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Dear Parents,

On the reverse of this week's newsletter is the new school dinner menu which will start as of Monday. A copy will be posted on the school website (click the tab 'about us' scroll down to 'documents' and you will find it there) in case you misplace this one. As you will see there is a varied menu choice again. Monday's school lunches will start on Week 1. School meals are still £2:20 a day payable before your child has a school meal (or on the day).

At the beginning of the term we took part in the Marie Curie Daffodil growing project. Marie Curie donate a bulb, compost and a pot for each child in school to plant and look after a daffodil. The children enjoy doing this and watching it grow. Most of the daffodils are sprouting now and are getting a good water most days (they are outside in all this rain!) The project obviously hopes to raise money for Cancer research. If you would like to have the daffodil for your garden that your son / daughter has planted all you need to do is put a donation in the envelope attached (the amount is up to you - Marie Curie suggest £2) and at the end of term your son / daughter will bring home their daffodil. I think this is a wonderful project - the children enjoy planting the bulbs, and watching them grow and the money goes to such a good cause. I hope you feel you can support the project.

Despite the continued horrible weather building work is still moving forward! As at Wednesday this week the brickwork was 80% complete, scaffold complete and the roof trusses installed. We are waiting to hear when the windows will arrive and have now agreed colours of doors, handles, walls and floors! It is all moving forward smoothly! Some people who are out and about late at night might notice lights on in the school later than usual. We are having a new fire alarm installed and the company are working through the night so that they don't impact on school life in the day time! So, don't panic if you see all of the lights on!

Can I remind you that Landing Pad assemblies are taking place at the end of this half term? Dates are below as a reminder.

- 11th February - Landing Pad - Miss Dawe, Miss Costin, Mrs Rand
- 12th February - Landing Pad - Miss Hanner, Mrs Wookey
- 13th February - Landing Pad - Miss Stagg, Mrs Bull, Miss Milborrow
- 14th February - Landing Pad - Miss Sotiriou, Ms NT, Ms Thompson

Have a good weekend

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