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Shoe Box Fundraiser

Dear Parents and Carers,

Following the success of last year's Rotary Shoe Box appeal, we are once again taking part this year. Mrs Millway, from Rotary, very kindly came into school to explain the appeal to all of the children. The children who receive the shoe boxes live in eastern European countries who have had difficult lives, our shoe boxes will be the only present they receive this year. We have asked the children to bring in small items to put into the shoebox.

Items to include: small pack of crayons, pencils, felt tips, pencil case, gloves, small toys, hat, plain notepads, soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, socks, rubbers, pencil sharpeners, hair slides, hair bobbles, small ball, toy cars, comb, flannel, scarf, plastic jewellery, skipping rope, yo-yo, spinning top, Play-Doh.

Items not to be included; second hand items, sweets, liquids, reading books, war toys (most of the children receiving a shoe box have experienced war and would therefore not be appropriate), battery operated toys.

The arrangements are as follows;

- * each class will choose whether to make a box for a girl or boy.
- * each box will be decorated with Christmas wrapping paper.
- * all of the shoe boxes will be collected from school on Friday 10th November.

We would be very grateful for any items that you feel you could donate to school, for this worthwhile cause.

For more information please visit - <http://www.rotaryshoebox.org/>

Yours Sincerely

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