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'Learning, achieving and growing together with Jesus'

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[This letter was sent out on Tuesday](#)

Friday News from Mrs Maynard

4E Assembly

4E treated everyone to a musical assembly on Friday, reminding us about the work the children had done during #WeAreMusicians week. They talked about the sounds all around us from the moment we wake up such as the birds singing, the wind blowing and all the sounds of our day. The class sang beautifully. Thanks to all parents who came along to watch.



Daily Mile



On Friday afternoon last week our 'Daily Mile' initiative was launched. This involves every member of the school community, staff included, walking, jogging or running a mile every day. We had a professional athlete visiting to inspire and encourage the pupils. All of our children are participating. The initiative was started by a school in Scotland who found that daily exercise has a hugely positive impact on their pupils' health and wellbeing. The launch day was very successful with all the classes walking and running together. Since then, they have been out each day at different times and the pupils are very positive about going and getting their mile done. I hope they have told you about it at home.

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Athlete Visit

On Tuesday we were very fortunate to have a visit from a member of the GB Paralympic squad, Luke Delahunty, who came to talk to the children about the importance of health, fitness and teamwork as well as his experiences as a para-athlete. The children asked some very thoughtful questions, and really enjoyed the circuits workshop that Luke led for them. We hope he has inspired them with his determination to succeed and perseverance.



Sports Day

It's been a very active week for our pupils with Sports Day this week for everyone. We were fortunate with the weather and all events ran very smoothly. The children showed great sportsmanship and we had some fantastically close races! Well done to all the children who participated and to those who won medals. The staff work very hard to put on events like this for our pupils, and I would like to thank all those parents whose support made it a happy community event for everyone involved.



Clubs next week

Monday	Martial Arts Dance
Tuesday	Team Building Cookery
Wednesday	Gymnastics
Thursday	Yoga and dance Knitting Football

All clubs start at 3.30pm and finish at 4.30pm, pick up is from the main office door

Reminders for next week

This is a very busy time of the year, please check your calendar for events that involve your child:

- **Monday 3rd July Leavers Mass KS1 hall 9.00am**
- **Tuesday 4th July Transition Day; Year 6 to new schools**
- **Tuesday 4th July new Reception parents meeting 10.30am KS1 hall**
- **Wednesday 5th July Year 6 PGL residential**
- **Wednesday 5th July 4F assembly 9.00am KS hall**
- **Thursday 6th July Nursery trip to Odds Farm**
- **Friday 7th July Year 2 end of year assembly 9.00am KS1 hall**

God Bless

St Ethelbert, pray for us

**Mrs Maynard
Headteacher**

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