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Dear Parents/Carers,

Parents' Evening in October

Towards the end of this term, we usually hold parents' evenings to discuss how your child is settling into their new class. Given the current restrictions, we cannot hold face to face meetings with every parent so we will be sending home a short report instead on October 16th. Wrens parents will receive this next term. Some of you may wish to have a follow-up discussion with your child's teacher. Details of how to contact the teacher will be given at the end of the report.

School Dinners

This Thursday, the children will have an additional option for packed lunches. They will be able to choose a special meal of hot dog, wedges, and chocolate cake. This meal option will include the fruit and veg sticks. The children can decide on the day if they want this instead of the usual baguette.

Next term, from Monday, November 2nd, we will be starting with hot dinners again. The hot dinner menu options will be as advertised on the CH & Co website.

Wellies and Extra Layers

We are trying to ensure we spend as much time outdoors as we can but now that the weather is changing, suitable clothing is essential. If your child has not got wellies in school, can you please provide them so that the children do not miss out. Extra layers are also a good idea. Our school uniform supplier is producing a tracksuit in the school colours with the embroidered badge. We hope to have a sample shortly. Sweatshirts are £8.50, hoodies £12 and jogging bottoms £6.50. The children do not need the school tracksuit but now the weather is getting cooler, tracksuit bottoms will be needed for PE days. We are able to offer financial help for any families who are currently experiencing difficulties for wellies and tracksuit bottoms. Please contact Bridget King: finance@barham.kent.sch.uk for details.

Finally, any pairs of wellies that no longer fit your child will be given a welcome home at school too.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Al Higgins'.

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