



'Souper Soup Café' Friday 25th March



On Friday 25th March, a team of Year 8 pupils at Daubeney Middle School put a massive amount of effort into preparing and hosting a Soup Café to support the charity Christian Aid.

Pupils cooked four delicious flavours of soup, with cheese and herb scones as an accompaniment, and served them to members of the school and local community. Some pupils held a raffle, selling tickets to other pupils at lunch time, enticing them with a range of prizes.

A team of waiters did an excellent job welcoming the visitors to the school, taking their orders, serving tea and coffee, and helping to clear up at the end! Young children were also catered for, as a puppet show was put on for them. The many guests were entertained by displays of Indian drumming, jazz drumming, piano recitals, violin and cello playing; all rounded off by solo and group singing.

The event was attended by a number of people from the local community, including Councillor Richard Hyde, Deputy Mayor of Kempston, and Mr. Ken Deveson, Chair of Governors at Daubeney together with local church representatives.

Pupils running the event were thrilled to hear that they had raised £200 for Christian Aid, and commented on what fun the afternoon had been. It was a valuable opportunity for the pupils to use their skills to raise money for people who are in desperate need.

