



TDMS

Wednesday 10 November 2021

Children in Need and Caring Hands in the Vale

Dear Parent/Carer

We would like to continue our fundraising by contributing to Children in Need and Caring Hands in the Vale. It has never been more important that we keep funding life changing projects and charities, providing crucial services for vulnerable children and young people.

We fully appreciate that the pandemic has contributed to a strain on family budgets and as a result many charities have also suffered, so any money we can raise is always greatly received.

This year we would like to hold a cake sale to raise money for Children in Need on Friday 19 November 2021. The Interact club, alongside the School Council will run this event and would appreciate any donations of cakes to sell in order to raise as much money as possible. Any cakes should be taken to Miss Green's office in Science. We ask that if you are baking cakes for sale, then you please list any allergens and refrain from using any nut products within your cooking.

If you need any inspiration for getting involved please listen to some of the stories where donations make a real difference [Stories - BBC Children in Need](#).

In addition, if you wish to donate online we will provide an option on ParentPay to make donations to Children in Need, which will be available from Wednesday 10 November to Monday 22 November. <https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=5213>

There will be 3 payment amounts available:

- £2.00
- £5.00
- £10.00

We are also supporting Caring Hands in the Vale, a local charity which help the following people: people on low incomes, those in severe debt and with benefit issues, single parent families, ex-offenders, families of offenders, street homeless/homeless, people with substance misuse issues and mental health problems, and also in crisis situations such as illness, injury, relationship breakdown and bereavement. As a school we would like to help them by filling 60 shoeboxes with a variety of items as a Christmas present to those attending the Caring Hands in the Vale Christmas lunch.

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Items that can be included: gloves, sweets, chocolate, winter hat, cans of soup/other tinned food, socks, toiletries, hot drinks (tea bags, jar of coffee, hot chocolate). Any donations can be brought in by your child and given to their Form Tutor and our deadline for creating the shoeboxes is Friday 10 December. These donations will make a real difference to the lives of those in Evesham.

If students wish to complete any other fundraising challenges they should see their Head of Learning to discuss their ideas.

Thank you very much for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K Green', written in a cursive style.

Miss K Green
Assistant Headteacher/Year 8 Head of Learning