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Dear Parents/Carers

The Year 1 Library Fundraising Team have been inspired by the wonderful story of "The Very Hungry Caterpillar"

As a theme for raising funds for our new school library. The children were fascinated to discover that the story is 50 years old! It was published in 1969 and has been a well-loved story by children and grown-ups ever since.

This became the inspiration behind our fundraising campaign. The children have been finding out about historical events from 1969.

This event is based around the iconic band 'The Beatles' who performed for the last time ever as a band in 1969. From this the children have been organising a sponsored Beatles Mania "Danceathon" Day. This will take place on Monday 15 July. We will be dancing to classic Beatles and other dance tunes from 9.30am – 3.00pm.

Weather depending all classes will be dancing on the playground at some point in the day. We will be inviting parents to cheer then along or join in if they wish. Snacks will also be available. Further details regarding time slots will be provided nearer the time.

On this day we are inviting the children to come to school dressed as their favourite pop star, band member or dressed for a party/disco.

We will be sending home a sponsorship form shortly. All children who are sponsored will be entered into a draw to win a special trip out with Mrs de Carteret. There will be one winner per class.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L A de Carteret
Headteacher