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Dear Old Boy

SPORT FOR ALL – A Sustainable vision for Sporting Development at DHSB

I am writing to seek your financial support for a project which will further enhance the sporting and recreational facilities on offer at the school. DHSB is blessed with a unique environment and one which has been hugely enriched over the years through the financial giving of current and former students and their families. The building of the Sports Hall at the turn of the millennium and, more recently, the laying of a full size 3G Artificial Pitch, would not have been possible without generous financial backing from our community.

In addition to extending the experience of our students, the investment in our sporting facilities has brought benefits to the wider community. The school's lettings programme is self-supporting, generates income that supports the curriculum, and sees the school's facilities in constant use throughout the year. Sport for All, in its widest sense, is exactly that an offer to our students and the wider community. It has become a reality and now we want to further develop it, and, with your support, we hope we will!

So, despite the current financial challenges in the public sector, we remain highly committed to investing in our facilities, and our plan is to:-

1. Build a smaller Artificial Pitch (5-a-side) adjacent to the existing pitch using as much of the existing infrastructure as possible, to keep build costs to a minimum.
2. Convert the Edgcumbe hard surface into a MUGA (Multi Utility Games Area)
3. Upgrading the fitness suite.

I am delighted to enclose some campaign literature and a response form and I very much hope you will be able to consider financial support for our vision. We would really appreciate the opportunity to present our vision to you and to this end you are cordially invited to a reception at the school in the Upper Learning Commons on Monday 21st May from 5.00pm.

If you are able to join us on 21st May, would you please confirm your attendance with the Reception Team either by telephone or email to reception@dhsb.org.

I would be delighted to meet with you and hope I can count upon your support in making our vision a reality.

Yours sincerely

Dan Roberts
Headteacher