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Primary – Staff changes

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you that Mr Vernon has now left his position at Penshurst Primary School. He has been an excellent member of staff and a highly regarded teacher; he will be greatly missed by pupils, colleagues, and the wider school community. During his time with us, Mr Vernon worked hard to develop and deliver PE across the school, and we are grateful for his efforts and the positive impact he had across school. However, he has made the decision to pursue a new endeavour, and we wish him every success for the future.

In the meantime, we have put interim arrangements in place to ensure that PE lessons continue smoothly. We are currently working on a longer-term solution for the summer term and will update you as soon as these arrangements are finalised.

As many of you know, Mr Vernon also led our school football team. I would like to reassure you that the forthcoming fixtures are fully in hand and will go ahead as planned.

Thank you for your understanding and support while we manage this transition. Please do not hesitate to contact the school office if you have any questions.

Yours faithfully

Mrs C Shiels
Headteacher