

Dear Parents, Carers and Staff,



Following our appeal for donations to the Ukraine appeal we have been inundated with donations.

**Thank you so much for your generosity.**

We took all the boxes and bags up to the Civic Hall this morning. From Stanley they will go to the Polish Centre in Newcastle where they will then be packaged up and taken out to Poland. I know that they will be very gratefully received.



In addition to this the Friends of Tanfield have donated the money raised from the Bags2School to the appeal – a total of £109.20.

Back in school a group of our Y6 children have been very busy over the last few weeks practising their journalistic skills. After a lot of research and hard work they have published the first edition of our school newspaper 'Talk of Tanfield'.

The classes will receive copies of this, and I have attached a copy to this email. If you can find time to read it I am sure you will agree they've done a great job – it's informative, interesting and covers a wide range of subjects.

If you think your child would like to contribute to the next edition then please encourage them to get in touch with the editor, as indicated on the back page of the newspaper.

Finally, just a quick plea re parking outside of school and in the housing areas around school. We do have to be mindful of others and park responsibly. We have had complaints from local residents that sometimes they are blocked in by cars who have parked across their drive. If I can also remind you again to keep off the double yellow lines.

Many thanks.

Kay Hemmings  
Head Teacher

