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Dear Parents/Carers,

Philippines Silver Trail.

I am sure you have all seen the terrible images on the news of the recent disaster to befall the Philippines following the hurricane. As a school we have families with connections on the islands and feel we need to do something to help, therefore we have decided to cancel next weeks silver trail and instead hold a own clothes day. Next Friday, 22nd November the children will be able to come to school in their own clothes in exchange for unwanted good quality clothing which is urgently needed for the millions of people who have been left with nothing. We will be passing the clothes onto one of our fathers who is coordinating the sending of aid.

The own clothes day for winning house Pendleton will now take place on the 29th November **not** the 22nd as originally planned.

Writing week.

WOW, what an amazing week and a fortunate coincidence that the eggs arrived to coincide with our writing week! They certainly helped the children to think creatively and they have produced some wonderful examples of writing. Well done to them and of course to the staff who continually work so hard to enrich the curriculum and provide quality experiences for the children.

St Hugh Of Lincoln Weekend.

This weekend we celebrate 75 years as a parish with many events taking place. Tonight at 7pm we celebrate mass followed by a buffet in the hall and brass band performance. Saturday afternoon Mr Smith and Mr Doherty have organised a football competition and on Sunday, following mass at 10.30am we will have our traditional Christmas fair. I hope you can attend at least one of these events and I would like to thank in advance all the staff who I know will work hard to ensure this weekend is a success. Their unwavering commitment to this community is outstanding and much appreciated.

Unfortunately I have missed all the events of this week and last as I am at home recovering from emergency eye surgery. I have very limited sight but will return to work as soon as possible. In the meantime our two assistant head teachers, Mr Smith and Mrs Doherty will continue to ensure that school runs smoothly. Thank you for your good wishes.

Yours sincerely

M. Mountcastle.

