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Dear Parent/Carer

4th September 2023

Re: Last Year's Fundraising

I just wanted to start this new academic year by thanking everyone so much for all of the help and support we received last year to fund raise for our school. It is a very sad fact that without these fundraising events we would have been unable to purchase resources and equipment for our children's education.

We have now spent the money raised throughout last year on an amazing array of new resources which were delivered and some put into use towards the end of the last academic year.

We have put information on how this money has been spent on the 'Friends of Stanhope Barrington' section of our website which can be found by clicking on the Come and See tab at the top of our webpage. As resources are put into use, we will be taking photographs of our children using the new resources so that you can see the amazing impact of your efforts.

I am extremely mindful of not having too many fundraising events and do not want parents & carers to feel under financial pressure due to any events held in school. We therefore have to balance the needs of the children in school with the desire not to put pressure on anyone - which is a very fine line to tread.

The Senior Leadership Team have carefully considered this and our aim is to try to hold an average of one fundraising event (for school funds) per half term. At the moment our ideas include:

Autumn Term One: Indian Street Party

Autumn Term Two: Christmas Fair & Raffle and possibly another Lamb Sale (to be confirmed)

Spring Term One: To be confirmed

Spring Term Two: Easter Fair

Summer Term One: Crazy Raising (more information to follow)

Summer Term Two: Summer Fair

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Obviously, plans can change and we will keep you up to date with individual events nearer the time.

Myself and the team are extremely grateful for all of your support and thank you in advance of another amazing year.

Yours sincerely

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