



Newsletter – October 2020

Events/Dates

Monday 12th October – MGSPA AGM – a virtual event. Zoom details are <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/3314535021?pwd=dzE5b1lzeUkxNGk5Tm1wNnBjb1ZwQT09>.

If you shop Amazon Prime Day deals on **13 & 14 October**, you can make a difference: Simply shop at smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/290750-0 or with AmazonSmile ON in the Amazon Shopping app, and AmazonSmile donates to Maidstone Grammar School Parents' Association.

25th October – last day this month to enter for the 100 Club October Draw to win £50

Visit the [website](#) for more details of these and all future events.

Fundraising

Thank you to those of you using the [Easyfundraising page](#) – we have 436 registered supporters, but we could always do with more! We have raised nearly £7,770 so far, so keep up the good work – it is simple and free to use – and every little bit helps. Sign up [here](#), and keep shopping.

100 Club – to make this a success we need more parents to join our 100 Club. For just £30, you will be entered into our monthly draws starting in October. Please sign up [here](#) with a chance to win £50, and £1000 in December, just in time for Christmas! Payment can be made via ParentMail.

Amazon – MGSPA is listed as an official charity on smile.amazon.co.uk. If you shop on Amazon go to <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/290750-0>. Make sure you select MGSPA and shop as normal.

Clothes Bank Are you thinking of having a clear out? Then please consider donating your no longer wanted towels, sheets, duvet covers, clothes, curtains, shoes, trainers, wellies – all manner of stuff can be donated, and in turn will raise funds for both the School and the Salvation Army. The Clothes Bank is next to the Refectory.

Stikins – name labels for uniform. Order online at www.stikins.co.uk, and use code 12733 in the School Fundraising number 'box' and we will receive a donation from Stikins.

Empties Please – we are collecting used **branded** ink cartridges and toner cartridges. Collection bin is situated in Piccadilly. All **branded** spent cartridges should be left here. The more we collect, the more we raise.

Secondhand Uniform – we are always happy to take donations of outgrown and no longer needed uniform

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