



# FOPS UPDATE



## Friends of Penruddock School



It's always lovely to start our newsletter with some fantastic news – so here it is - drum roll please:

*Our annual Summer Sizzle last weekend raised an amazing total of just over £1200!!!*

Once again, we'd like to say a huge thank you for helping to make this happen – and getting quite wet and muddy in the process! Special thanks go to Aimee and James for their kind contribution to the food, Bells of Lazonby for the delicious cakes and all of the wonderful people and businesses who donated the great raffle prizes.

As you know, these funds make a huge difference to our school. They help enhance the learning environment and provide additional experiences for all our children. Here's how we've all helped this academic year:



*Funded the school Christmas Tree*



*Gifted a book to all children*



*Provided 50% funding for a class set of ukuleles*



*Funded choir lessons throughout Spring Term*



*Funded a visit from the Wonderdome mobile Planetarium*



*Subsidised school trips to Beamish, Vindolanda and the Beatrix Potter Museum*



*Repainted the school trellis*



*Funded equipment for the new quiet area*

Have a great Summer everyone and we'll be in touch in September with some more exciting fundraising events for our next academic year.

**Be part of your school** 😊