



Friday 22nd November 2019

Dear Parents,

We are delighted to be named **“Secondary School of the Year”** in the Lancaster and Morecambe Education Awards for 2019 announced last night, and also to win the **“Careers Award”** for our new Sixth Form *Praesis ut Prosis* Awards scheme!

Congratulations to **Matthew Knowles** (L6) who was fifth overall and won Team Gold for Great Britain in the World Mountain Running Championships. Well done too to senior **Orienteers** who are British Schools Champions; and to **First XV** rugby players who have qualified for the final of the Lancashire Cup.



Kids Lit Quiz

LRGS – a broad and varied school

The Vice Chancellor of Cambridge University* makes a point about diversity which equally applies to schools:

“Universities flourish when, to quote Walt Whitman, they ‘contain multitudes’; when they embrace different world views, different cultures and different ways of looking at a problem. The most successful universities gather talented students and staff without regard to social background, country of birth or religious unbringing.”

Broader perspectives create a richer education for everyone. This is why we welcome Sixth Form girls; why our socio-economic breadth really matters; why overseas boarders help to make us a better school.

** Two LRGS pupils have also been Cambridge Vice Chancellor - William Whewell (1840s) & Albert Seward (1920s)*

Lockers available

We still have some new secure lockers available to rent to pupils. The lockers are provided and administered by an external company, and were installed this term. There are two sets of lockers in the International Building, and one set on the ground floor of the Sixth Form Centre. Please see the contact details attached to this mailing if you wish to rent a locker. [Locker Rentals](#) will then contact you with details including a 4-digit secure key code.

Easyfundraising for the Friends of LRGS

Parents have raised over £4500 for the Friends of LRGS through www.easyfundraising.org.uk. It is very simple and costs nothing, whether you are Christmas shopping or even booking a holiday. Instructions attached – please try it!

Burns Night 18th January 2020

You are warmly invited to join the Friends of LRGS for Burns Night at Lancaster Town Hall. This special event includes a Highland Piper, LRGS string group, three course dinner, raffle, ceilidh band and more! There are still some tickets available on Wisepay [here](#). We would also be grateful for any donations of raffle prizes to City View reception.

Best wishes, including to boarders for exeat weekend ~ Dr C.J. Pyle

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Orienteers



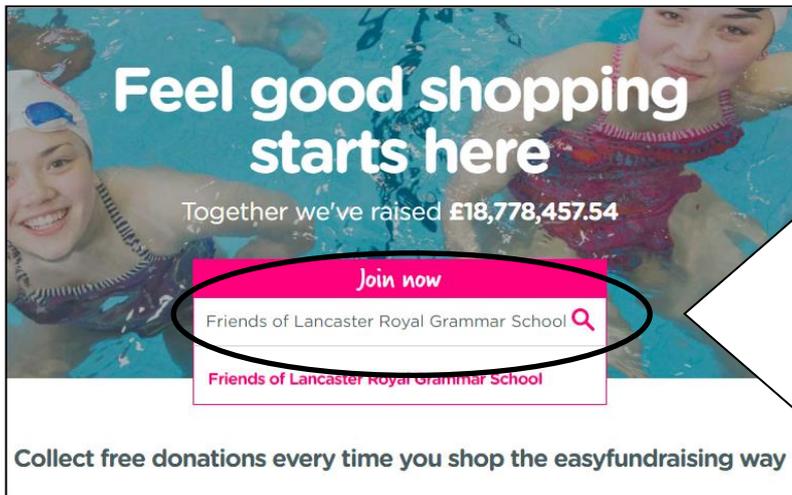
Bake off finals!



Speech Day - Big Band

Easyfundraising.org.uk for the Friends of LRGS

Please will you sign up with www.easyfundraising.org.uk to support the Friends of LRGS when you are shopping online?



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Together we've raised **£18,778,457.54**

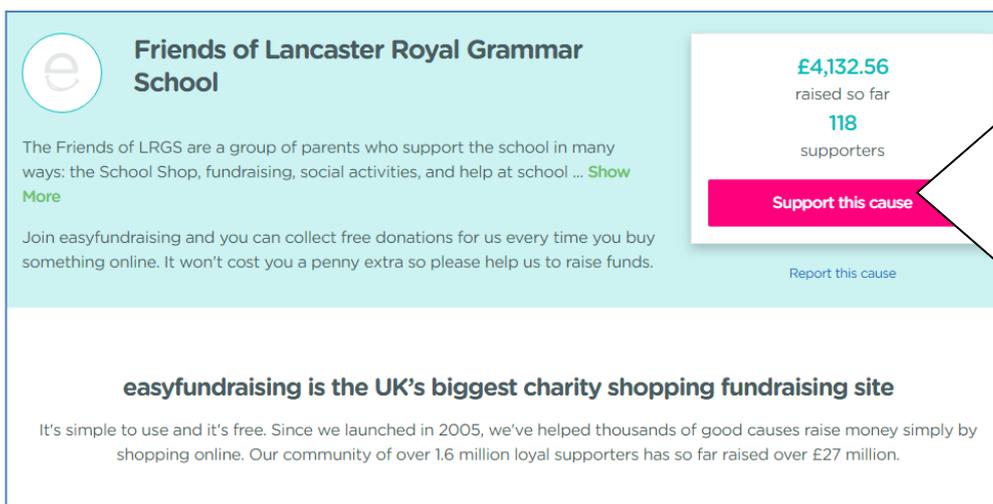
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Whether you are doing Christmas shopping, a weekly grocery shop or booking a holiday please consider using this simple and painless fundraising tool for the Friends!

The Friends use their funds to enhance the school and provide extras for LRGS pupils: minibus, outdoor benches, kayak equipment, School House TV, seismic sensors, bag racks, MasterChef prizes, Storey House exercise room, 3D printer, drums, Twelfth Night costumes, a new rowing trailer and much more besides!

www.lrgs.org.uk/parents/friends-of-lrgs