

Friends of St Peter's Newsletter

A huge welcome back to all St Peter's Families and a special welcome to new families into the school.

The Friends of St Peter's is the parent, teacher and wider community committee that raises money for the school and works with the school to allocate that money most effectively to support and enhance your children's opportunities and experiences at St Peter's. Last year we raised £18,800 through various events throughout the year, including our annual bonfire and firework display, children's discos, pancake flips, a quiz night and the summer fair, to name just a few. We were also successful in bidding and winning the 'Bags of Help' top prize through Tesco's, raising £4,000 for a new outdoor reading area. Watch this space for news about it soon!

What has the money been spent on?



The Foundation Stage 2 outdoor area has been totally reformed though money raised by Friends, providing a valuable learning space for the children to enhance their learning.



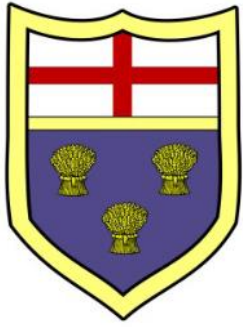
Over the last few years Friends money has paid for the **playground to be resurfaced** with new markings and equipped with **benches and beanbags** to enhance playtimes. We've also paid for **new curtains** in the hall, **tablets** for the children to use in lessons, **visualisers** for every classroom and **new PE equipment**. Not to mention **£3000** spent on **new books** for the school.



Friends have also purchased a **DT trolley**, fully resourced for all year groups to use as part of their curriculum.

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Dates for your Diary

2018-2019

6th December	Christmas Gift Afternoon
6th December	Wreath Workshop
8th February	Valentine's Disco
5th March	Pancake Flip
22nd March	Quiz night
24th April	Easter Breakfast
8th June	Summer Ball: A masquerade ball at Thornton hall
22nd June	Summer Fair

Further information about all these events will be sent out nearer the time.

If you have a fundraising or social idea, do get in touch, we are always looking for new members to get involved.

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