



Friends of Helmsley School fundraising update

Hello to you all from the Friends of Helmsley School. We hope this letter finds you well in these unusual times.

As I am sure you will be aware the current Covid 19 situation is preventing us from holding our usual fundraising events. Sadly, we missed the summer fair (our biggest event of the year), we have postponed the Royal Blue ball and there has been no Halloween disco.

We have, therefore, had to think of a few ways to try and raise money in a safe and secure way.

You may have seen on the newsletter that there will be a non-uniform day on Friday 11th December with the theme - People who help us. More details on this to follow.

We have also signed Friends of Helmsley School up to Easyfundraising. This is a way to turn your everyday online shopping into donations for Friends of Helmsley School, at no cost to you. You just sign up to the Easyfundraising website and then visit your favourite retailers from that site. Once you have made a purchase the retailers will make a small donation to Friends of Helmsley School. Please see reverse for more details. It would be wonderful if when doing some of our Christmas shopping we are also able to raise a bit of money for Friends of Helmsley School.

(We are in the process of registering with amazon smile, a similar online charitable giving site. We will let you know once this is active).

Our next meeting (held via zoom at present) is on Friday 13th November at 9.30am. A code will be on the newsletter this week, please come and join us.

You can always find out a bit more about us and the minutes of our meetings on the school website.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support and to send our best wishes for the festive season ahead.

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