As another week draws to a close, we have another jam-packed newsletter full of information about what we have been doing as well as future information.

**Class Assembly**
Thank you class 5M for such a brilliant start to Friday, it was truly a brilliant assembly full of information and talent. The room was packed to the rafters with families and I am sure they were all as proud as I was.

**Doors Opening**
I believe that some confusion surrounds the opening time in the mornings. Mrs. Pitt and myself open the doors always at 8:50 and we do this according to the school digital timing system. This is also earlier than it should be. Our school day officially starts at 8:55, therefore by opening early we are helping to reduce the traffic issues as well as allowing siblings to reach other schools. If you need any further clarification please do not hesitate to contact the school.

**Residential**
All the residential have now been completed and they have been very successful. We have already booked for next year. Thank you to everyone that has attended, it has been a real pleasure to share that time with the children in a completely different setting.

**Maths discussions.**
Over the past week our Numeracy leader (Mr. Clark) has been reviewing the work that we are doing. He has looked at the children’s books and held pupil discussions. The books are brilliant, they show a vast range of areas in Maths that we have covered and the children that we have spoken to from a wide range of abilities have all spoke of how they enjoy their lessons. These are just a few comments from the children about how they feel about Maths:

- **I like learning new things!**
- **It' fun**
- **Good Overall, but it is hard**

**Sports News!**
Once again, lots of children representing us so well. Unfortunately the girls lost 4 - 2 against Woodhouse, but it was the manner in the way that they played that impressed everyone. Both boys and girls cross country teams came 3rd overall this week, another successful week. Next Thursday at Henry Road for Years 3, 4 and 5 only. Come along and have a go.

**Kidzone and Help Harry Help Others**
Will be selling bracelets on Thursdays after school at the top of the dining room stairs. All bracelets cost £1 and go to an amazing charity.

**Fun! I like doing maths**
**Easy, love getting homework**
**Fun - I enjoy it**
We will be doing the same thing again next week with our Literacy leader, (Miss Mabb) I will be giving you feedback on how that goes.

**Self Reflection**
We know we are not perfect, but we believe we are doing a good job in making memories for your children. Next week, I will be sending out the school questionnaire. This will give you the opportunity to give your opinion and then we can respond to them. I am fully aware that the OFSTED Parent View is always open for you to respond, and has recently been used to demonstrate negativity towards the school. This is damaging to our school and its reputation, therefore we need to respond.

Our school was and is rated as a Good School with Outstanding features. Our aim is to reach Outstanding and we will not stop until we achieve this. Therefore, we will be sending out the questionnaires and if you would like a follow up appointment from your ratings then this will be available to you. We look forward to your responses and making this school the best it can be so it remains the school of choice.

**Weekly Attendance**
Attendance stands at 97.94% for this week. Outstanding:
- 5th place 6S - 98.12%
- 4th place 6C - 98.28%
- 3rd place 10M - 98.61%
- 2nd place 5J - 99.43%
- 1st place 3E, 5E and 6G - **99.44% Brilliant attendance!**