

PTFA NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2019

Firstly, on behalf of the PTFA, I would like to thank parents, teachers and staff for supporting last year's committee - and welcome this year's new members and volunteers.

Over the last 12 months, the committee headed by Tahera Patel, were able to achieve a great deal including thousands of pounds worth of donations that meant the school could purchase new iPads, paint the playground, and buy new dictionaries and cameras. We also helped introduce Mandarin lessons, and organised a Glow Disco (pictures below) - as well as continuing to support the Cake Bakes and the Christmas and Summer fairs.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

CAKE BAKE

Our next cake bake will take place on Friday 18th October (the last day before half term) from 15:30-15:45, and will be hosted by years 3 and 4. All cake donations welcome.

CHRISTMAS FAIR

The Christmas Fair will take place on Thursday before the last day of term this year - **Thursday 12th December 3.30 - 6pm.**

Tickets will be available to buy from the school - details to follow.

We encourage parents **to attend** with their children if possible - and promise wonderful food, games and special surprises you won't want to miss.

THE RAFFLE - WE NEED YOU ...

If anyone can donate a prize for this year's Christmas fair, then please do get in touch (email below). Whether it's vouchers, tickets to an event, cosmetics, or anything prize worthy then please let us know ... the better the prize the more money we can make for the school.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you have any ideas or suggestions on how we can raise money for the school please feel free to approach the PTFA - my contact is yiljan1@yahoo.co.uk and I can pass these on to the committee.

Also if you want to volunteer in any way then please also contact me.

Our next meetings will take place on the following dates - please come along if you can:

MONDAY 4TH NOVEMBER - 4PM

TUESDAY 3RD DECEMBER - 4PM

WEDNESDAY 15TH JANUARY - 4PM

Details of which room the meeting will take place are to follow ...

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THE NEW COMMITTEE

This year's committee will continue to build on the good work of previous committees, and work closely with parents to ensure the best for all the children.

Chair: Tahera Patel (Year 1 and Nursery parent)

Co-chairs: Mina Dearing and Kerry Graham (Year 1 and Year 3 parents)

Treasurer: Amanda Simpson (Year 4 parent)

Deputy Treasurer: Mansi Saraiya (Year 4 parent)

Events Coordinator Hardeep Kahlon (Reception parent)

Secretary: Yiljan Pearson (Year 1 parent)

CLASS PARENTS

Below is the list of class parents and their children:

Nursery: Tahera (mum) / Jibrael

Reception: Hardeep (mum) / Amber

Year 1: Bola and Tahera (mums) / Samantha + Zakariya

Year 2: Kiren and Nkechi (mums) / Jayan + Nkem

Year 3: Bola (mum) / Nathan

Year 4: Mansi and Amanda (mums) / Vihaan + Larelle

Year 5: Suki (mum) / Kieran

Year 6: Pretty (mum) / Anjali

HAMPERS

Below are the themes for this year's hampers. The hampers are raffled at the Christmas fair and organised by each class. Please donate any new items that are relevant to the theme.

- Nursery: Chocolate and sweets
- Reception: Cuddly toys and games
- Year 1: spa/pamper hampers – 1 for ladies and 1 for gents
- Year 2: cookery/baking equipment
- Year 3: Christmas food/preserves and drinks
- Year 4: stationery and craft and books
- Year 5: sports and afternoon tea
- Year 6: movie night and midnight snack