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Dear Parent/Carer 19th September 2023

Re: Indian Street Party

I am really excited to invite you all to come along to our Indian Street Party on the school yard on Friday 29th September 2023 at 2pm. The event is being organised by Usha Patil and Leah Pattison (parents of Aarohi) to raise funds for our school. We are enormously grateful and think this will an amazing event.

The plan for the event includes:

- A warm Indian welcome
- A wide range of Indian Street food to buy (Takeaway available)
- Sari wearing demonstration and option to join in and take photos
- A Henna stall where you can get your own henna design
- Traditional Rajasthani puppet show
- Traditional Indian music
- Holi colour corner with Holi paint, coloured water and water guns!
- And a raffle

Prices vary for different activities.

The Holi celebration will take place near the end of the event and if you would like your child to take part they should bring spare clothes to change into at lunchtime. These should be clothes you don't mind them getting dirty or covered in paint and coloured water. We also hope lots of adults will also join in this amazing event so come prepared!

All of the food will be prepared at home by Usha and will be kept warm in the school kitchen until service is required. This is a great opportunity to buy a delicious, authentic Indian meal for your tea.

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The school gate will open just before 2pm and you should collect your child as you normally would from their Learning Zone door and enjoy the event together. If you are unable to attend yourself but would like your child to take part, they can bring some money (and spare clothes) and will be escorted around the event by their Class Teacher.

We are also asking for donations for the raffle which can be dropped off at the main gate on a morning or handed in at the school office.

We are looking for some volunteers to help to support the event so if you have a couple of hours to spare and would like to support the Friends of Stanhope Barrington with this fundraising event please contact either Leah, Usha or Mrs Cross. We need about ten people so please help if you can to make this amazing event a huge success.

All proceeds will go to our school to fund essential resources and equipment. We cannot thank Usha and Leah enough for organising this event and hope you will all come along and support the event.

Yours sincerely Mrs D Cross

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