



PTFA NEWSLETTER

Fundraising to keep our children smiling

Welcome to the new PTFA Co-Chairs

We're delighted that two parents, Trudi and Ian McDonald have volunteered to share the role of PTFA Chair. It's brilliant news for the PTFA to have their support, so please welcome them into the role. The PTFA Treasurer continues to be David Jalim and Lisa Weston continues as Vice Chair and Dulcie Menz is taking minutes

at meetings. Thanks to everyone who helps. Talking of help...we desperately need helpers for the school discos and fair. The children love these events, so we'd love to keep them running, but can only do so with help from parents. If you can help, email ptfa@christchurchinf.dorset.sch.uk or pop into reception. Thank you.

Dates for your diary

EVENT:

SCHOOL DISCO YR 1

DATE/TIME:

Thur 3 Nov, 3.15 - 4.15pm

EVENT:

SCHOOL DISCO YR 2

DATE/TIME:

Thur 3 Nov, 4.45 -5.45pm

EVENT:

PTFA QUIZ NIGHT

DATE/TIME:

Fri 11 Nov, 7pm

EVENT:

MUFTI-DAYS

DATE/TIME:

**Fri 18 Nov (non-uniform)
Fri 2 Dec (festive theme)**

EVENT:

PTFA DROP-IN

DATE/TIME:

Tue 1 Nov, from 1.30pm

Tue 8 Nov, all-day

Tue 15 Nov, all-day

EVENT:

CHRISTMAS FAIR

DATE/TIME:

Sat 3 Dec, 12-2.30pm

EVENT:

NEXT PTFA MEETING

DATE/TIME:

Tue 8 Nov, 7pm

School staff room

DISCOS: YEAR 1 & 2 Thurs 3rd November

£2 entrance fee includes drink and biscuit.

Please inform the PTFA of any allergies.

Year 1: 3.15pm - 4.15pm (children go straight from class, so please send in a change of clothes that morning. Please collect your child from their classroom at end).

Year 2: 4.45 - 5.45pm (drop off and pick up from school hall).

Please book and pay for tickets on: Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd Nov from 2.50pm at end of Year 1 corridor.

PTFA QUIZ NIGHT Friday 11th November

Join in this 'Back To School' fun quiz night and help raise money for the school! There will be a cash bar and you are welcome to byo nibbles! Please pick up your entry form at the school office.

Doors open 7pm.

First question 7.30pm.

£2 per person, in teams of up to 8 people.

MUFTI DAYS Fri 19th Nov & Fri 2nd Dec

Friday 18th Nov - Non-uniform

Children can wear their own clothing (no dressing up clothing please). In return we simply ask for donations of good quality toys, books, CDs, DVDs, toiletries, unwanted gifts for the tombola and raffle at the Xmas Fair. Thank you.

Can you help? We'd love help on the morning of the 18th to help sort the items. Please let us know if you can lend a hand.

Friday 2nd Dec - Christmas theme

Children can wear a Christmas outfit or simply wear red or green (please no tinsel!). In return we ask for donations of the following, please:

Foundation - Cakes (homemade are best!)

Year 1 - Chocolates or bags of sweets.

Year 2 - Hamper items (such as wine, jam, biscuits, chutney etc).

Can you help? Lots of help is needed on this Friday, preparing for the Fair on the 3rd.



PTFA DROP-INS

Every now and then the PTFA has drop-in sessions where we ask for your help - even just half an hour of your time is brilliant. Thanks.

Tues, 1st Nov from 1.30pm: To help staple the raffle tickets! It's a simple task but is time consuming, so the more hands the better.

Tues, 8th Nov & Tues, 15th Nov all day: We need help preparing items for the Christmas Fair and for Surprise Santa, such as wrapping gifts. Pop in any time, there will be refreshments and toys for toddlers.

Raise even more with the easyfundraising app

CIS has signed up to www.easyfundraising.org.uk, the UK's number one charity cashback platform, which works with over 3,100 shops and sites to help charities grow revenues.

Every time you shop through easyfundraising the PTFA can collect a free donation for the school. To support the scheme, simply scan in the QR code below or log onto the website to find out more.



Scan the QR code to join the Christchurch Infant School Easyfundraising group.

SAVE THE DATE!

❄️ Christmas Fair ❄️
Saturday, 3rd December
12 - 2.30pm

CHRISTMAS FAIR COVER COMP

For all budding artists, why not enter the Christmas Fair cover programme competition? Just draw a festive scene on the template accompanying this letter - be as creative as you like! If you win your picture will be on the front of the programme. **Entries in after half-term, by 1 Nov please. Good luck!**

PTFA QUIZ NIGHT
THIS YEAR'S THEME
BACK 2 SCHOOL
FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER
DOORS OPEN 7PM.
QUIZ STARTS. 7.30PM
£2 PER HEAD. TEAMS OF 8 MAX
BYO NIBBLES. CASH BAR
BOOK YOUR TABLE AT RECEPTION