

Dear parent/ carer,

We hope you are all keeping well and safe!

The CCS MedSoc have decided to kick-off the new year with a brand-new fundraising initiative as well as a fun activity to do during the lockdown. We will be doing a whole school (Primary, Secondary and Sixth Form) charity fundraiser event (from our own homes!) to raise funds for the Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH) Charity whilst celebrating our school tradition of Australia Day!

During these tough times, it is thoroughly important that we think of the most vulnerable people in our societies. So, we as CCS MedSoc in association with the House Team, thought it would be a great idea to raise some money as a school and donate it to GOSH as a token of kindness. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, there has been an increased admission of unwell children to the hospital from various areas of the country which means that resources have been very stretched and limited.

By getting involved in our school's fundraiser, you will be playing a significant role in improving many aspects of healthcare such as:

- Research and innovation into children's health
- Refurbishment and advancement hospital facilities
- Support for families and children
- Life-saving medical equipment

So... What will we be doing?!

We have decided to launch our very own Australian Theme Bake Off Competition: **BAKE OFF DOWN UNDER!** This will involve you decorating and/or baking your very own **Australian themed savoury or sweet treat** from home.

How do I enter?

As this is a charity fundraiser, we are kindly asking for a small donation of £1 to enter the school-wide competition. However, if you want to, you can donate more! Any contributions will be very much appreciated. The money we raise as a school will be **DOUBLED** and sent to GOSH which is amazing! Here is how you enter:

1. Create/bake/decorate your Australian themed bake.
2. Take a good, clear picture of it.
3. Send an e-mail with a picture of: **your bake, your full name, your class/form and your House (Melbourne, Brisbane, Sydney or Perth)** to CCSMedSoc@ccs.northants.sch.uk
4. Donate a minimum of £1 via ParentPay.

Everyone who enters will be receiving **HOUSE POINTS!** We will also be awarding 1st and 2nd place winners! 1st place will receive a £20 Amazon Gift Voucher and 2nd Place will receive a £10 Amazon Gift Voucher! There will be a 1st and 2nd place winner from both Primary and Secondary!

The competition will be open until 4pm on Monday 1st of February. We really look forward to receiving your wonderful entries and remember, the more creative the better! Good luck everyone!

Kind regards,

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