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<u>PARTNERS IN LEARNING</u> Thank you to everyone who came to our Partners in Learning evening on Wednesday. Turnout was excellent and many parents said how useful it had been for them. Research shows that there is a strong link between parental support and academic success, so we are delighted to be working ever more closely with families to support the children together. Long may it continue! Information from the evening can be found on the Year Group pages of our website.

<u>PARENT PRAYER GROUP</u> Many thanks also to the parents who came along to the first Parent Prayer Group on Thursday morning. All are welcome to drop in - just for one week or every week, as convenient. Any prayer intentions for the group can be given to the office in an envelope or the children can add them to the "Prayer Intentions" box outside my office.

All best wishes

Catherine Burnham

Our Value of the Month: Caring

Assembly Thought for this Week: "Where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." Matthew 18:20

I CAN DO MATHS—YEARS 3 TO 6

We will be starting our I Can Do Maths programme for all children in Years 3 to 6 on Monday 18 September and ask that children are ready in school at 8.40am. The KS2 playground will be open from 8.30am. Thank you.

CLUB NEWS

We sent home an updated clubs list this week, which includes a number of new clubs run by school staff, plus a covering letter from Mrs Burnham about charges for next term. Paper copies are available from the office.

The letter for Art Club will go out next week.

CLASS ASSEMBLY DATES THIS TERM

Wed 4 Oct Reception Welcome Assembly 9.00am

Thu 12 Oct Garnet Class assembly 9.00am
Thu 16 Nov Sapphire Class assembly 9.00am
Thu 23 Nov Amethyst Class assembly 9.00am

COOKING/SUNDRIES PAYMENT

We are asking for a £5 contribution for each child to go towards cooking ingredients and other sundries which are used for class activities during the year. You are able to make this payment online. Thank you.

DBS CHECKS

We are very grateful to all our parents who help in school. It is necessary to have an up to date DBS to do so. They run for 3 years from the time of issue and we ask that you sign in at least once a term to keep it current. If you want to take out a DBS for the first time or apply for a new one if yours has expired, please note that we may not be able to process your id check immediately. Please bring your documents to the school office together with the fee of £7.45. Thank you.

