



NOWER HILL HIGH SCHOOL

Nower Hill High School
George V Avenue, Pinner
Middlesex, HA5 5RP
Telephone: 020 8863 0877
Fax: 020 8424 0762

Email: admin@nowerhill.harrow.sch.uk
Website: www.nowerhill.harrow.sch.uk

27736/GN/AS
26/11/2015

Headteacher:
Chris Livesey BA (Hons)

Dear Parents/Carers

St Luke's Hospice Santa Dash – Sunday 13th December 2015

On Sunday 13th December, St Luke's Hospice will be running their annual Santa Dash fundraising event. St Luke's is the local hospice for Harrow and Brent. They care for people whose illnesses are no longer curable, enabling them to achieve the best possible quality of life during the final stages of their illness.

In recent years, we have been proud to support a number of St Luke's fundraising events and we are delighted that this year St Luke's have chosen to base the Santa Dash at Nower Hill for the third year running. The event will involve participants walking or running a 3 mile circular route from Nower Hill to Pinner and back dressed in a Santa suit. Participants will be encouraged to gain sponsorship to raise funds for St Luke's.

Students from Nower Hill who wish to take part in this event are being asked to pay **a minimum of £10 to cover the cost of the Santa suit and entry fee by on Friday 4th December** in registration. Following the return of the completed entry form with the £10 payment, students will be provided with their Santa suit and a sponsorship form in advance of 13th December. There will be a prize for the student who raises the largest amount of sponsorship money.

Whilst we are pleased to support this event, we must stress that the Santa Dash is operated entirely by St Luke's Hospice. Although members of Nower Hill staff may be taking part, **the event is not subject to supervision by Nower Hill High School**. We would encourage parents and carers to participate with their children but there is no formal requirement for this. Participants will use footpaths and road crossings along the return route to Pinner, which will be marshalled by St Luke's volunteers.

If your child would like to participate in this event, please return the attached entry form together with a cheque for £10, payable to St Luke's Hospice Kenton, in a clearly labelled envelope **by the deadline of Friday 4th December**. Any adults wishing to take part should register directly with St Luke's Hospice via their website: <http://www.stlukes-hospice.org/santadash>

Should you have any further queries regarding our involvement with this event, please do not hesitate to contact me at school. For all queries regarding the organisation of the event, please contact the St Luke's Fundraising Team on 0208 382 8096.

I look forward to seeing you and your child amongst the hundreds of Santas on 13th December.

Yours faithfully

George Nagle
Assistant Headteacher, Community

Company Number 7690023

