



ROTARY CLUB OF STEVENAGE GRANGE

Press Release 30th November 2005

Loud Noises being made at Lonsdale School

The Rotary Club of Stevenage Grange, with assistance from Rotary District 1260, have presented an 'Elephant Piano' to the Lonsdale School, Stevenage. This is part of a programme to build an interactive playground area containing specialist equipment for the pupils, all of whom have special needs, due to physical and neurological impairments. Lonsdale expect the whole scheme to cost about £70,000, and to date, approximately £30,000 has been raised.

The 'Elephant Piano' is a specialised piece of play equipment. It has vertical 'keys' which when operated by the feet or hands produce different sounds and effects.

The 'piano' was officially presented to the school's Deputy Head, David Biggerstaff, by the Club's President Bryan Cornish on 30th November, as part of the Clubs ongoing commitment to children in the area. David expressed the School's appreciation, highlighting the value that the equipment will add to the students enjoyment and learning environment.

The project has a to go and much more specialised equipment is needed. Anyone wishing to know more about the project, or the work of the School is warmly invited to contact David on 01438 357631

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