

December 2018 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

## A big THANK YOU for all your donations, raffle sales, cakes and your support this term!

The Christmas Fayre was a lovely community event. There was a happy and festive atmosphere in the school hall. We enjoyed performances from the school choir and Curtain Upp. Santa was kept very busy, as were all the stalls. The raffle was drawn, and the lucky winners were notified. We are pleased to have made just over £1440 from our Christmas fundraising activities and events, which will go towards new iPads for the children to use – we have a target to raise £8300.00 for these. Thank you to you and your family and friends for coming to the Fayre. Many thanks also to the FOLS team, parent helpers, staff and Santa for making this happen.

Funds raised from other events held this term: Disco - £300 KS1 Christmas Production - £80

Other funds raised: WHSmith Community - £100 Easyfundraising - £61 Bag2School - £82

Co-op Community - £3104 (Thank you for choosing FOLS as your cause and using your membership cards – you helped us raise a grand total of £3870!).

Funds donated to the school this term for:
Year 6 leaver's books
Cameras
Resources for class topics
Sing Up (singing resource)
Class Christmas parties
Mulled wine and mince pies (for last day of term)

Next year we will be planning Leighfield's 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration! More information in January.

We still have a vacancy on the FOLS Committee for a Treasurer; without one we will be unable to continue our work so please do let us know if you are interested or would like further information! It is a fun and interesting role, which gives you the opportunity to learn more about what happens and make a difference to our school community.

All that is left to say is that we are grateful for your continued support and we wish you all a very Happy Christmas!

Claire Bowen and FOLS team.