

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 2012



Thank you for getting involved in **Stonewall's Anti-Bullying Week** activities! National Anti-Bullying Week runs from 19-23 November with the 2012 theme: **'We're better without bullying'**. Here at Stonewall, we'll be using the whole month of November to raise awareness and funds for our vital **'Education for All'** campaign – which tackles the serious issue of homophobic bullying in schools.

Your involvement is crucial. Below are a number of ideas to get you started but feel free to suggest your own ideas – we'll be excited to hear about them!

How you can help...

Do your homework! – write to your old school or local school about homophobic bullying for your chance to meet Sir Ian McKellen, win Dancing on Ice tickets or a luxury Whole Foods hamper!

Go to www.stonewall.org.uk/homework to take part.

Say cappucci-no to bullying! Hold a coffee morning in aid of Stonewall and ask your friends / colleagues / family to donate £1 per coffee. Why not use a 'Some people are gay. Get over it!' mug – available from www.stonewall.org.uk/mugs

Become a Friend of Stonewall - from just £5 per month and help us tackle homophobic bullying all year round. Sign up at www.stonewall.org.uk/regulargift during November and we'll send you a Stonewall mug.

Please let us know if we can help you prepare for any anti-bullying activities! **Contact Roxi on roxanne.rustem@stonewall.org.uk or 020 7593 2827 and we can provide you with collection tins, posters, stickers and balloons.**



Your donation will help us to...

£25 – we can send **3 primary school resource packs** – Celebrating Difference – to teachers. This will improve the school experience for 660 primary school pupils – who may be feeling excluded and not able to talk openly about their family.

£50 – we can advise **15 young people**, who may be experiencing bullying, through our free Information Service.

£100 – we can provide materials for **5 Stonewall Youth Volunteers** as part of a training course which helps them lead their own campaign to tackle homophobia in their local area. 5 Youth Volunteers will impact on at least 750 individuals, including students, teachers, MPs and parents.

Please get in touch and tell us how successful your activity was – we'd love your feedback and photos, so we can show other supporters how it's done! You can get your donations to us in a number of ways:

- Make a donation online at www.stonewall.org.uk/donate
- Send a cheque in the post or give Roxi a call on 020 7593 2827 to pay by card
- Set up a Just Giving page for your friends and family to support your fundraising activities at www.justgiving.com

Make sure you visit the website during November to see what Stonewall is doing to support the campaign (www.stonewall.org.uk/antibullying) and also follow us on Facebook (stonewalluk) and Twitter (@stonewalluk).

Whatever you choose to do, make sure you get friends, family and colleagues involved - together we can make a stand against homophobic bullying!

