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Dear Parent/Carer

Charities Day 2023

We are thrilled to announce that this year's Charities Day will be Wednesday 20th December 2023. This is a fantastic opportunity not only to raise money for charities chosen by the Houses, but also for them to show off their entrepreneurial skill! As a reminder, the House charities are:

- Etheldreda - Spectrum Cambridge
- Franklin - C9 Teenage Cancer Trust Ward at Addenbrookes
- Seacole – Ely Food Bank
- Scott - Arthur Rank Hospice
- Turing – East Anglian Air Ambulance
- Bishop Laney – Addenbrookes Charity Trust (ACT)

On the day there will be games, craft and food stalls running in the college, which students will “pay” for using vouchers. The House that collects the most vouchers will win the inaugural Charities Day Cup and gain points in the SuperLeague.

Rather than asking parents to purchase vouchers, we will give all students the same number of vouchers on the day. Instead, **we ask, please, that you make a donation through WisePay**, which will go to the House charities. We suggest a donation of £5 per student but recognise this may not be possible for all our families given the current economic climate.

To make a donation log into your WisePay account and look for "Shop", there you will find an option called 'Charities Day Wednesday 20th December'.

The day will be a non-uniform day, with a festive theme, and students do not need to donate to take part in this. Please can you make sure that students are appropriately dressed for a school environment with no offensive logos on tops, etc.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours faithfully

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