

Dear Parents,

It's been an eventful couple of weeks in the life of Priory Junior School—with the excitement of our chicks hatching! We have 10 little chicks now, and these are providing much delight for our children—who have enjoyed watching them hatch out, and now seeing them grow. They are now just over a week old.



We held our termly Parents Do Day on Monday this week—with a focus on Maths in Art—it was great to see so many parents join us in class for this. We hope you enjoyed the experience too.

TH4 performed a super class assembly yesterday. Well done to you all!

Last night, Friends of Priory held a Chocolate Bingo evening for parents—so lovely to see so many of you in the hall, enjoying this time—plenty of 'ooh's' for lucky numbers and some great prizes too! Thank-you to all our Friends of Priory members for making the event such a success. If you are interested in helping, please do drop them a line—whether it's to help on the committee, or to

### Red Nose Day

Thank-you to everyone who donated to Red Nose Day! Together, we have raised £192, which is amazing!

### Safe and Healthy Online Habits

As part of Red Nose Day, Comic Relief has supported the National Online Safety platform with some great advice for developing safe and healthy online habits.

Alongside this newsletter is some information that might be useful, and worth considering at home.

Don't forget, all parents at our school are able to access this resource for support about online software, with some great advice.

You can access National Online Safety online, or by downloading the app from the App store. If you need any help, please come and ask.

### Diary Dates

Year 6 Residential	27th—29th March
Year 4 Coffee Morning	29th March
AB5 Class Assembly	30th March
Easter Lunch	30th March
End of Spring Term	31st March
Summer Term Starts	18th April (Tuesday)

### Staffing

We are sad to be saying goodbye to Miss Willcock today, as she leaves us to take on a role within the Emotional Health and Wellbeing Team. A huge thank-you to for all her hard work at our school—both as a class teacher and within our pastoral team.

We are currently advertising for a Learning and Wellbeing Mentor— if you know of anyone who would be interested, please let them know.

### Year 3/4 Football Tournament

On Tuesday 14th March, a team of Year 3 and 4 children took part in a Girls Football Festival organised by The Hunts School Sports Partnership.

We played a total of 8 games and in each game showed respect, team work, honesty, determination and self-belief. After each game, we had an opportunity to nominate teams for one of the values mentioned above. Priory Junior School were nominated by many schools for their team work and respect to others.

Everyone should be proud of themselves for their incredible team work and perseverance for playing in the rain, hail and snow! All in one afternoon! Well done everyone!

