

St Barnabas PTFA

NEWSLETTER—May 2022



Here we are back again for the second newsletter to bring you updates from your PTFA!

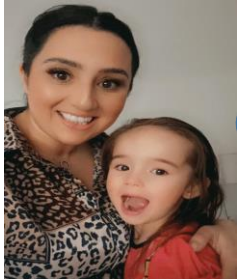
We are going to aim to send a newsletter out each term, to keep you up to date on fundraising progress, some of the exciting things that we have in store for you, and so that we can make sure you each have a voice and know how you can be involved with the PTFA!

If there is anything that you would like to hear about, please make sure to let us know and we will accommodate where possible.

What's New?

The PTFA Members

We are happy to share that we have a new addition to the PTFA! Jade Guilfoyle has joined the team and will be supporting us going forward! We are very excited to welcome Jade to the team!



Hey, I'm Jade....Mummy to Arabelle in Reception. I work part time in retail. When I'm not working, I love family time with my husband and 3 girls. I am really excited about getting on-board!

For clarification, it is FREE to join the PTFA.

We need your help!!

As you are aware, the PTFA is a voluntary position and can be quite demanding on our time, so we need as much help as we can get to keep bringing you these wonderful events, and to raise much-needed funds to improve our school.

With that in mind, we would like to reach out to all parents to see if there is anybody that would like to put themselves forward as supporters / volunteers for the events!

We are looking for parents to

- *Help serve for events*
- *Man stalls at the summer fair*
- *Provide donations for food / drinks / hampers / raffle prizes etc*
- *Marshalls and volunteers for the bigger events (**even 2 hour time slots would be appreciated**)*
- *Fire Marshalls*
- *First Aiders (Please note all first aiders must have a CRB Check completed)*

Please let us know via the email f.o.stbarnabas@gmail.com if you are this person and would like to support us in our work – any help is greatly appreciated....

★ **GET INVOLVED!! PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY IDEAS OR KNOW ANYBODY THAT WOULD LIKE TO GET INVOLVED IN THE SUMMER FAYRE!!!! WE ARE LOOKING FOR THE FOLLOWING:-** Food, drinks and other stalls, (jewellery, attractions, critters, animals etc). We are also looking for fun activities such as **inflatables, activities, rides-** we are open to suggestions so please get in touch ASAP – f.o.stbarnabas@gmail.com. Thank youuuuu!



Fundraising updates!

We hope you all enjoyed the gifts and competitions from the PTFA at Easter (see below for the winners). The funds now stand at **£1194** so we are nearly half way to our £2500 fundraising target for this year – **our ultimate goal is to buy a school bus, which would be amazing!**

Fundraising Target—£2500 Thank you all for your support throughout the year so far....

OVERALL WINNERS OF THE EGG DECORATING COMPETITION – EASTER 2022

1ST PLACE - Carter in
Year 1 - Football
players and pitch



2ND PLACE - Jack in Year
3 - Rev Egg n Bacon



3RD PLACE - Ella in
Year 2 - Egg Sheeran



INDIVIDUAL CLASS WINNERS BELOW – WELL DONE EVERYBODY!!



Reception Prize Scarlett – ladybug



YR1 Prize Charlie – Supermario



YR2 Prize Bella and Talia -
farm school



YR3- Grace – Chicks



YR4 – Wilson Peace for Ukraine



YR5 – Darcy – Mrs Eggarty



YR6 Jacob, Ninja Turtles

2022 – SAVE THE DATE!!!

To make sure that you don't miss out, please put these dates in your diary!!

Saturday 9th July 2022 (11am -4pm) - We are VERY excited to share with you that we have set a date for the summer fayre!! We are aiming to put on a huge event for you and your families to enjoy, full of fun packed activities and would love you to come. Keep your eyes peeled for the full details!

Wednesday 15th June (8:15am) : We have also set a date for those special males in your child's life the Father's Day breakfast. Sausage sandwiches for adults and a brioche for the kids – please go to parentpay ASAP as spaces are limited.

SPRING (DONE) Mothers & Carers Gift Shop Easter Egg tombola and chocolate hamper raffle	SUMMER (STILL TO COME) Summer Fair Bonanza Father's Day Breakfast
AUTUMN (STILL TO COME) Halloween Disco Quiz Night (for the parents)	WINTER (STILL TO COME) Christmas Fair



Help us to Help you!

At the Mother's Day stall we had quite a few parents that were asking for tickets after the sale closed, however this quickly descended into chaos. The school and the PTFA are managed separately, and we cannot keep asking the teachers to support the PTFA during school hours as this takes their time away from what they are doing in the classroom. Please make sure that you get your tickets in time to avoid missing out. Due to time and resource restraints, we will not be able to do this going forward.

We hope you understand, and thank you so much for your support 😊

Have your say!

We understand that it may not be practical to join the PTFA and commit your time to organising and running events – but we want your ideas! Please let us know what fundraising and spend ideas you have by emailing us at f.o.stbarnabas@gmail.com with any suggestions on what you would like to see at the school! Alongside this, there will also be opportunities throughout the year for the school council to make their own requests for what they would like us to buy for the school.