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Dear Parents/Carers,

SANDOWN & SHANKLIN
Independent Lifeboat



On Friday 7th April, we are Going Orange!

Three Isle of Wight Lifeboat crews will be among around 67 nationwide joining forces on April 7th & 8th to raise awareness for Independent Lifeboat stations that operate outside the jurisdiction of the R.N.L.I.

Sandown and Shanklin Independent Lifeboat, Ryde Rescue and Freshwater Independent Lifeboat are all independent stations, relying on donations and charity to continue the valuable work they carry out in waters around our Island.

Broadlea Primary School is supporting their major fund-raising event, **Go Orange** Day.

The crew of Sandown and Shanklin Independent Lifeboat will be visiting Broadlea School on Thursday 6th April. They will visit each year group to educate our children on sea safety and encourage the children to support them on Friday. They may even bring the **Orange Monster!**

We would like everyone to dress in mufti on Friday - orange if you have it – and donate £1 for this very worthy cause. Wristband and biros are already on sale in the main reception for 50p and orange ribbon badges are available for a suitable donation. Please note, there are limited stocks so when they're gone, they're gone!

I am sure you will remember Mr Weir and the baked bean bath from last year! This year, to be really silly and raise even more money, Mr Collings has (willingly!) volunteered to be taped to the dining room wall at lunchtime! Lengths of tape will be available to purchase at £1 per strip. **Please send your child to school with their £1 mufti donation and an additional £1 if they wish to tape Mr Collings to the wall – all monies donated will be given directly to this cause.**

Thank you for supporting this very worthy cause.

Kind regards,

Sharon Freeley
Headteacher

P.S. Donations of duct tape gratefully received!

