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Remembering Mr Terry Wells

Dear Repton Manor Families

I am writing to you all following meeting with Terry's family last week. They, and I, would like to thank you for the kind words and wishes of support that you have offered and for all the families that have sent in messages of condolences and fond memories of Terry. We will be collating these, along with the pictures and messages from the children, into a memory book to share with Terry's family at his funeral.

We discussed how they would like to come together with the school and they have asked that the family funeral is separate to a school community celebration of Terry.

As you know, we have opened invitations for donations for the families chosen charity and floral school contribution. We have also agreed any additional donations will be used for a memorial sign for the school library which will be named after Mr Wells.

We will be inviting families to school for a celebration event in memory of Terry where we will officially open the library under the new name. We will also be all planting a wild flower area by children and adults casting wild seeds around the new classroom for outdoor learning. Reading (including constructing the library interior) and wildlife were areas of passion for Terry so we feel this will be a fitting dedication.

The celebration event will be held at 2pm Thursday 25th May 2023, please arrive at the main playground gates in footwear suitable for outside areas. There will be refreshments provided afterwards before the end of the school day.

Kind regards

Matt Rawling