

PTA

May 2021 - St Joseph's Preparatory School PTA



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Hello Friends, Parents and Carers,

As we approach the final term of this academic year we will soon be saying a fond goodbye and good luck to the current P6 Class. Traditionally we would have a leavers disco, a Summer fayre and some other exciting events to end the current year on.

Sadly, due to the pandemic, we as a PTA are unable to run these at this time.

However not to be defeated by the current restrictions, we are planning to run a film night with Pizza and goodies in the children's own class bubble on Thursday 17th June.

We will also be running a Summer raffle after half term and are looking for support from any parents who work for large organisations or run their own businesses who would kindly like to donate prizes for this?

On Thursday 20th May we held an early evening PTA Zoom meeting. We had a great turn out from parents which we were incredibly grateful for your support.

We had lots of ideas to go forward with and a popular topic that came up was events for Parents. We discussed a Gala/Ball, Ladies nights, Family quizzes, Bingo, Worm charming, Snail racing with pie and peas. The ideas were great so a big thank you to those Parents that were able to attend.

With the current Government road map not due to be announced until 14th June to hopefully relax current restrictions on 21st June, and school breaking up for the Summer on Friday 2nd July. At the moment we cannot arrange any Parent or Family social gatherings events.

But we will hold another PTA meeting in September in the new academic year to hopefully discuss planning a Summer ball in 2022. We will also be planning all of the other ideas suggested above as well as our Annual Christmas Disco with Santa and fingers crossed an Autumn Term 'Summer' Fayre in early October.

If you are purchasing online, I would also encourage you to sign up to the Easy Fundraising site that generates money directly for the PTA via the following link <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stjosephsprep/>

Lastly, I am looking for someone who can take on the Preloved Uniform, keep stock check and update the spreadsheets weekly as well as run the Preloved pop up shops after school.

If you have space at home and have the time to commit to this role on the PTA, then please contact me on 07889 181072.

Thank you again for your support

Vicky Brittleton

PTA Chair

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Please text **Vicky** on **07889 181072** for more information