



The Owl Post



How You Can Help Secure Future Fundraising Events at Your Children's Schools!

We have a busy programme of events in place this year and lots to look forward to, but with a lack of new members over the past few years we really need your help to be able to continue the great work of your PTA.

There are several events that the children love such as the School Discos and Summer Fete that unfortunately will not be able to continue unless we receive more offers of help.



We understand how busy life can be, so even if you could spare only a couple of hours to help prepare for or support an event on the day then that would be a great help, no ongoing commitment required. Please contact us on the email below and we can add you to the mailing list to update you as to upcoming events and help required.

If you would like to come along to one of our informal meetings to hear about the events we are planning or share some ideas of your own then you would be welcome and our next meeting is:

Monday 30th April 2018 @ 19.45 in the infant staff room

Charlotte Blackie & Rebecca Pascoe-Youell – Co Chairs (E: chairfobfs@yahoo.com)

Fundraising Total Update - 2017

Wow! We are so proud of our efforts last year in raising a fantastic total of over £4500!!! A huge thank you for attending and supporting our events and to our volunteers who gave up their time to help. This money is invaluable to our schools to support projects and provide extra equipment for our children.

The Headteachers were thrilled to receive a donation from the PTA in the Autumn Term of £2000 to each school. The Infants planned to use this towards their improvement project of renovating the school playground area, painting the demountable classrooms and signs. The Juniors planned to use their funds towards purchasing new wet weather resources for the classrooms and new equipment for playtimes including Lego, outdoor craft equipment etc.

I am sure you will agree that these are fantastic projects made possible by the money we all raised, so well done!



£4500
£4000
£3500
£3000
£2500
£2000
£1500
£1000
£500

Winter Bazaar

Our Winter Bazaar was a huge success and we hope you enjoyed some festive shopping and the children had fun playing to win prizes, getting their faces painted and our gloopy chocolate fountain! We raised an amazing £1056.87!

Christmas Craft Morning

The children enjoyed another busy and productive morning making some lovely Christmas Crafts. We raised a fantastic £305.02 and this final event in our calendar pushed our annual total over £4500!!

Dates for your diary:

- PTA meeting Monday 30th April 2018 at 19.45 - Infant Staff Room
- Bag2school collection Friday 4th May
- Infant Disco Friday 4th May
- Summer Fete - Friday 6th July
- Junior School Disco - Saturday 29th September

Things to watch out for:

Essex Pass - Your chance to pick up this fantastic savings card for a discounted price. Coming Soon!

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