



Friends of Ripon Grammar School



1555 Ball 2023

We are writing to a number of local businesses linked to Ripon Grammar School asking for support.

On Saturday 18th November 2023, Friends of school are holding the 1555 Ball at the Old Swan Hotel, Harrogate, to raise funds for the development of IT to support academia for the benefit of each and every student at RGS.

It is intended that the development of IT will benefit all pupils and staff, but also potentially the wider community of Ripon who hire the school's facilities.

Your business can offer support in a number of ways listed below:

- **Purchasing tickets or a table for the 1555 Ball (on sale now, using the link below)**
<https://forms.office.com/r/jB0LZeZYAA>
- **Donating a prize for the raffle, auction or gift tree**
- **Sponsoring the pre-dinner drinks for the Ball**
- **Sponsoring specific equipment, such as laptops or interactive whiteboards for the school**
- **Offering a monetary donation**

Our bank details are included below:

Name of Account: Friends of Ripon Grammar School

Sort Code: 20-37-13

Account Number: 70669393

A cash donation by an individual is eligible for Gift Aid, as Friends of Ripon Grammar School is a registered charity (Reg. No. 1109915). If required, a Gift Aid Form is attached for completion.

ALL businesses who offer support will be listed on the evening of the 1555 Ball.

In return for your generosity, we will advertise your business on the school's FRGS Facebook page and Newsletter that currently reaches households of nearly 1000 students.

If you are able to help, please get in contact with Friends of School using the email address below.

Thank you for your support.

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Friends of RGS seek to provide enrichment opportunities for pupils, staff, parents and the wider community.

Registered Charity No 1109915

Email: friends@ripongrammar.com

Charity Gift Aid Declaration – single donation

Boost your donation by 25p of Gift Aid for every £1 you donate

Gift Aid is reclaimed by the charity from the tax you pay for the current tax year. Your address is needed to identify you as a current UK taxpayer.

In order to Gift Aid your donation you must tick the box below:

I want to Gift Aid my donation of _____ to

Name of Charity: FRIENDS OF RIPON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

My Details

Title _____

First name or initial(s) _____

Surname _____

Full Home address _____

Postcode _____

Date _____

Please notify the charity if you:

- want to cancel this declaration
- change your name or home address
- no longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains

If you pay Income Tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your Self-Assessment tax return or ask HM Revenue and Customs to adjust your tax code.