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Dear Parent/Carers,

We have a busy end of term with our Year 6 class going on the residential to Bowles next week, parent celebration assembly next Friday (18<sup>th</sup> October) and the drop-in session on the last Wednesday of term (23<sup>rd</sup> October).

Due to staff being at Bowles, the following after school clubs are cancelled next week: **Gymnastics, Tag Rugby, Watercolour painting** and **Friday Football Club**. If your child normally attends one of these clubs and you would like your child to go to Kingfisher's instead, please book through Arbor.

#### Asda Shoppers

Parentkind – the charity that supports school PTFAs - have teamed up with Asda, who is making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative. If you, or anyone in your family, shops at Asda, all you have to do is opt in through the Asda Rewards app, choose our school and shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com, between now and 30th November 2024.

Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to Barham CE Primary School. Also, every time somebody opts in, Asda will give an additional £1 to the school's Cashpot. Plus, it doesn't stop there – Asda are also giving £50 to every school to get them started. We are already at £150! Thank you so much for all your support.

#### Year 6 Parents

You will receive the Kent Test results on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October, please contact Mrs Higgins on Thursday or Friday next week if you would like to discuss the results.

#### Year 3 Parents

From next Thursday, Mrs Gurney will be absent for a few weeks due to a medical procedure. Miss Christine Miles, an experienced primary school teacher will be covering in her absence. We wish Mrs Gurney, the very best for a speedy recovery.

The parent celebration assembly next Friday begins at 9:10 am. We hope you will be able to join us.

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

Handwritten signatures of Alison Higgins and Jo Duhig in blue ink.

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