



July 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

I am pleased to announce that the Year 8 Charity Day will be taking place on Friday 12th July. This year, we have decided that we would like to raise money for the Guide Dogs charity. As you are probably aware, Guide Dogs is a charity that provides support and services to children and adults who are blind or partially sighted.

During the charity day, students will take part in a range of activities to raise awareness of what it is like to be blind or partially sighted. There will also be an assembly given by Stuart Pearce. Stuart has an eye condition and he will be bringing along his guide dog, Olivia. Stuart will talk to students about how he has been affected by his eye condition and how the service Guide Dogs provides has had a positive impact on his life. At the end of the assembly, students will have the opportunity to ask any questions they may have.

In order for students to take part in this day, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of a minimum of £1. You are, of course, welcome to donate more and all money raised will be given directly to the Guide Dogs charity. Donations can be given to form tutors at any point during the week commencing Monday 8th July.

If you have any questions about this, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J. Tichband

Year 8 Leader