

School news from Nachingwea

KEVIN Bushiri, Chair of the Nachingwea Link sends greetings and the following two news items.

Kevin is currently running an English course for students who have recently graduated from Primary School and are eligible for the start of



secondary education in January 2023. The photograph above shows them on the day of the first Parents' Meeting. He invited two students, Salma and Maimuna, from the 2019 cohort, who now attend Nachingwea Secondary School, to address the group. They explained the value of the English course which had enabled them to achieve the highest grade in their most recent national examination in English.

As followers of Link activities will be aware, the Link in Stapleford has supported the Nachingwea Link in the provision of school uniforms for pupils with special needs.

Kevin has helped to present these school uniforms (shorts, skirts, shirts, shoes and socks) to pupils with special needs at Nachingwea primary school (photo, overleaf). Also present were Siamini Faraja, Joyce Liundi (Link



member), Godfrey Stuart (Head of Special Needs Education Department), and Mtalika Ali (teacher).

The children were excited to receive their new uniforms, which were made by the VETA course ladies, and took great delight in wearing them. Godfrey Stuart thanked the Stapleford Link for the long-term

support to these children. He said most of their pupils are from poor families so being provided with the uniforms is a great support for them.

We'd like to thank readers for their interest and support through 2022 and send you our best wishes for Christmas and the New Year. **Trish Maude**

Stapleford – Nachingwea Link Christmas Fair

Great Shelford Memorial Hall

Saturday 3 December,

9.30am to 1pm

Raffle | Tombola | Craft | Books |

Fair trade | Nearly new stall | Jewellery | Sweets | Toys |

Woodturning | Refreshments | Bacon rolls |

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