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The Manor
PREPARATORY SCHOOL

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6 May 2011

Dear Pre-Nursery - Year 6 Parents

SPONSORED WALK FOR WATERAID AND HEARING DOGS FOR DEAF

As you know, our major Sponsored Walk is next Wednesday 11 May, 2.15pm - 3.15pm, to raise money for the above charities. The children will walk (or run) one lap for each year of their lives. There will be three laps of varying distances: a 500m lap, a 300m lap and a 200m lap; so there should be no blisters and children will be able to comfortably achieve their target number of laps. Mrs Duff has decided to join in with the efforts of the children and will be running **50 x 500m laps**. You'll be pleased to hear she is not asking you for sponsorship!!

Please encourage the children to collect as many sponsors as they can from family and friends. The children will receive a Certificate immediately after the walk as proof of how many laps they have walked. The sponsors should then give you the cash or cheques made out to yourselves. Please make sure the Gift Aid Form, the Permission Form for amount to be added to end of term fees and the Sponsorship Form are all completed and returned to your child's class teacher by Monday 16 May. If you need further copies of these forms, they are on the website under Parents - Weekly Letters - April 2011.

Please note we have decided that all children will have normal school lunch on Wednesday 11 May, so there is no need for them to be provided with picnics from home.

Parents are invited to watch and encourage the walkers during the event. Parents are then welcome to take their children home after the event but please make sure your child has informed their Class Teacher before going. In EYFS, parents need to sign that they are taking their child home early. Forms will be with the Form Teachers. Clubs will be running as normal on Wednesday.

I am very much looking forward to seeing the children complete their laps and will be encouraging them all the way. Mr Heyworth and the Senior Leadership Team are also looking forward to the event but apologise that they have to leave early for a 3.00pm meeting with our ISI Inspectors.

Yours sincerely

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