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Rotary Shoebox Appeal

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are once again taking part in The Rotary Club's Christmas Shoebox Appeal. This year we are working with the Hebden Bridge Rotary who are collecting shoeboxes to be transported to Eastern Europe.

Pupils and families can collect a shoebox from Mrs Pickup to fill over half term. Please label these with who they are suitable for. **Please return these on Monday 4th November**. Once collected, these are then to be transported to orphanages, children's homes, hospitals and families in countries including Romania, Moldova, Albania, Bulgaria, Kosovo and to refugees from Ukraine. The appeal is made now, so that shoeboxes can arrive before Christmas and spread some Christmas cheer.

As collection, transportation, and delivery are wholly controlled by Rotary Clubs, they can guarantee that every shoebox goes to a deserving child or family this Christmas time. Gifts for all age groups are welcomed, and suggestions are below.

What you could put in:

New Toys: (indicate boy/girl, and age appropriate), they are needed especially at Christmas.

• Matchbox type cars/vehicles, fluffy toy animals, small bouncing balls, dolls, colouring books, crayons, felt tip pens, lego, scarf, hat, mittens etc

Older: (indicate boy/girl, age)

• Hair accessories, inexpensive jewellery, sportswear, cards, scarf, gloves, hat, writing materials, comb, football memorabilia etc.

Important:

- No food, sweets, chocolate, drinks allowed to be transported.
- Please do not overfill your box, flat top for stacking.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours Sincerely, K.Lambert Mrs K. Lambert

