

Mowbray Primary School Stakeford Lane Guide Post Choppington Northumberland NE62 5HQ

Headteacher: Mr Andrew Miller

AM/SB

15th March 2022

25th March 2022 Wear a Hat to School Day in Support of Brain Tumour Research



Dear Parent/Carer.

Sadly, far too many of us are acutely aware of the devastating effects cancer has on the lives of our friends and families. As many of you know, one of our teachers here at Mowbray, Mr Davison, has undergone a gruelling treatment regime, to treat his brain cancer. He received exceptional care at both the Freeman and RVI Hospitals in Newcastle.

We would very much like to get involved with this charity which is close to our hearts here at Mowbray, and ask for children to come into school on **Friday 25**th **March** wearing a hat and offering a **suggested donation of £1** (per family if you choose). The children can wear any kind of hat – they may even wish to design and make their own hat and enter into our **Hattastic Fashion Show**, where prizes will be awarded for the most hattastic designs!

The idea behind Wear a Hat Day is to draw attention to head and brain tumours, a devastating and at times 'invisible' disease. For more information on where the money will go and how it will be spent, please visit the website: braintumourresearch.org.

We have limited stock of charity merchandise to sell. **Pin badges (£1 donation)** and **Wristbands (£2 donation)**. Be sure to place your order early, to avoid disappointment!

We are also selling **Wear a Hat Cupcakes for £2**. <u>All orders must be placed no later than 12pm on</u> Wednesday <u>23rd March</u>. Unfortunately, we will be unable to accept any orders after this time.

All monies to be paid via School Money. PLEASE DO NOT BRING CASH INTO SCHOOL. (if you would like more than one item of merchandise please indicate by the amount you pay i.e. pay £6 for cupcakes you will receive 3 cupcakes)

We know that both you and the children think extremely highly of Mr Davison and wish to make him proud. We are sure that we can make this a successful fundraising event, which Mr Davison will greatly appreciate during this difficult time.

Many thanks once again for your continued support.

Mrs S Beattie