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Dear Parents,

Over the coming months St Cuthbert's is going to be involved in an exciting project led by the LOROS hospice. **A spectacular public art event will blast its way across the city for 10 weeks this summer! Leicester will be brought to life by an out of this world trail of giant and spectacular Rocket sculptures that will form a stunning, free art trail through the city's streets and open spaces, bringing together the community for an unforgettable event. St Cuthbert's has its very own rocket that the children will help design and create. Once it is completed, it will join the other rockets on the trail for you to see and enjoy.**

As part of this, St Cuthbert's has pledged to raise money for this fantastic charity. Each year LOROS Hospice care for over 2,500 people across Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland. LOROS deliver free, high-quality, compassionate care and support to terminally ill patients, their family and carers. Patients and their families are at the heart of everything LOROS do.

The continued impact of COVID-19 and a third national lockdown is devastating, and LOROS are facing a £2.3 million loss in raised income across the current financial year. As a school, we can make a difference and support the invaluable services the hospice provides.

We will be holding a number of events during the next few months to raise money for the charity. After the tough months we've had, it will be a fantastic opportunity for the children to experience fun activities and have a slice of normality returned to their lives.

A link for the St Cuthbert's Just Giving page is below for those who would like to donate directly:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stcuthbertsloros>

I want to thank you for supporting the school in raising funds for this fantastic charity. Many people's lives are touched by the work LOROS does and every penny we raise is a thank you for their continued efforts.

Get Ready For Blast Off,

Mr Bools

