

# PORTISHEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Learning and achieving together

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to start our final letter of the term by thanking our amazing staff for their flexibility, understanding and hard work this term. While Covid absence has dropped for pupils the same is not true on the staffing front and our team have pulled together and adapted to ensure we were able to offer full provision at all times.

It has been a fabulous term with so much to celebrate and we end it today on the high note of having appeared on BBC Radio Bristol with James Hanson this morning.

Click the link below and listen to our Year 3 and 4 pupils on great form from 7:25 onwards.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p0bv9j18>

## **Final Totals of our Fundraising this Term – A massive thank you for your inspiring generosity!**

Children in Need: £609.55

DEC Ukraine Appeal: £673.61

## **Promoting Healthy Masculinity**

I am sure many of you will be aware of the current national campaigns as a result of the terrible harassment and abuse that women and girls can be subject to from men and boys. If we want to create a society where women and girls feel safe and respected we can all play a part. Please see the link below to find out more about promoting healthy masculinity.

[how to promote healthy masculinity.pdf \(whiteribbon.ca\)](#)

## **Value of Term 5 - Team Work, PSHE Unit - Relationships**

In Term 5 'Teamwork' will be the value that inspires our assemblies. Children will be learning to:

- encourage and support one another
- take pride in the success of their friends

- listen and show compromise
- value the importance of good communication

In PSHE lessons children will be learning from the JIGSAW relationships unit of work. These usually take place during Friendship Friday (Friday afternoons).

### **Free Holiday Spaces for Pupil Premium Children**

Future Stars are providing free holiday club spaces for pupil premium children – please see link below.

<https://www.futurestarscoaching.co.uk/free-holiday-club-places>

Have a wonderful break and thank you for your ongoing support for the school. It is a privilege working with your children and watching them flourish. We look forward to term 5 and the many events planned over the summer terms as we start to reopen up the school to you.

We are super-excited to be taking Year 6 on camp for the first time in 3 years amongst the many highlights coming up.

Kind Regards

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