

## Stanbridge Lower School PTFA Newsletter, November 2022

We hope everyone has had a good first half term and Welcome new parents - we hope all the children have settled in well.

This term we are raising money to help towards the new maths equipment which is needed to go along with the new maths program the school are taking part in.

We started by doing another bag2school collection in October, thank you everyone for bringing in your donations. We raised £56.00. We will organise another one for next year so if you have the room- get collecting!

The children have all designed a unique Christmas card this year and we will be printing these out for parents to purchase. Slips have been put in book bags and a poster is on the website. Orders must be in by Wednesday 9th November for them to be ready by December. A lovely way to spread some Christmas cheer!

Wednesday 7th December- Christmas Hamper raffle. We will be asking the children to bring in an item for their class hamper, which they will have put together and decorated themselves during school. These hampers will be raffled off at the end of the school productions and raffle tickets will be available to purchase before the school production starts. A list of appropriate things for the hamper will be on the website soon. Miss. Godwin will also pick the most creative hamper and that class will receive a Christmas treat!

Friday 16th December- PTFA Christmas jumper day with children's raffle and cuddly toy game. £1 per child which includes entry to the children's raffle and game. We will be hosting a raffle for all the children with several prizes to be won! There will also be the chance for the children to win a Christmas cuddly bear in the game 'Guess the name of the Teddy'. The children can also come into school wearing their favourite Christmas Jumper. Please bring in £1 on Thursday 15th December so that all the children can be entered into the games. Poster on website coming soon.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support. We understand that this year will be hard for a lot of people and we will be doing our best to think of smaller fundraisers this year, which will still provide the school with extra funds, that in turn goes back to the children.

If you would be interested in helping out with any of our fundraising events, then please see Mrs. Davies and give your name and phone number to her. We are a small, friendly team who could do with a little helping hand at times!

The PTFA