

27 April 2016

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Dear Parents,

**Re: Hair for Hope 2016**

Back for the 14<sup>th</sup> consecutive year, Hair for Hope 2016 is Children's Cancer Foundation's (CCF) signature fundraising event - the only head-shaving event in Singapore that serves to raise funds and awareness of childhood cancer.

Edgefield Primary School is proud to support this noble cause. This year, we are honoured to be able to host the Hair for Hope satellite event for the **10th** consecutive year!

**The details for the event are as such:**

Date: 25 May 2016, Wednesday

Time: 9am-12pm

Venue: Dance Studio

If you or your child/ward wishes to participate in HfH 2016 by having your head shaved, please indicate your interest in the reply slip below. Please get your child to return it to his/her form teacher or drop it into the **box outside Staff Room 2 at Level 2** before 2 May 2016.

**You can support through the following:**

- 1) Shave bald and/or
- 2) Make a donation through <https://www.hairforhope.org.sg/satelliteProfile/147> and donate in support of Edgefield Primary School and/or
- 3) Spread the word about Hair for Hope to family and friends

**Hair for Hope 2016 consent form**

I, parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ (Participant) of class \_\_\_\_\_, hereby confirms that he/she\* has my permission to participate in the Hair for Hope 2016 event held at **Edgefield Primary School** on **25 May 2016** to shave his/her head in support of children with cancer.

*Part 2: If you would like to shave with the participant, please indicate your interest below.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (full name), would also like to shave my head with the above participant in support of children with cancer.

Relationship with student above: Father / Mother / Others: \_\_\_\_\_ (M / F)

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



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## Objectives of HfH

1. Create awareness of childhood cancer in Singapore.
2. Show children with cancer and their families that they are not alone in their fight against cancer.
3. Tell children with cancer that it is OK to be bald.
4. Raise funds to help children with cancer and their families.
5. Build a community of support for children with cancer and their families.

Every shaven head represents an understanding by an individual of the ordeals that a child with cancer is subjected to. HfH provides an opportunity to garner support from the public in the form of monetary pledging. By volunteering to shave, the shavees become Children's Cancer Foundation's (CCF) ambassadors in spreading childhood cancer messages to their family and peers while garnering monetary support from them. The funds raised will contribute to the overall annual \$5 million needed to provide financial and support services to help our children with cancer and their families to cope at different stages of the illness.

For further details, please visit [www.hairforhope.org.sg](http://www.hairforhope.org.sg).

Yours sincerely,

Miss Pang Xiao Yan  
Values-in-Action (VIA) Coordinator

