



# Hazlehurst Community Primary School

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Dear Parent / Carer,

I am pleased to share some more good news about the achievements of our talented children; you may remember that a group of musicians from Y5 & Y6 recently performed at the British Empire Awards in Bury Town Hall. After the event we were delighted to receive a donation of £500 to school funds from the Duchy of Lancaster Benevolent Fund to say thank you to the children for supporting the event and playing so well! We have also received a lovely letter from our local MP, James Frith, to say how proud he is of our school brass band and to wish us luck in our future performances! Well done to all our young musicians, who represent the school so brilliantly. The next performance of the band will be at Bury Bandemonium on Saturday 16 June, when the children will be entertaining shoppers in the Market Square in Millgate Shopping Centre between 1.15 pm and 2.00 pm. If you are in the area please come along and cheer them on!



There has been lots of discussion at our Friends Association Meetings about creating a new **Sensory Garden** to enhance the children's play and learning. We loved getting ideas and inspiration from the children and the community, and we are now working on the final design. A bid has recently been submitted for National Lottery funding, which will be a crucial part of the project. In addition, we are trying to raise funds locally by taking part in 'The Pitch', which is a community funding event where representatives of various schemes pitch their ideas to the audience, who then vote for their favourites. The winners will receive £1500! A member of our PTA, Mr Wray, is going to pitch for us, but it is all about the number of votes we get. Anyone can attend and vote – the more the better - and we need as much support as possible if we are going to win! **If you can spare some time on Saturday morning (9 June) please come to Ramsbottom Pentecostal Church (on Carr St, opposite the library) no later than 10.30 am** – the winners will be announced at 12.15 pm. Thank you!

**Our next Friends Association Meeting will take place tonight at 7.00 pm**, to sort out all the details for our next two events – the Family Treasure Hunt on Friday 15 June from 6.00 pm and the Summer Fair on Saturday 30 June from 2.00 pm. We would love to see you there!

Yours sincerely,

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