan

Year 3: Afiah Bibi

Year 4: Ayaan Anjum

Year 5: Akeel Ahmed

Year 6: Faizaan Ul Mehtab

Congratulations to all the children, you should be very proud of yourselves!

Attendance & Punctuality:

The class with the best Attendance last week was: **Year 1** with **97.4%** - Well-done Year 1!

The classes with the best Punctuality last week were: **Reception, Year 1** and **Year 6** – Fantastic 0 lates!

Goodbye and Good Luck Miss Kerys:

It is with much sadness that we say 'Goodbye' to Miss Kerys at the end of this week. I would like to thank her for all her years of supporting our children and wish her every success for the future.

Half Term Holiday:

School will close on Friday 10th February at 3.00pm and will re-open on Monday 20th February at 8.45am. Happy Half Term to you all!

Best wishes,
Zaira Cook



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