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Dear Parents/Carers,

This year instead of supporting Children in Need the School Councillors choose to support King George and Queen's Hospitals Charity by taking part in their 2021 Reindeer Run!

King George & Queen's Hospitals Charity supports the two acute hospitals which have a catchment area of over 750,000 people. Their aim is not to subsidise the NHS but to enhance in any way they can the journey for the hospital user – the patients, staff and visitors.

This year again has seen unprecedented times for the NHS, COVID 19 has kept us all under severe pressure but the dedicated staff will always ensure that patients receive the very best clinical care from core essential services.

The charity really needs support through this time as they have lost nearly all their forms of income from events which are now cancelled, to stalls in the hospitals.

The Reindeer Run proceeds will support their Campaign to provide Christmas presents to all the children as in-patients on our wards across both hospitals. They will also provide a present for children in Accident and Emergency, having blood tests, and clinic appointments over the Christmas period.

After the event hopefully, Santa will be available to collect the collated sponsorship money and present the school with a certificate, COVID 19 restrictions allowing.

The event will consist of children running around the playground wearing their Reindeer ears and collecting sponsorship money to do this. Your child will be bringing home a sponsorship form which we hope you can support them with.

The Reindeer run will take place in the week of **6th December** and all money will need to be given to the office in an envelope labelled 'Reindeer Run money' by the **13th December**.

Thank you for all your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Prince
Strategic Leader

