

PTA Newsletter

Goostrey Community Primary School PTA Oct 2019 Issue Twenty One



FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Oct

18th Year 6 Cake Sale

Nov

6th AGM

8th Film Night

13th Xmas Card Workshop

19th Recycle4 Schools

22nd Year 5 Cake Sale

Do you have a talent that the PTA could benefit from?

Do you run a business that could support the PTA in better communication or marketing?

Do you have any equipment or land that the PTA could use to expand its events?

If you can help in any way, please contact the PTA

Welcome to our PTA newsletter

Welcome to this new academic year and a special welcome to our new families.

We have lots of events that run throughout the year

These should include:

- 7 Cake sales- for each Year Group
- 3 Film nights- Child friendly film and tuck shop
- 2 Recycle4School- good chance for a clear out
- Christmas Bazaar- fun for everyone
- Christmas Cards have your children's designs brought to life
- Christmas, Mother's Day and Father's Day Shops- for that surprise present
- Beetle Drive- Great family fun, look on website for how to play
- Comedy Night- Another fabulously funny night!
- Bingo night the traditional way!
- Second Hand uniform (on our Facebook page)
- Various refreshment stands

Any other suggestions most welcome.

I am still looking for someone to take over the Chair position as I will have to step down at the end of the year.

If anyone feels they could fill this role please come and have a chat with me or any of the team.

Many thanks Sarah Greene

Finance Summary 2018/19

Last year we raised just over £8,800.00

Last term's events raised:

Film Night £82.40 Bags4Life £251.70
Father's Day Shop £402.04 Sport's Day Refreshments £232.30
June Evening Refreshments £137.20 Easy Fundraising £84.77
Rose Day Stall £130.05

What's happened with the money raised by the PTA?

Each year the PTA holds many fundraising events, some new, some old favourites, some that are just for the children, one or two just for the adults and some for all the family. All with a common goal, to provide fun for everyone and to raise as much as we can so that we can carry on providing annual contributions to the school for:-

Transport Costs for all trips - Year 6 Leaver's Lunch - Year 6 Yearbooks

The money raised in the previous year has also helped fund:

Reading Shed, Playground Shelter and new playground markings on Junior Side and Pirate Ship on the infant side

Cake Sales

The PTA would like to thank everyone who supported the cake sales last year. We raised a fantastic £888.00. We will be organising the cake sales again this year. Each class take it in turns to bring in their homemade or bought cakes to sell to the rest of the school. These take place after school on a Friday in the Junior Hall and Infant Side. Further information will be sent to each class nearer their time. Please make a note of the dates below

Year 6 18th October Year 5 22nd November

Year 4 24th January Year 3 28th February

Year 2 27th March Year 1 24th April

Reception 15th May

Christmas Card Workshop Wednesday 13th November 3.30 - 4.30pm

This will be held after school in the Yr 4 classroom. Come along with your child and help them create a fabulous design for a card. It can be for Christmas or any occasion. You can do more than one.

Suggested designs and all equipment will be available plus helpers. Saves the mess at home!

Ways to help raise more money for your PTA.

Easyfundraising.org.uk – raise money while you shop online. Just register and select our School. Follow the instructions to get an easy click bar to activate donations when buying online. It's easy!

Everyclick.com – you can set up a sponsored event, shop online through this or just give a donation. Follow the steps to set up an account and choose our school.

MySchoolStyle.com - Logoed school uniform. Find our school and you can buy a selection of uniform which is from a local company and delivers to your door.

Name-labels.com – don't forget to label all of your child's things. The schools lost property box is over flowing each term. Avoid this and raise money for the school instead. Just quote *8148* for our school.

Next Half Terms Events

Xmas Bazaar - Friday 6th Dec

Xmas Shops - 13th & 16th Dec

Carol Service Refreshments - 19th Dec

Match Funding & Sponsorship

Does your company do match funding or sponsorship?

We are looking for companies to either sponsor or match fund our events. This will enable the money to go further.

Film Night – Friday 8th November

The PTA organise film night 3 times a year which is held in the Village Hall. An outside company comes in, sets up a big screen and shows a recent film. Doors open at 6.00pm and the film starts at 6.30pm. A Tuck shop is open from 6.00 to 6.30. Tickets are £4.00. Reception children are to be accompanied by a parent/carer. More information will follow nearer the time.

Please make a note of the other 2 film night dates for this year:

Friday 20th March Friday 5th June

Recycle4Schools - Tuesday 19th Nov

The PTA organise a recycling collection twice a year (November and June) where you can donate unwanted items listed below (great excuse for a clear out) and we receive a fee depending on the weight they collect. Bags will be handed out prior to 19th November.

Please include the following in good condition. See their website (Roberts Recycling) for full list and also what is not included;

- · Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band)
- Handbags, Hats. Bags
- Scarves, Ties, Belts
- Jewellery
- Lingerie

WE NEED YOU!

We are always looking for new members; this can be a Dad, grandparent or carer not just a Mum! Please come along to the next meeting ③ or if you can just spare some time to help at an event you can be on our helpers list. The more people we have then we can spread out the requirement!

Year Reps:

Reception	Rosie Tabner and Gemma Jones
Year 1	Louise Lomax
Year 2	Alison Hawcroft and Kath Wilford
Year 3	Joe Maddock and Lisa Booth
Year 4	Penny Flanagan
Year 5	Ruth Pierpoint
Year 6	Amanda Willians

Contacts:

Chair:	Sarah Greene	Year 6
Vice Chair:	Vacant	
Secretary:	Claire Withe	Yr 5
Ass. Secretary:	Kath Wilford	Yr 5 & 2
Treasurer:	Vikki Northwood	Yr 1
Ass. Treasurer:	Kate Hardcastle	Reception
	Sarah Jones	Yr 6

Next PTA Meeting/AGM
6th November in The Sunshine Room
All welcome

Contact: PTA@goostrey.cheshire.sch.uk

