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Dear Parents/Carers,

Ridgeway Academy Charity Day Monday 20th December

Ridgeway Academy is proud to be hosting our annual Charity Day on the 20th of December 2021 to raise funds for Cancer Research UK. This charity was voted for by students during Form Time. Charity Day will also be an opportunity for students who have signed up for Camps International to raise funds for their volunteering expedition.

In the run-up to Charity Day, form groups are also collecting foodstuff items to donate to food banks. If you are able to contribute to our foodbank collection, please ask your child to leave your non-perishable donations with their Form Tutor between now and the 20th of December. Students will be decorating their hamper boxes on Charity Day, so any spare wrapping paper would also be gratefully received.

Charity Day will incorporate a carousel of events. These events include an inflatable course, Headteachers quiz, Ridgeways Got Talent and a Christmas fete. Students and staff are encouraged to dress up in fancy dress. The theme for fancy dress this year is '**musicals and musicians**'. Students may attend school in casual wear if they would rather.

Ridgeway Academy hopes to be able to raise lots of money to donate to these good causes. Wisepay has been set up so that you can contribute to our fundraising efforts. As a suggestion, we ask for a £3 to £5 donation. For students attending school in fancy dress £1, £2 for casual wear, £1 for the inflatables and £1 for other stalls and activities. Students can also donate on the day through any of our cash donation pots. We are grateful for any amount that you can donate.

Please note school will finish at 12.15pm on 20th December.

We look forward to an exciting and fun-filled day.

Yours sincerely,

R Sutton

Mr R Sutton
Acting Assistant Headteacher