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3rd June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to share with you some staffing changes for the end of this academic year.

As you are aware, Mr Hanson has decided to retire after many years as Bishop's Tachbrook's Caretaker. He was gifted a Superman T-Shirt one Christmas by Santa and has quite literally lived out this role over his time at school. We will be very sad to see him go, but wish him so much happiness, rest and fun in the coming years.

Mrs Guilford has been teaching Reception at school for the past two years and has made a big impact in the short time she has been with us. Her care for our youngest pupils has been exceptional and we will miss her greatly. She is moving house this summer, and unfortunately her new house is not within commuting distance to school. She will be starting a teaching role in a new school near to her new home in September and we wish her the very best of luck.

Mrs Power-Lydon has supported children in Reception and KS1 as a teaching assistant for the past two years. She has brought her knowledge of Makaton and speech and language skills to the team. She will be leaving us at the end of the Summer term and we wish her well as she takes a well-earned rest before embarking on her next adventure.

Mr Cullinane has worked in many classes as a teaching assistant over the three years he has been at Bishop's Tachbrook, as well as working at Kids Club. He has enjoyed working with the children so much that he has decided to head off to university to train to be a teacher. We are very excited for him and look forward to hearing how he gets on.

It is always very sad for the school community to say goodbye to valued members of our team, but we know that all four have very different, but equally exciting things to look forward to.

We are excited to be welcoming Mrs Christensen back to the teaching team in September. We will share news of which teachers will be teaching which classes towards the end of June in time for Transition Day on 8th July.

Thank you all for your ongoing support of our school

C. Kilbey

Mrs Kilbey

