

Hi everyone

I'm sure like me you could be feeling a little disappointed after last night's result. My maternal instincts definitely came into play when I saw those young lads in tears at the end of the game - what a lot had been asked of them. I guess some of you had your own children's tears to contend with too. However, I'm sure when we reflect on this later we will remember how proud they all made us and how much we actually achieved. We have had a chance to chat about it in school but children have a brilliant way of moving on to the next exciting thing in their lives.

We have some other disappointing news to share with you I'm afraid. Mrs Mavin spent all of her weekend (when she wasn't at the Farm doing a risk assessment visit for us) working on the footage she had taken of sports day. However, something went very badly wrong with her phone and she has lost the footage. I had to put a Gareth Southgate arm around her this morning as she shed tears of disappointment. I know, like her, some of you will also be disappointed, but it's just one of those things we have to accept and move on with. We will see if we can salvage film taken by other staff and share it on Tapestry or Seesaw. I'm glad we took the lovely photos and the children will have their memories.

It is pouring with rain as I write which probably sums up the feeling of many of us today. However, I've checked the weather app and by Wednesday things look like they are about to change. Sunnier times ahead!

With love from

Jacky