

10<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

### Charities Day – December 2024

Happy New Year! It has been a pleasure to welcome the children back to college. Despite the cold weather, they have made an excellent start to the new term.

It is with great excitement that I can reveal we raised **£3,501.04** during Charities Day on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024. This money will be split equally between the House charities:

- Etheldreda – Power2Inspire
- Franklin - C9 Teenage Cancer Trust Ward at Addenbrookes
- Seacole – Ely Food Bank
- Scott - Arthur Rank Hospice
- Turing – Gingerbread
- Bishop Laney – Oasis Ely Café Hub

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for supporting Charities Day. We recognise the rising financial costs for families and were, therefore, grateful for all financial contributions. We were also impressed by the families who donated baked goods, bric-a-brac and other items for the day. It was a pleasure to see the children use the skills they had developed via the PLEDGES programme to organise and facilitate over 60 stalls. Their creativity, initiative and resourcefulness never cease to amaze us!

Thank you for continuing to work in partnership with us to enhance your child's academic success and personal skillset.

Yours faithfully



Sarah Goodey  
Vice Principal