

THE STONEHENGE SCHOOL NSL/dah ANTROBUS ROAD AMESBURY WILTSHIRE SP4 7ND



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Dear Parents/carers

The school is hosting a mufti day on Friday 17th November for Children In Need and the Assoun Foundation Trust (<u>http://www.assuonfoundationtrust.org.uk/</u>).

As you may be aware the Assoun Foundation Trust is our school charity this year and as is our normal practice we will also be supporting Children In Need on the day.

Mr Assoun (who has a daughter in Year 7) is aiming to improve facilities in his old school in a small town in Ghana. He is trying to improve equipment, teaching and resources in the school and is having a library built for the students. He has set up a charity to develop this project.

On the mufti day we are asking students, staff and parents to donate reading books which are no longer required. These books will be passed on to the Assoun Foundation Trust. There will be several boxes placed around the lower school dining hall, in which people can place their donated books. Students will be asked to bring book donations first to their tutor room, then as a group brings the books to the lower school hall.

We would also like you to ask and encourage your sons and daughters to write a pen pal style letter to send to the Ghanaian students. Each letter written should be in an individual envelope with a pen or pencil placed in it to help the Ghanaian students to reply. It would be marvellous if we could have 100 or more welcoming, friendly letters from our students to the Ghanaian students. Our students could describe their lives and interests in their letter.

On Friday 17th November students who arrive at school in mufti will be charged £2. Lessons will be as normal, but we hope to have some stalls selling merchandise and foodstuffs at break times to help raise funds for both charities on the day

Many thanks for your support with this project.

Yours faithfully N S Langley Senior Teacher Head of House/Humanities/Enterprise The Stonehenge School

