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Dear Parent/Carer,

**Fundraising for Midlands Air Ambulance and Hope House**  
**13<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

For this summer term's charity fundraising effort, I have asked the charity committee to support the Midlands Air Ambulance and Hope House. These two charities are very important to the communities served by the school and during my time at the school, have been crucial in supporting young people and their families in times of great difficulty.

The Midlands Air Ambulance covers six counties including Shropshire. On average they respond to 2,000 missions a year and each mission costs about £2,500 but they receive no support from the government or National Lottery, so all fundraising efforts are much appreciated.

Hope House offers a range of services to children at their hospices and support to their families which is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. They also provide bereavement services to the wider community. To continue their services, they need to raise £6.3 million this year.

We will be having our usual non-uniform day where we are asking for a donation of **£2** to take part. There will also be one of our 'famous' cake sales at lunchtime.

For the cake sale, all donations need to be brought in on the morning of Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July and put on the table in the foyer outside the main hall. All contributions whether homemade or bought, are much appreciated.

We are very grateful for your support during this time.

Thank you in anticipation for your support.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Smith  
Headteacher