FRIENDS of:

Littledean C of E Primary School & Pre-School



16th December 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,

The Friends Committee would like to thank everyone who was involved in organising a very successful Christmas Fayre on the 6th December. Considering how quickly it was pulled it was a phenomenal success. The amount of people willing to be involved in the setting up, running of stalls and clearing down was amazing and brought about a really good feeling to the whole event. It ran very smoothly due to having so many hands-on deck and felt like one of the best events we've run in a while.

This we believe is evidenced by the £608 that was raised from the event. If you think the event ran for an hour and a half, that is a crazy amount of money that will go back into school for our children. Everyone who was involved in the organising of this and helping at any point, your help was greatly appreciated and so worthwhile.

A special thank you goes to Verity Brain, who after the committee had said there would be no Fayre due to what was felt like a lack of support, rallied many people and pushed for the event to happen. Along with her enthusiasm and the hard work of many people a great evening was had!! Let's hope that we can use this to continue to push forward in 2020 for more events and to continue to raise vital funds for our wonderful school.

The Friends and school would also like to thank Brayne Court who held a tour of the property with a history and hauntings evening. They provided a beautiful ploughman's meal and wine, showcasing a house that is over 1000 years old. Through this Brayne Court have donated £400 to the committee and school. This is an amazing amount and one we are very grateful for. Many thanks to the team of Sophie Greenhalgh-Cook, Jan and Nigel Greenhalgh for their very kind donation.

If you haven't already heard, The Littledean Village Committee are organising a pantomime to be showcased on the 27th and 28th December, it involves many of our children so will be hugely entertaining!!! Tickets are £5 per adult and £3.50 per child. Doors open at 6:30pm. All profit from this event will be donated to the school, so it would be lovely to see as many of our families supporting this event as possible. You can purchase tickets through Mad Nana's Tea Rooms, they are selling thick and fast and limited spaces are available.

All in all, 2019 has been another successful year for The Friends of Littledean C of E school and Pre-School. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone involved in ensuring we have been as successful as we have even through the challenging times. It proves it really is all worth it!!

Have a fabulous Christmas and New Year, we look forward to what 2020 will bring.

Many Thanks

The Friends Committee