

## Strawberry Tease!

Chrisanne and Reay, ably assisted by assorted husbands and committee members, held a Strawberry Tea afternoon at Chrisanne's house. The weather stayed fair, despite promises of rain, and a magnificent sum of over £1300 was raised.

## Malawii visit planned

Chrisanne and Reay are saving all their pocket money at the moment as they are planning a Malawi trip this summer.

2013: 64 banana boxes have been sent this year so far, (35 in March, 29 in May).

## Malawi Visit 2013

[Click here](#) for the story of 2013's visit.

## Coffee Morning 23rd November

Thanks to all who came to the coffee morning: we raised over £850! We were "in competition" with several other worthwhile fundraising events, such as the Fairtrade coffee morning, so this was excellent.

## Lewis Fundraiser

The Trust are delighted that despite a merging of primary schools in Lewis, the pupils of Sgoil an Taobh Siar who have been supporting our work are still doing so. The school, which has a roll of about 60 have held a magnificent fund-raising concert and massed an incredible £1050.79 which they will use to fill and transport banana boxes of materials for Malawi. The concert involved not only plays, but African songs and raffles. It is great to see a small community, supported by local businesses, coming together for such an event. WELL DONE TO YOU ALL AND THANK YOU!

## What's Happening "Over There"

The Trust will be providing lunches at the three schools - 2 nursery and one primary - we support. This will take over from another body in January and run until Easter. Providing meals like this is a win-win situation: children are more likely to come to school because of the food and they are also more likely to learn as they will not be suffering too much from hunger.