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Message from the Headteacher:

This week we have been celebrating Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths week. The children in year 1 had lots of fun investigating the best way to protect an egg from breaking. Once they had made their containers, they dropped the eggs from a window to see if their containers worked. Needless to say, we have some great engineers in Year 1!

As the weather has been drier this week, the children have finally been able to play on the new trim trail. They had great fun on Thursday exploring the new equipment. Moving forward, there will be a rota so that each class gets a turn over the course of a week.

PARKING

We have had complaints from local residents about parents double parking and blocking the road outside the school. This is dangerous for the children and inconvenient for our neighbours. Please can you try to walk, cycle or scooter to school if at all possible. If you need to drive, please can you ensure you park considerately. Thank you for your support in this matter.

CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

The school continues to receive daily updates and advice from the Trust and the Government. We are ensuring the children and staff are washing their hands regularly and at key points during the school day. The children are also being spoken to about this in assemblies each week. Additional cleaning is also taking place.

Unfortunately we have been advised to cancel events where large groups of people have been invited in to school. Therefore the following events have been cancelled:

- Reception Mother's Day Lunch—17th March
- Year 1 Mother's Day Afternoon Tea-20th March
- Open Afternoon—27th March
- Easter Assembly—3rd April

I am sorry for the disappointment and inconvenience this causes, but as I am sure you can appreciate, we have to follow the advice we are given.

'Friends of Newhall' Events:

20th March—Mother's Day Pop Up Shop 27th March— Great British Spring Clean Litter-Pick

3rd April—Easter Egg Hunt

We have had a lot of dressing up days recently and the children have thoroughly enjoyed this, thank you all for making a great effort!

Please can I ask all parents to inform the nursery via email or phone call if your child will not be attending Nursery. Thank you for your cooperation.

House Points	
Air	2113
Earth	1782
Fire	1825
Water	1818
Attendance This Week	
Cherry	100%
Willow	99.3%
Beech	100%
Rowan	99.6%

