



Stanhope Barrington C of E
Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: The Friends of Stanhope Barrington

I am delighted to inform you that following our last 'Friends' meeting, it was agreed to increase the contribution towards school trips and educational visits to £6.00 per child per term. This means that all parents/carers will receive a £6.00 reduction in the price of their child's trips.

As you know, our school is very popular and our numbers have increased significantly over the years since this scheme was introduced. Based on our current number of children, the 'Friends' need to raise a staggering £2,900 per year in order to continue with the scheme.

Our next fund raising event will be held on Friday 1st March 2019. We are delighted to announce that The Elgish Experience will be performing at our Ceilidh in St. Thomas' Church Hall. Doors open at 6pm and the Ceilidh will begin at 6.30pm. Food will be available to buy (soup, buns and hot dogs – kindly provided by Dot Macdonald) and there will also be children's activities; a raffle and tombola. Please bring your own drink, however, tea, coffee and juice will be available.

Tickets are available now at the school office and will cost £4.00 for a single ticket or £12.00 for a family ticket (this will include two adults and your children). Please get your tickets early as this will be a very popular event and is being advertised across the dale.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of The Elgish Experience (who are performing free of charge for us) and I would also like to thank the 'Friends' for their continued commitment and dedication to raising this huge sum of money every year.

If you are interested in joining The Friends of Stanhope Barrington, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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