

18th May 2026

Dear Parent/Carer

NHS Big Tea in support of Coventry and Warwickshire Children's Charity

Etone College
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I am writing to invite you to a "Birthday Tea-Party" at Etone College on Friday 3rd July, held in support of the NHS Big Tea, which celebrates the birthday of the NHS on 5th July. All money raised from the event will be donated to University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire Charity. The charity is an important partner of Etone, having supported us in our commitment to our communities for the past 6 years.

Cakes and refreshments will be available in the café at Etone from 9.30am until 11.00am and we would love you to join us to raise funds for a very worthwhile cause. Your child will be able to attend the event with you and there will be an opportunity to see some of the amazing artwork and performances developed across the year.

Numbers are limited for this event and will be distributed on a first-come, first-served basis. To book onto the event please complete the expression of interest form in the link below.

NHS Birthday Cake Challenge

We are additionally holding two competitions for the event, focused around celebrating the NHS' 78 Birthday.

Challenge	Details	Prize	Collection
Form Time Cake Donations	Which Form group can donate the most shop brought cakes. Cakes must be sealed and have a use by date of at least 3 rd July Please remember we are a NUT FREE school.	Afternoon Tea with the Head for the winning form	House Office 22 nd June 2026
NHS 78 th Birthday Cake	Individuals can choose to bake and enter a cake with the theme of '78 Years of the NHS'. Please enter the form below if your child would like to take part. Cakes must be labelled with all ingredients, including if any allergens are present. Details and labels can be collected from House office by your child once registered.	Individual Bake Off Award 50 House Points £10 Amazon Voucher	DI-1 3 rd July 2026

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Mr I Smith
Headteacher



ETONES BIG TEA



WHAT IS THE BIG TEA EVENT?

Starting in 2018, the Big Tea event looks to raise funds and celebrate the birthday of the NHS on 5th July.

Hospitals, schools, surgeries and venues across the country join together for tea, birthday cake and more



Date: Friday 3rd July

Venue: Main Hall

Time: 9:30-11:00am

Who: Parents

GET INVOLVED

- Get your parents to sign up to attend the event Friday 3rd July P1/2
- Donate money that goes directly to CWCC
- Donate bought cakes for the event - Most within a Form Group wins!

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