



FRIENDS OF GRANTA SCHOOL

Parents, staff & friends working together for the children & young adults with special needs who attend Granta School

November 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians

We hope this newsletter finds you all safe & well.

This year has certainly been strange for all of us and for Fogs it has been very strange not to be organising our usual fundraising events. We are always looking for ways to support our charity and will continue to seek grants and donations. However, in the meantime we have the following news to share!

CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE

This has proved very popular in recent years so we're hoping you will take part again this year. We have some great hampers to award to the lucky winners. From toys for the children & festive food & drink to presents for the grown ups!

Due to covid-19 this year we'll be doing it a little differently. Each hamper will be stored in a locked unused cupboard for 14 days prior to the winner announcements. Also, we won't be sending out raffle tickets. All you need to do is let us know how many you require using the attached slip. You can send in the exact money with the slip in an envelope addressed to AMANDA REYNOLDS – CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

We will then generate your numbers (& the colour) of your ticket and we'll let you know via your child's diary.

All entries need to be in by Monday 14th December. The raffle will be drawn on Tuesday 15th and winners will be notified by school diary or text if preferred.

Good luck & thank you!

PANTO

Usually at this time of year we are all looking forward to welcoming Purple Productions who have perform a panto for the whole school. Sadly, due to covid restrictions this would be impossible this year. However, the children will all be watching a Christmas production via screen in their class bubbles from a local school which I am sure they will equally enjoy!

Next year we hope to see the return of school discos, the quiz night, our Winter Fayre & more. For now we will carry on fundraising where we can.

Current school projects include;

The secondary playground
Early Years playground
Library Refurbishment

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These projects are being managed by Granta staff so look out for future news on the results or how you may be able to help!

And as always we will endeavour to fund fun activities and things such as Christmas gifts and parties for the children (in their bubbles of course).

Dates for your diary:

Jan 27th @ 4.15pm – FOGS AGM – Online (via Teams)

In January we have our AGM and we'd dearly love to see some new parent/guardian faces. If you would like to be more involved with FOGS please join us. As we are online for this meeting just let me know via email and I'll add you to the list. This year both myself & our Secretary Mandy Sharp will be standing down at the AGM so if you are interested in an officer role we'd love to hear from you. I will be sad to leave but will also promise to assist anyone joining with settling into their new role. I have been with Fogs since my son started at Granta 8 years ago and I'm so grateful for all it has provided him, and me. The reward will always be seeing how much what we do enhances their lives within school and the memories & experiences they will take with them when they leave.

That just leaves me to say Happy Holidays!

Best wishes

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Christmas Hampers Raffle

TICKETS ARE £2.50 EACH – we have 6 large hampers to win!

Name:

Child's Name & Class:

Mobile no. (If text message preferred):

No. Of Raffle Tickets Required:

Amount enclosed: £

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