

## Friends of Whitefield news – Autumn 2019

Hello and welcome to the Friends of Whitefield Autumn update – we'll let you know what we've been up to, how much we've raised and what we're spending the money on.



### Fundraising round up

Last year was a phenomenal fundraising year – we made £4800 profit just from Penwortham Live and the summer fair! This meant we were able to fund the outdoor classroom, presents for all the classes at Christmas, Year 6 Leavers hoodies and a great starters party for the reception children. This year we'll fund an outdoor cover for the Year one area and we're always exploring new ways to add to the kids experience in school.

As well as the reception party we've already had two events this term – the cinema and disco where we raised several hundred pounds.



### Secret Santa Room



We're getting festive here at the Friends of Whitefield with our Secret Santa room. It's a chance for the children to buy a present for a loved one for a bargain price, just £3 a gift! Make sure you order before Tuesday 10th so we have enough gifts for everyone.

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofwhitefield/>

On the day of Secret Santa, our elves will go and collect the children from class and they will come to the Secret Santa room to choose their gifts. We'll send them home a few days later, all wrapped and ready to give to your child's relative.

### Dates for your diary

- Fri 13<sup>th</sup> Dec - Secret Santa room
- Jan (TBC) – Friends of Whitefield meeting
- Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Feb - Disco (Valentines)
- Tues 12<sup>th</sup> March - Bingo
- Tues 24<sup>th</sup> March – Cinema
- May (TBC) - New starters evening
- 15/16<sup>th</sup> May (TBC) - Penwortham Live/BBQ
- Fri 26<sup>th</sup> June - WWYW day
- Fri 10<sup>th</sup> July - Summer fair

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