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Dear Parents and Carers,

We want to thank everyone for their amazing contributions to our wonderful Iftar.

Earlier in the day, we began our cultural celebrations with wonderful Lion dancing and workshops from the Bristol University Chinese Society to celebrate Chinese New Year. They shared how much they enjoyed being with us and expressed a desire to make this an annual visit.

In the evening, over 600 people came together to celebrate Iftar, the breaking of the fast during Ramadan, creating a truly special community gathering.

We had representation from all the six main religions with us, as well as local councillors, our PCSOs and the Deputy Lord Mayor.

We will be sharing photos from both of these memorable events soon. We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all staff, parents and carers, and our local community helpers who made these celebrations possible.

Our sponsors were:

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Communications – Coffee Mornings

Please remember to **sign in** according to our safeguarding protocols. Your feedback is very important to us, and we truly value your input. Members of the leadership team will be available each week for you to ask questions and share your thoughts.

Questions raised today:

Q: Why was the comments section taken down on the whole school Dojo?

Response: Our intention is always to ensure that our online communication spaces remain positive, respectful and centred on celebrating children's learning and achievements. However, not all recent comments have aligned with this purpose.

To ensure that Class Dojo remains a safe and constructive platform for sharing updates and celebrating student success, we have decided to remove the commenting function at this time.

Please be assured that open communication remains very important to us and if you have any questions, concerns, or feedback, please contact the enquiries line or see a member of the leadership team on gate.



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Q: Communications from the school need to improve

Response: We endeavour to get information out to parents in as many formats as possible and in a timely fashion. We are aware that parents would like more opportunities to be involved. We have added additional parent forums to our school calendar as well as the usual school systems. This term, we will also be surveying parents to find out how we can further improve our communication systems and ensure everyone feels well informed and included.

We are currently short-staffed in the admin office, but we are doing our best to respond to enquiries as quickly as possible. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Q: How are complaints about staff dealt with?

Response: All concerns raised about staff are taken seriously and handled following statutory guidance and the Trust and school's complaints procedures. Parents and carers can expect their concerns to be reviewed fairly and confidentially.

World book day Thursday 5th March

In celebration of World book day and the joy of reading, children are invited to come dressed as their favourite book character, costumes are entirely optional.

If you would like to address any concerns, please feel free to email the governors on Clerktogovernors@maypark.excalibur.org.uk

I hope you all have a lovely weekend!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Emma Tovey".

Mrs. Emma Tovey
Principal