



Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

What an amazing week! The Art workshops with Kitestudios were a huge success and the fact that the works of Art sold like hot cakes bears testament to that. The mural should be installed over the Easter break. Thank you SO much for all your support and contributions for Red Nose Day - ALL children participated and donated. Combined with the Art auction we raised a whopping -

£600 plus for Comic Relief !!!!!

Special thanks to Apple Estates who purchased Troy's Artwork ☺

H appy weekend and Happy Mother 's Day - Miss Steele and all the Priory staff

Parking – A small proportion of parents and carers are parking on the zig zag lines directly outside the academy and blocking the emergency barrier on Petersfield Road at drop off and pick up times. Please refrain from doing this in the interests of health and safety and consideration for our neighbours. Thankyou

Adult Shirts – If you have any old adult shirts you no longer have a use for, we would be delighted to take them of your hands. These will be ideal art aprons for the pupils. Please hand donations in to the office. Thank you.

PARENT CONSULTATIONS NEXT WEEK – IF YOU HAVE NOT MADE AN APPOINTMENT ALREADY YOUR CLASSTEACHER WILL BE IN TOUCH

Ark Farm – On 18th March, Ark Farm will be back at Ark Priory for the second time. All children will be able to visit and experience close contact with the animals. Please inform us of any animal allergies so we can take the necessary precautions for your child.

Swimming Lessons – Year 1 will finish their swimming lessons at Everyone Active next week, commencing 16th March. However, we will endeavour to book some additional slots for them at the end of the Summer Term 2015. When we return after the Easter break, Reception classes will attend weekly swimming lessons for the Summer term. Columbus Class will go on a Tuesday and Shackleton on a Friday. Details will be provided in a separate letter.

Parent Volunteers required – Over the Easter break we will be creating a nature trail path at the end of the playground led by an horticultural expert for our pupils to enjoy. We are looking for volunteers to help with this exciting project. You will need sturdy footwear, a shovel or fork, gloves, lots of energy and will be rewarded with refreshments for your efforts. In order to gauge the level of interest, we would ask parents to either drop a note or email to the academy office at info@arkprioryprimary.org headed Nature Trail with details of their availability so we can select suitable dates. We look forward to hearing from you.

Top Table – The following children have been invited to join Miss Steele on the top table: Ameera Said, Alice Francis, Damian Nowakowski, Lucian Drew, Daisy Gillet, Uma Parmar and Michael Tomasz on Tuesday 17th March. Invitations will go out on Monday. Apologies, our Art auction crept into celebration assembly today!

KEY DATES

w/c 16th March
Parent Consultations
commencing at 4.15
pm

16th and 17th March
Reception classes

17th and 18th March
Nursery classes

18th and 19th March
Year 1 classes

18th March
Visit from Ark Farm.
All pupils will see the
animals

w/c 16th March
Year 1 swimming
lessons finish

24th March
Year 1 trip to Jewish
Museum

27th March
Easter bonnet
parade and Easter
egg hunt and Easter
Tea Party 2pm

LAST DAY OF
TERM

15th April
Reception trip to the
London Wetland
Centre.

	ATTENDANCE %	PUNCTUALITY %
Nursery AM	99	99
Nursery PM	97	100
Columbus	97	99
Shackleton	96	99
Seacole	96	99
Pankhurst	99	100

Stars of the Week

Nursery
Courage –

Reception
Courage: Adrianna Endeavour: Dilys
Exploration: Cutler Excellence: Francisca

Year 1
Courage: Philip Endeavour: Daisy
Exploration: Claude Excellence: Buckley



Red Nose Day Art Auction

