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Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Miss Holly Ballard

I am writing to inform you that Miss H Ballard will be leaving South Borough at the end of Term 6. We are incredibly proud to announce that Miss Ballard has been successfully promoted to the role of Deputy Headteacher at Loose Primary School, and she will be taking up this exciting new position in September 2025.

Miss Ballard has been an integral part of South Borough for over 10 years, serving as our Assistant Headteacher. During this time, she has made a truly significant and positive impact on countless children and families within our school community. Many of your children will have been taught by Miss Ballard, as she has led numerous classes across the school, most recently our current 1B and 5A classes. Furthermore, Miss Ballard was the driving force behind the establishment of our crucial breakfast and after-school clubs, a provision that has become invaluable to many of our families. In her role as Senior Mental Health Lead, Miss Ballard has not only considerably raised the awareness and importance of mental health across South Borough but also successfully guided the school to achieve the Wellbeing for Schools Award on two occasions. These achievements represent just a glimpse of the widespread influence Miss Ballard has had on our school.

Her bright, cheery disposition and welcoming nature will be greatly missed by staff, pupils, and parents alike when September arrives. I have no doubt that you will all join me in extending our very best wishes to Miss Ballard as she embarks on this well-deserved promotion and the next chapter in her career. Thankfully, Loose Primary School is just around the corner, so there will always be opportunities for her to pop back and see how we are all getting on!

Thanks as always for your support,

Mathew Currie
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