

P.T.F.A Newsletter

January 2023

We hope you all had a lovely Christmas and New year, and have settled back into the school routine. At the end of last year we finally managed to purchase the interactive board for the school so thank you for contributing to this. Our next fundraising targets are for some new playground equipment for playtime, more music equipment and to help continue the development of the library. We have a few fun events already planned which we know the children are going to love.

We would like to say a massive thank you to everyone who came and helped out at the Christmas Disco, we really appreciate it. Unfortunately even with the support of some of the parents helping the committee, the last few events we have put on have really pushed us to our limits and we have struggled to get all the work covered on the night. We are then left unable to take part with our own children and enjoy the event together. We have therefore made the decision to ask for helpers before each event with specific jobs/tasks that need covering and if we don't have enough people come forward we will have to cancel the event. This is something which we really don't want to do, so we ask that if you can spare just 30 minutes of your time at a 2 hour event that you come forward. Something as simple as running a tombola stall for 30 minutes would be a massive help to us. It would be great to get more volunteers come forward and help put these events on for the children.

Committee Members

Chair - Vicky French Vice Chair - Charlotte Budgen Treasurer - Sam Keast Secretary - Han Palframan Secretary - Martina Groves Sarah Evans

Please join us at the next meeting which will be held on Tuesday 28th February 2023 7.30pm @ Rushbrooke Arms

Dates for the Diary

Coffee Morning Friday 27th January

Wear What You Love Day Friday 10th February

> Non Uniform Day Friday March 24th

Easter Bingo Thursday 30th March

School Summer Fete Friday 14th July (Afternoon at School)

Christmas Disco Thursday 15th December (After School)

Santa's Grotto Thursday 15th December (After School, at the disco)

PTFA Second hand Uniform Items available include

- Uniform
- Coats
- P.E kits

Wellies

- Hats
- Shoes/Trainers
 P.E bags
 - Book bags

All items £2 and below, with some being free.

Bakers Wanted!

We will be holding a coffee morning on Friday 27th January, and are looking for volunteers to bake some cakes for this, if you would like to help can you please let a member of the committee know. Thank you.

Friday 10th February £1 each to take part

Wear What You Love Day

You can wear whatever you love! For example....

Sports Kits Pyjamas Fancy Dress Fluffy Jumpers

Anything you Love!



Coffee Morning

We are holding a coffee morning in the school hall right after drop off on Friday 27th January. Please feel free to come along for a friendly chat and a slice of cake! We will have the second hand uniform out, available to buy too.