

October 2018

Welcome back from the PTFA



We would like to welcome all our new families to the PTFA (Parents Teachers and Friends Association). We raise funds to support education with extra curricular activities by holding a range of events throughout the year. From our fundraising last year we are making a donation of £3500 to school towards the new playground area for KS2.

We have lots of exciting events coming up this term, the first one is on

Monday 15th October

**Brightly coloured hair,
glo-sticks, bangles,
painted faces, fancy dress**

the very popular 'Light Party Disco.'

Please note the new timings for discos to accommodate our expanding school

On the night-

EYFS: 5pm-5.30pm—tickets £1.50

KS1: 5.30pm—6.15pm —tickets £2.50

**KS2: 6.30pm-7.15pm & 7.15pm-8pm
—tickets £2.50 (Tickets MUST be ordered for KS2 as numbers will be limited to 100 per disco.)**

Please order your tickets using the form on the reverse side.

There will be prizes on the night for the most brightly dressed boy and girl in all of the discos!

Entry to the disco will be through the school main entrance and after the disco children will be released with/to parents through the KS1 hall fire doors to avoid congestion.

The **café & tuck shop** will be serving hot food, drinks etc from 4.30pm (to allow EYFS children to eat before their disco,) and for the first half hour of all subsequent discos.

At the end of each disco, everyone will be asked to leave the dining room to allow space for the next session.

Donations of cakes & biscuits, etc would be greatly appreciated on the morning of 15th October.

Please note that for Health & Safety and Safeguarding reasons, children will not be permitted toys or mobile phones in the disco. Thank you.

DIARY DATES FOR THIS TERM

The next newsletter after half term will hold further details of all these events. Please keep any dates free that you are able to help and give your details on the next newsletter.

Thank you.

Thursday 8th November, 6-8pm:

Following the success of last year we will be hosting a pre-Christmas 'Shopping Evening.' **If you wish to hold a stall at the event, please fill in the reply slip on the reverse, the fee is £10 per table.** Stalls will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

December 5th-10th, 12-1pm:

The **Christmas Shop** allows children to independently choose a gift for family members. All gifts are wrapped and cost £2 each. If you are available to help on any of the above dates or with the wrapping on **28th & 29th November** your help will be greatly appreciated.

Monday 17th December:

The **Christmas Disco.**

Once again the school will participate in a creative Christmas project. Your child will create a design (within school time), which may then be used to produce a range of personally designed products including Christmas cards, iPad covers, mugs, coasters etc. (Sample items will be displayed in the link for you to see the quality and product range.)

PTFA REPLY SLIPS: To be placed in school bag

LIGHT PARTY DISCO TICKETS:

Please enter the number of tickets you require:

EYFStickets (£1.50 each).

Key Stage 1tickets (£2.50 each).

Key Stage 2tickets (£2.50 each).6:30pm-7:15pm

Key Stage 2tickets (£2.50 each).7:15pm-8pm

Total Amount enclosed £.....

Name of child..... Class.....

FOOD OPTIONS:

Please indicate your food choice, including seconds and for adults, so we can purchase the correct quantity:

Hot Dogs.....

Pizza.....

Final date for tickets — Tuesday 9th October.

Please note KS2 discos are ticket only, NOT pay on the door as numbers are to be limited to 100.

HELP FOR LIGHT DISCO

I am willing to help at the Light Party Disco.

(Please indicate below your preferred area and time, or leave blank if you are happy to go anywhere! For Health & Safety reasons, we require the largest amount of helpers to be within the disco. Thank you.)

Disco Supervision:

5.00 - 5.30..... 5.30 - 6.15..... 6.30 - 7.15..... 7.15 - 8.00.....

Café / Tuck Shop :

4.30-5.00..... 5.00-5.30..... 5.30-6.00..... 6.30-7.00..... 7.15-7.45.....

Signed..... Parent of..... Class.....

Your help is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EVENING STALL REQUEST for Wednesday 8th November

Name..... Parent of..... Class.....

Type of Stall/ products to be sold.....

I enclose £10 to reserve the above stall.

Signed.....