

From: Peter Bignell - Director of Sport

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Dear Parents,

As a sports department we have teamed up with the 'OddBalls' charity to produce bespoke Abingdon bobble hats. Through the sales of these hats we will not only support the charity and their research into testicular cancer but will also raise the awareness amongst our boys of testicular cancer.

These hats will hopefully be useful for both the boys and also parents in the winter months whilst training or on the touchlines ... not to mention make a perfect Christmas present for relatives!!!



The OddBalls foundation was set up in 2014 and they use the income from the sale of OddBall products to raise awareness of Testicular Cancer. To date they have raised thousands of pounds and have in turn used this to fit 'check yourself guides' into male toilets and changing rooms across the country.

Further information on the OddBalls Charity can be found at https://www.myoddballs.com/pages/charity

If you would like to order one or more of these bobble hats

please complete the google form (<u>https://forms.gle/uv2ojyUvtEYMxntM6</u>) before Saturday 16 November. The cost of £12 per hat will added to your next school bill.

A representative from the foundation will speak to all boys at a school assembly on the Wednesday 20 November to raise their awareness after which the hats will be distributed to the boys at their tutorial period.

Yours sincerely

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