

St Katherine's School & Nursery

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Tuesday 19th September 2023

Dear Parent/Carers,

At St Katherine's School & Nursery, we pride ourselves on our community spirit and our compassionate nature, as reflected in our school values. We could not think of a better way to demonstrate our school values of compassion and community, than to raise money for the worthy Macmillan nurses. This year we are inviting parents and family members to come to one of our allocated Macmillan Coffee Mornings.

When are the coffee mornings?

Day and Time	Year Group
Tuesday 26 th September 2023 (9am-9:45am)	EYFS, Year 1 & Year 2 parents
Wednesday 27 th September 2023 (9am-9:45am)	Year 3 and Year 4 parents
Thursday 28 th September 2023 (9am-9:45am)	Year 5 & Year 6 Parents

Our wonderful Year 5 children will be responsible for serving drinks and cakes during the mornings, and there will also be a raffle with some great prizes. Come and have a chat, a cuppa and some cake! All we ask is that you make a donation in return.

We will be then ending the week with an amazing **cake sale on the lower playground**, where you and your child will be able to purchase a selection of cakes for a donation. This exciting event will take place on **Friday 29th September 2023**, after school.

How can you help?

Bake some cakes at home with your children and talk to them about how they will be resold to make money for charity. Everyone's small contribution helps in a big way!

If baking at home is not possible, you are more than welcome to bring in shop bought cakes. We kindly ask that **donations** of shopped bought cakes with a longer shelf life are brought into school from <u>Thursday 21st September</u>, whilst home baked cakes, can be brought in from Monday 25th September.

<u>Please ensure if you are donating cakes that they contain no nuts as we are a nut free school.</u>

<u>Please note that both shop bought cakes and homemade cakes must have the ingredients written on them.</u>

To maximise our fundraising efforts, **we will be holding a raffle**, with a selection of amazing prizes on offer.

Our Community Ambassadors will also be at the school gates from **Monday 25th September** if you would like to purchase raffle tickets at a cost of £1 per strip. These will also be available at each coffee morning. **The draw will take place on Friday 29th September 2023** and prizes sent home that day.

We would like to thank you in advance for your generous donations and look forward to incredible coffee mornings and a delicious cake sale– thanks to you.

Miss Aikenhead

Deputy Headteacher

