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Dear Parents / Carers,

Superhero Day 22nd January 2018



As some of you may be aware, a child in one of our neighbouring Ingleby Barwick schools will shortly be heading off to America with his family to undergo treatment for a brain tumour. The treatment is not currently available in the UK.

This little boy, Marcus, was diagnosed with a brain tumour at the age of 2 and he is currently in Year 3 at Barley Fields Primary School. It has been agreed that Proton Therapy in America is the best option for him and £11000 is needed to send the family to the US. This money isn't for his Proton Therapy as this will be funded by the NHS but the money will be used to support the family whilst in America allowing them to stay for up to 10 weeks so they can all be together during the vital treatment.

We would like to invite you to support Marcus and his family by taking part in our fundraising day on 22nd January 2018. We will be having a Superhero Day and children are invited to come into school dressed in their superhero clothing and make a donation to Marcus' fund.

We thank you in advance for your support with this cause.

If you wish to donate privately you can do so via www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/help4marcus.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Beth Atkinson
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