

PTA NEWSLETTER JULY 2023



The school summer fair 2023 raised a whopping £2135.36! We would like to thank everyone for your support of this fantastic event. It is always so lovely to see everyone come together and enjoy themselves.

The money raised all goes back into the school and is used towards all the little extras the children enjoy throughout the year that isn't part of the school budget. Most recently the PTA fundraising has been used to subsidise the cost of the Year 2 and Year 6 residential trips, making these more affordable for all parents.

The summer fair, whilst organised and managed by the PTA, is a whole school event. We had a disappointing response this year to our request for volunteers to help run stalls. We are always keen to anyone who can lend a hand and share the load of organising and manning events.

At the summer fair this year, we only had four volunteers to help run stalls. This is a surprisingly low number given that we have over four hundred children in our school.

The fair is the biggest event of the year and takes a huge amount of planning and organisation behind the scenes to make it happen. Without the support of so many teachers and school staff this year the event could not have gone ahead. Thanks to all staff, volunteers and PTA members who stepped in to set up stalls, man attractions and clear up after the event.

We are keen to recruit new members in September for the new school year. We are working with the school to raise money to look to purchase a school minibus so we will need lots of help with events and activities!

Please look out for changes from September aimed at making the PTA more visible and accessible including the recruitment of class PTA reps, and meet and greet meetings.

We are a hard working and friendly team who just want to raise as much as we can for our school. We always welcome any parent who wants to get involved in any way.

If you are interested in joining the PTA please contact hoolepta@yahoo.com, or if you aren't able to join but wish to get involved, look out on School Spider in the run up to advertised events for opportunities to volunteer ad hoc.

Many thanks for your support,
Your PTA