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Ormiston Venture Academy Hosts Children in Need fundraiser

To support 2017 Children in Need, The Union of Venture Students (the representative body for students at Ormiston Venture Academy) hosted a fundraiser event at the Gorleston-based academy. This is always a popular annual event amongst the students and teachers, who always try to raise as much money as possible.

This year, students were encouraged to donate their old round pound coins to take part in a red and yellow themed non-uniform day, alongside taking part in a variety of games. In total, 106 old pound coins were collected and the academy raised £974 for Children in Need.

Highlights of the day included Mia Cheeseman successfully counting the 17 Pudsey Bears that were placed around the academy to win a selection of chocolate goodies, and Kayleigh Palmer guessing who was dressed up as Ormiston Venture Academy's new mascot (Vinny the Venture Raptor) and won a £25 Amazon gift voucher as a result.

Finally, to top up the amount raised, Pippa Osborne carried out a sponsored silence across the day, individually raising £65 to contribute towards the academy total.

This event has taken the total amount of money raised for charity by the Union of Venture Students so far this year to over £1500, making them well on-track to meet and exceed their £6000+ target for the school year.

Cameron Hodds, Head boy, said:

"It was great to see everyone get behind the red and yellow theme and donate to an important cause. This shows the importance of the day to all students at Venture."

Dave Richards, Assistant Principal of Ormiston Venture Academy, said:

"The Union of Venture Students has set themselves an ambitious target of raising more money in an academic year than ever before, and one of the best parts of their fundraising effort is seeing how they come up with new and inventive ways of raising a few more pounds and implementing them."

"In this case, their games throughout the day were brilliant and I know they have some exciting plans for other events for later in the year, as they are passionate about supporting worthy causes such as Children in Need."

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