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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Mistletoe Day**

Our annual charity fundraising event 'Mistletoe Day' will be happening on the final day of term; Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December. Students should arrive for registration at their normal start time and the school day will have a staggered early finish which will be as follows:

Year 7 & 8	12.30
Year 9 & 10	12.40
Year 11, 12 & 13	12.50

This event is organised and hosted by our Year 12 students and they have chosen to split the donations between Dens and Mind. Dens ensures individuals and families have access to temporary accommodation and emergency food and provisions. In this last year we felt this was now, more important than ever. Mind is a charity who provides advice and support for people suffering with their mental health. These are two great charities and hopefully we will be able to raise lots of money to do them justice!

Each year group will spend twenty minutes at the Mistletoe Day event in the sports hall; details of these times will be given to students prior to this day. There will be a number of stalls on offer which will sell wrapped sweets, crisps and drinks and there will also be a photo booth available. All items will cost £1 each and students will need to bring money into school in order to participate. This year we are asking everyone to bring in £1 coins, no money will be handled, therefore no change can be provided.

Mistletoe Day is a long running and highly successful charity fund-raising tradition at the school and we hope that this year, with your support, the students can continue to contribute to our local community in this positive way.

Yours faithfully

Year 12 House Captains & Charity Captains