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THE KING'S SCHOOL

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Dear parent / carer,

The King's School, Pontefract - Ice Foot 92 Challenge

On Tuesday 13 July 2021, The King's School staff will be taking part in the Ice Foot 92 Challenge. We are inviting all students to contribute £1, or more if they would like to, in order to support this fundraising event to support the Motor Neurone Disease (MND) association charity.

Former professional footballer Len Johnrose is challenging his football family – all 92 clubs across the top four divisions in England and Wales as well as their fans – and also anyone else who's cool enough to take part to do his #lceFoot92 challenge. Len hopes to raise £92,000 towards the MND Association's care and research work. A number of high-profile players and celebrity supporters of the Association have pledged to be among the first to take the challenge. Those who step into the bucket of ice water are asked to share film footage of their challenge on social media using **#lceFoot92**.

The Ice Foot 92 Challenge is a great opportunity for members of staff, supported by students who will be spectating, to do something fun, while at the same time generate positive outcomes for motor neurone disease sufferers for the future. It is also a way of letting people who suffer with this that they are not on their own, and that there is a large support community on hand to help. We know that our school community will want to be part of this.

We know that Covid-19 has had a detrimental effect on charities and therefore there has never been a more vital time for us to help raise money for charities such as MND.

You will be able to make a donation via the MCAS app, as you do for school lunches. Please go to Products and click on Charity Donations and you will see "MNDA – Ice Foot 92 Challenge". Please click on the add to basket icon and go to checkout. You will then have the option to increase the quantity should you wish to donate more than £1.00.

We would prefer any donations to be made online but if you are unable to do this your child will be able to donate cash on the day.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Holland Assistant Headteacher

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