



21st September 2022

Dear Sartorius Parent,

Sartorius House's annual charity event is back again this year on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October. For several years the boys from Sartorius House have been helping Jersey Heritage prepare for the Fete Du Cidre by picking the apples in the orchard at Hamptonne Country Life Museum. In 2020, whilst we were helping out, a short film about Jersey's Cider making heritage was filmed and can be found on the following link if you want to learn more about why Jersey Heritage need our help:

<https://www.jerseyheritage.org/athome/discover/story>

As well as the community involvement, we will have, as always, a fundraising aspect to the event. We hope that whether they can attend on the day or not, each student will be able to raise £20 through sponsorship or donations towards our International House Charity - Sightsavers. By raising £20, a student is able to help fund the Sightsavers charity to perform a sight-saving trachoma operation on a young person in countries such as India, Bangladesh and across several countries in Africa. Last year, the boys in Sartorius voted for a local charity to support alongside Sightsavers, so our fundraising efforts this year will also be supporting Macmillan Cancer Support Jersey. This charity offers free emotional support, practical information and group support to people in Jersey with any type of cancer and at any stage, along with their families and friends. For more information, please visit [www.sightsavers.org](http://www.sightsavers.org) & [Macmillan Cancer Support \(Jersey\) - We're Here For You \(macmillanjersey.com\)](http://Macmillan Cancer Support (Jersey) - We're Here For You (macmillanjersey.com)).

Boys should wear hardwearing clothes and closed shoes (walking shoes/wellies are ideal) and the addition of red items of clothing is more than welcomed. Students may need sun protection, snacks and hydration.

In order to maximise our efforts, I plan to split the year groups as follows. If you cannot attend your allocated slot, then that is not a problem – please just let me know and join whenever you can!

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2021:

9.00am – 10.00am – Years 7, 11 & 13

10.15am – 11.15am – Years 8, 9, 10 & 12

The success of our efforts is due to the enthusiastic response from the pupils in Sartorius in relation to this event and I trust that this year will be no exception. I very much hope that your son will take advantage of this opportunity to raise money for these fantastic causes and give back to the local community after a difficult couple of years. If you wish to donate then please write a cheque or make a transfer to the Victoria College School fund (details below) with a reference of "Apple Picking" and your son's surname, should it fit:

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Sort 40-25-34  
Account 31237632  
Victoria College School Fund

Please could I ask you to fill in the Google Forms (link below) to indicate your son's attendance.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=wJUj7am3N0Ot9xORbeJA72BXxH0Wqe9ItoX-04I2VqJUNUtJODAwODZQOURZTjIPNDAwSk5aTkJNQI4u>

Many thanks for your continued support.

Andy Royle  
Head of House - Sartorius

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