



PTA Newsletter

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The PTA felt it appropriate to update you as to what we have been getting up to during the last twelve months, in summary; we have organised two afterschool discos, a Christmas Fair, Mother's Day gift shop, Father's Day gift shops and the Summer Festival. Furthermore, we have also held two raffles and sold refreshments at the Dance Festival.

From the success of these events we have managed to raise a net total of **£7178.77**. This amount is amazing and would not have been achievable if it wasn't for the generosity of all our parents/guardians and volunteers. We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who has helped make this possible.

To date, we have donated a proportion of the PTA fund to the Year 6 Leavers Event and Year Books. We have bought reward stickers for the school and a freezer to facilitate Year 6 to sell ice pops in the warmer months to help with other fundraising events. We are also using the monies raised to purchase an outdoor library. This project is in the early stages of development. Also, we plan to buy 60 new scooters for the juniors playground and play equipment for the KS1 playground.

During the current school year, we have held one disco and undertaken the Smarties Challenge. We also have planned a further two discos, a Mother's and Father's Day gift shop and a Summer Fair.

We are always looking for any help you can give in order for us to run these events successfully and to raise as much money as possible for your children at St. Andrew's.

Eco school

In order to help St. Andrew's become a more eco friendly school, one of our first initiatives has been to set up a second hand Christmas jumper shop and we are hoping to do the same with the nativity costumes ready for next year.

Many thanks for your support.

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