Stanbridge Lower School PTFA Newsletter, September 2020

Welcome back everyone and welcome new parents. We hope the children are settling in and that everyone is adapting to these new changes. As like everything, fundraising this year for the school is going to be a little different. While normally we would enjoy putting on discos, film nights and picnics we will of course now have to think of alternative ways to raise money. We have always endeavoured to try and raise money with fun and exciting events for the children to participate in and we will continue to think of new ideas to do this. If anyone has any ideas, please do let us know.

The wildlife garden has been transformed over the summer holidays, and as autumn approaches we will continue to plant new seeds and bulbs for next years display. I would like to thank everyone who has been involved including local businesses who have donated their time and expertise. Without these people the job would not have been possible; Pippas's Gardens (Pippa Higgins), Steve Bird Services and Trilec Electrical contractors ltd. A big Thankyou also to D&P Molloy ltd for their generous donation, and lastly to the parents who have brought in items and for their time over the summer holidays.

Our first fundraiser this term will be the bag2school clothing collection on 30th September. Please refer to the newsletter under 'PTFA' on what's accepted. As a way of cutting back on plastic they have asked if clothing can be brought in using any tie-handle plastic bag from home, a carrier or bin bag will do. Please support this event as it is easy money to raise. The more we collect, the more we raise!

We will let parents know of future fundraising events via the PTFA section on the website and txt.

The funds raised this year will help towards various things for the children at school and we will let everyone know where the money has been spent at each time.

Thank you for support, and here's to a new (if a little different) year of fundraising!

The PTFA