November 16, 2016

Dear Parents/Carer,

Meden College students, as part of the National Citizen Service, are tasked with raising money for a worthwhile charity. The charity they have chosen is 'Wish upon a Star', founded in Nottingham by Barbara White, who was so inspired by a seriously ill four year old with a dream to meet Mickey Mouse that she wanted to bring smiles to the faces of many more brave and courageous children. Since 1990 they have granted over 16000 wishes across the UK.

The students aim is to raise £900 which will help to send a critically ill child to Lapland for Christmas. In support of this, all students at Meden School will take part in a sponsored walk 'Laps for Lapland' during enrichment on Wednesday 23rd November. Students wishing to get sponsorships will raise money by doing as many laps of the school field as possible. All students will receive an elf hat to wear during the event. Sponsorship can be as little as £1 and we are asking all of our parents and carers to help as much as they can for this worthy cause.

As the event will take place on the school field we would suggest that students bring appropriate footwear to change in to and something warm to wear. If for any reason your child will not physically be able to take part then please could you send them with a letter which they can hand in to Main Reception and alternative arrangements will be made.

Thank you in anticipation of your support

Regards

Ms L Ellis

Head of College