



Castle Hill Primary School Fundraising Friends - Greenbank

Autumnal Costume Themed Gala Disco

October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are excited to announce our Autumnal Costume Themed Gala Disco on **Thursday 7th November** for all students. Please note this is not a silent disco.

The disco is a fun event for all and we respect that everyone has different preferences. Please join us in a way that feels right for you- if you'd rather wear your favourite outfit instead of a costume, we respect that decision. Let's celebrate together in a way that makes everyone feel comfortable and included.

Tickets are priced at £3 each and can be purchased via our dedicated PTA Events website:
<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/gbff>

£3 or £5 spend tokens for the children can also be bought on our PTA website as **this will be a cashless event**. We appreciate your support with this.

Timing breakdown:

Year 3 & 4: 3:45pm - 5:15pm

Year 5 & 6: 5:30pm - 7:00pm

Beyond the disco:

Hotdogs, snacks, drinks, and sweet treats will be available for purchase as well as:

- Raffle
- Adopt-a-Teddy
- Glow in the dark tattoos
- Yucky Dip
- Other additional entertainment and fundraising opportunities.

If your child has any allergies, please let us know, when prompted on the PTA website at the 'checkout'.

Disco expectations:

Children's behaviour is normally fantastic at school events. However, if they do get over excited and break the 'disco rules,' after our usual polite reminders of expectations, we will phone home and ask for them to be collected.

As usual children will not be permitted to leave the disco and walk home unaccompanied so please include the adult's details of who will be collecting, on the order confirmation when prompted.

On the night, children should be dropped off via the front office and collected from the back of the hall (near Year 5 collection doors).

Competitions:

We are inviting all children to participate in our Pumpkin Carving Competition. We understand that Halloween is not celebrated by everyone and we respect your choice if you prefer not to participate.



All children that would like to participate should carve a pumpkin at home with the supervision of an adult, during school half-term, for the chance to win a prize. There will be one prize winner per disco for the most creative pumpkin. Each entry is £1 fee, payable through the PTA website.

To enter please follow these instructions:

- Make your payment through PTA website (you can do this when you purchase your disco ticket)
- Carve your pumpkin (ask an adult to supervise you with this)
- Take one picture
- Send the photo, by email, to gbff@chjs.net, stating the name of the child, year group and teacher's name.

All entries should be submitted by **Sunday 3rd November at 1pm**. The winners will be announced at our disco.

Volunteers needed:

Any volunteers who would be willing to support us at the disco would be highly appreciated! Please email gbff@chjs.net. Without support, we cannot run these events.

Please also use **this email address for any disco enquiries** and not the school admin team.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Sincerely,

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