

We are **NORTON HOUSE**, named in honour of the successful local author Mary Norton who was best known for The Borrowers novels. The success of these books made Norton one of the most successful people to come from Bedfordshire.

Our house consists of 2 form classes from each year group and we are looking to offer a very inclusive set of events that pupils can all be involved in which creates a sense of unity, camaraderie and belonging amongst all the pupils in the house.

Key to the successful implementation of this philosophy is the buy-in from parents, and with that in mind I invite you to attend as many of the publicly showcased events as possible. The first is House cross-country on Monday 16th September after school and it would be great to have a huge crowd of support for the pupils running in **blue**, our house colour.

Our house charity is the **Teenage Cancer Trust**, a fantastic charity that does so much to support young people throughout their battles with cancer. Alf you wish to donate towards this charity, please use the link below or search for RBA Norton on just giving:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rba-norton>

If you would like to donate in person, please address an envelope with the sum enclosed to Mr Brasier and hand this in at the school reception.

I look forward to seeing you as a regular member of the house cheer squad throughout the year!