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Dear Parents,

Our assembly today was led by our Year 4 children who showed us what lovely work they have been doing as part of their World War II Topic over the past term. They all spoke so clearly and really showed off what brilliant and exciting work they have been doing. Well done to all of them and the staff involved.

Paralympic PE

It was good to welcome Danny Taylor, a Paralympic specialist PE teacher to school this week. Our Year 1,2,3 and 5 classes worked with him on a variety of Paralympic sports. The Reception, Year 4 and Year 6 classes will have a go on Monday.

Free Tennis lessons:

Learn tennis, have fun, make friends: Oxford Sports Tennis Club in North Hinksey are offering a free 6 week tennis coaching course and a free racket. Available for new players aged 5-8 years old. Places are limited and the course starts in the next 2 weeks so book now at: www.lta.org.uk/tennisforkids.

From your PTA:

Our first exciting event this term is The Quiz Night. This is an adult's only event at Cumnor Old School, Friday May 13th at 7.30pm. Last year's was fantastic fun and just a tad competitive. We have teams of six, at £5 a head (£30 a table) which includes light snacks. There is also a cash bar and a raffle.

We will be appearing with a sign-up sheet for teams in the school reception in the next couple of weeks. Please do not worry if you would like to take part but do not have a team, or only part of team. Come and sign up anyway and we will help to sort your team.

What's my child been doing this week?

Reception	Recording sums, started making our own versions of Jack and the Beanstalk and thinking about why plants need sunlight.
Year 1	Looking at halves and quarters, finding out what our old toys were made from and exploring different weather patterns.
Year 2	Reading and writing numbers in words and finding the equator on a map and using 'wow' word in our writing.
Year 3	Addition in columns, speech marks and creating some Indian art inspired printing. Following up from our visit to the Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies and Ashmolean Museum.
Year 4	Negative numbers, apostrophes and looking at the formation of the United Nations.
Year 5	Linear number sequences, planning a route around the world and thinking about what 5 things you would want with you on a deserted island?
Year 6	2 and 3D shapes, research into Ancient Egypt and learning to understand and discuss different points of view.

Next week:

Monday 25 th April	9.00am	Danny Taylor working with some classes on Paralympic sports
Tuesday 26 th April	AM	Year 6 Junior Citizens safety awareness visit
Wednesday 27 th April	AM	Library Van visit
Monday 2 nd May		Bank Holiday

...and good luck to our girl's football team this weekend.

Yours sincerely,

Headteacher