

Dear Parents,

Another busy week at Priory Junior School, with a chance to enjoy another class assembly—MD4—well done for such a great assembly! Thank-you to all the parents who joined us for this—we hope you enjoyed it.

Year 5 have been busy on local visits to find out more about the River Great Ouse as part of their learning about rivers.

The final week of this half-term is next week—please remember we are not open on Friday, 27th May as this is a professional day in school.

Have a good weekend.

Mrs Keefe

For parents of children in KBS4, their class assembly is on Wednesday, 25th May at 10.45am—please come along to enjoy their work.

Home-time Arrangements

It's been great to welcome parents back onto the playground at the end of the day. Here are a couple of reminders about our school site policies:

No Smoking Site

Please remember that the school is a no smoking site, including vaping. Please do not vape or smoke on the school playground at the end of the day.

Dogs

Please remember that dogs are not allowed on the playground. While we had a one-way system at the bottom of the playground, we have allowed you to pass through with them, but please do not bring them onto the playground now that we have returned to our 'normal' collection arrangements.

Roundabout Trial

Thank-you to everyone who has replied to our travel survey. For anyone who hasn't yet, you may do so [here](#).

The morning re-opening of the roundabout seems to be working smoothly and so, following review, we will be continuing with this.

Year 6 Parent's Coffee Morning and Book Share

Year 6 are organising a coffee morning on Tuesday for their parents—please come along between 9am and 10am. Following this, there will be time to come into class between 3.30 and 4pm to see their books. We hope you will be able to join us.

Diary Dates

Year 4 Trip to Ely Cathedral	24th May
Year 6 Parents' Coffee Morning and after-school Book Share	24th May
Y3/4 Tennis Tournament	24th May
KBS4 Class Assembly	25th May
Year 6 Girls' Football Match	25th May
Platinum Jubilee Lunch	26th May
Professional Day—School Closed	27th May
Half-Term	30th May—3rd June
Visiting Author—Ruth Eastham	6th—8th June
Parent Forum	7th June
Year 5 Parents' Coffee Morning and after-school Book Share	9th June
Year 3 Parents' Coffee Morning and after-school Book Share	14th June
Year 4 Parents' Coffee Morning and after-school Book Share	21st June
Year 6 Young 'Uns Music Workshops	24th June
Year 6 Transition Day—Longsands and Ernulf	28th June
New Classes Morning	28th June

The Great Priory Run

Well done everyone on your fantastic running last weekend! It was brilliant to see so many families and staff involved.

Don't forget to record your run on the Eventrac website by May 22nd—following this, medals will be sent home next week.

The Royal Platinum Reading Challenge

To celebrate the Platinum Jubilee, pupils are taking part in a Royal Reading Challenge. All pupils have been given a reading log with a timeline marking some significant events over the last 70 years. Each time that pupils read for 10 minutes or more, they move on to a new milestone. I wonder how long it will take them to travel through the 70 years!

Each of the milestones are displayed in class for children to learn about. If you notice that your child has moved to a new milestone, please ask them what it signifies.

