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Dear Families

We will be holding a Valentine's day event on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> February in aid of CRY (Cardiac Risk in the Young). CRY's vision is to prevent young sudden cardiac deaths through awareness, screening and research, and supporting affected families.

In the week prior to this students will be given the opportunity to buy small packs of Love Heart Sweets, or a pack of Haribo Hearts. They can add a message to these gifts, and we will arrange for them to be delivered to 'their valentine' during the school day. All profits will be donated to CRY.

Additionally, we will also have a non-school uniform day on the last day of this half term (Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February). If you have not already done so please can you ensure your child has paid for their non uniform days via Parent Pay (see details below) as this also contributes to the charities throughout the year who receive our donations. Please note that our non-uniform days are optional, should your child not wish to donate then they are to come to school on the last day of the half term in their normal school uniform.

During non-uniform days we ask parents/carers to check the appropriateness of a child's dress before they leave for school. There should be no rude or inappropriate slogans/pictures on tops and any tops need to cover the whole midriff area. Very short shorts/skirts will not be suitable. Hats or caps may be worn, but must be taken off when in the school building. We also relax our rules on jewellery for the day.

Students who dress inappropriately will be given an alternative to wear by school or sent home to change. If neither of these two options provide a solution, then a student may have to work away from others during the day.

We expect students who have PE on the 16<sup>th</sup> February to bring in their kit to change into as normal.

Please log on to ParentPay to make your £5.00 donation (Years 7 – 10) and £4 donation (Year 11). These donations will cover the cost of all of the non-uniform days that we will run over the whole of this school year, if you need login details please contact the finance office at:

[finance@stowhigh.com](mailto:finance@stowhigh.com)

Yours faithfully

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