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Ride and Stride

Friday 13th September 2019

Fear Parents & Carers,

Ride and Stride is an annual sponsored event which fundraises to maintain historic buildings around the country. This year it takes place on **Saturday 14th September**. People walk or cycle visiting different churches wherever they choose and can be sponsored per church or simply for taking part. Each of the local villages of Shipton, Kimpton, Thruxton, Fyfield and Appleshaw has taken part over many years.

We will be taking part in our own version of this event in school on **Friday 13th September** and are allowing the children to bring in bikes, scooters, roller skates or skateboards to move around the playground, when their class take part on the day. The children can park their chosen item around the outside of the playground on the morning of the event and **must make sure they have a long-sleeved top and a safety helmet if they wish to take part.**

We are also asking for a small donation (**50p / £1**) so we can raise money to help maintain local, beautiful, historic buildings.

Many thanks for your support,

Daniel Whitehouse

(Deputy Headteacher)

NB: The charity is Hampshire and the Islands Historic Churches Trust www.hihct.org.uk

