The Bewdley School – 200 Club – Frequently Asked Questions

1. *Can students join the 200 club?*
   Only adults can join the 200 club, however the payment will be collected through the student's ipayimpact account (www.ipayimpact.co.uk)

2. *Is it possible to sign up for more than one membership?*
   There are only 200 places available in the 200 club. If there are any memberships left over after all applicants have been allocated, then yes you can apply for additional places. Please contact the School Finance Team (finance@bewdley.worcs.sch.uk or 01299 403277)

3. *How do I pay?*
   Members are expected to pay £5 each month, or an annual payment of £60 at the start of membership. It is not possible to opt in one month and opt out another. Membership can however be cancelled – see below. Payment is only accepted via www.ipayimpact.co.uk and all members will be required to set up an autopayment of £5 to be taken on the 1st of each month. If you need any assistance with setting up the autopayment, or in using ipayimpact, the School Finance Team will be happy to assist.

4. *How do I cancel my membership?*
   You may cancel your membership at any time, with one month's notice in writing to finance@bewdley.worcs.sch.uk . You may rejoin, however only when there is a place available. If there is a waiting list to join, you will be placed in the queue, as with any new member application. Members will not be permitted to drop in/out of membership on a regular basis, as this causes administrative disruption to the running of the club.

5. *Can I pay by any other means than ipayimpact?*
   To administer the club as efficiently as possible, monthly payments of £5 will only be accepted via ipayimpact. If you prefer to pay annually (£60 per year), we would also request this via ipayimpact at the start of your membership. In exceptional circumstances, we can accept payment by an alternative means, but this must be agreed in advance with the School Finance Team.

6. *How will prizes be administered to the winner?*
   Prizes will be sent to the winners as either a bank transfer (we will contact you for you bank details at the time), or if you prefer as a cheque posted to your home address. Cash prizes are not permitted.

7. *How will I know if I have won?*
   We will contact you by phone or email, if you have won. Winning numbers will also be announced on social media, and if permission has been given the first name and first initial of the surname will also be announced.

8. *How will the winning number be selected each month?*
   All current members of the 200 club, who have paid their monthly or annual fee, will have their number entered into the monthly draw. The number will be selected randomly, by a member of the school community, using numbered counters. This will be videoed and

released on social media each month.

9. ***When is the draw made each month?***
   The draw will be announced on the 15th of each month. There may be slight variability, of plus or minus a couple of days, depending on where weekends/holidays fall. A draw will be administered 12 times per year, including in August during the summer holidays.

10. ***Is a number allocated for my place?***
    Yes, each membership will be allocated a specific number which you will be notified of via email. This number will stay the same for the entire period of membership.

11. ***How will I know where the profits have been spent***?
    An annual statement will be sent to all members and announced on school social media outlining the profits from the 200 club and where these have been allocated.

12. ***What happens if I don't pay?***
    If you do not pay on the 1st of each month, then a reminder email will be sent. If no payment is received by 10th of each month, you will not be entered into that month's draw, and your membership will be cancelled.

13. ***What happens if there are too few members to make the club feasible?***
    If there are too few members to make the club worthwhile running, the club will be terminated and all current members will be informed via email. If you have paid a monthly or annual fee, but no monthly draw has taken place, then your payment will be refunded via ipayimpact.