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## NJA Prince of Wales Hospice Reindeer Runathon 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

This half term, we will be getting into the Christmas spirit by supporting The Prince of Wales Hospice through our participation in a Reindeer Runathon! We last took part in the Runathon in December 2021 and raised an incredible £3828!

The Prince of Wales Hospice, based in Pontefract, provides care and support for patients with life-limiting illnesses and their families. Without charitable support, this vital care would not be possible.

On Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December, all children and staff will be taking part in a one-hour Runathon to raise money and awareness for the Hospice. The event will commence during the school day, with classes taking turns to run throughout the hour. Children are welcome to run as much as they are able to and all children will receive a certificate for taking part.

As part of the Reindeer Runathon, children will be gifted a pair of antlers to wear for the run. As a huge thank you for their invaluable participation, they will be able to take their antlers home at the end of the day.

Attached to this letter is a sponsorship form from the Hospice team for family and friends to sponsor your child to take part.

We understand that Christmas is an expensive time for families; any donations are much appreciated and will make a difference to this much needed cause, providing support in a families' most difficult time. Please note: all children will take part irrespective of how much money they have been able to raise and please do not worry about donating large amounts – every individual penny counts.

We feel lucky to be part of this community and know you will all rally around this cause.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Tintor