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Dear Parents and Carers,

I have recently been contacted by Melanie Carlisle, the Senior Care Assistant at Oxford House Residential Home on Garstang Road in Fulwood.

She has asked if as a school we would like to become 'Pen Pals' with some of the elderly residents who either do not get out and/or do not have visitors or mail.

This is something I think would be really worthwhile for all, both the residents at Oxford House and also our children. Initially the idea is for our children to write and introduce themselves (no photos) with the possibility of inviting the residents in for a cup of tea and chat for the afternoon and for some of our children to visit them.

If you do not wish your child to be part of this super initiative, please let me know.

All staff will see the letters that the children send to the residents and that they receive, all will use the school address and no personal addresses or numbers will be used.

As part of our ongoing Acts of Coporal Mercy, this is a perfect example of how we are living out our school mission, I am sure you will agree.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A. Howarth

Headteacher