



# PTA NEWSLETTER



## PTA News

### Allfarthing Christmas Shopping Evening

Now in it's 4th year, the Allfarthing Christmas Shopping Evening will be held on Wednesday 29th November 7-9.30pm. We have more than 40 stalls lined up selling everything from stocking fillers to toys, jewellery to candles, homewares to indulgent gifts. We also have a bar. Tell you friends and help us spread the word.

£3 entry and bring a friend for free!

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full details at  
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### New Parent Social Evening

We had a great turn out at the social evening for new parents on 27th September. Thanks very much to Café Fleur for hosting! Should you be looking for a venue for a class together, Lucy at Café Fleur would be happy to hear from you.

### Macmillan Coffee Morning and Book Sale

Another brilliant turn out despite the rain! The coffee morning and book sale raised £485 for Macmillan (including Gift Aid)

## Happy Half Term!

Well that went quickly didn't it?! We hope you've had a good half term and would like to thank you for all your help with our events and fundraising this term. Here is a wrap up of everything that's been going on and some news about what's happening in the run up to Christmas. Have a great half term!

## Grow Your Tenner Wow...just Wow!

We asked for your support with donations to the school via Localgiving's Grow Your Tenner matched giving scheme and you surpassed all expectations. 87 people made one off donations and 50 people signed up to donate monthly for the next 12 months. We were able to secure £3700 of matched funding and if everyone pays their direct debits for 12 months we will have raised more than £11,000 over the coming year.

We have now been able to commit to urgent replacement of some electronic whiteboards for the school and will be financing new laptops as the money comes in.

Thank you!



## Quiz Night

A huge thank you to Year 3 for organising another fun Quiz Night! More than 100 people took part and we had our first tie-break for many years.

A great evening that raised more than £1500 for the school. Congratulations to the winning team and thank you to everyone that came along.

WHAT'S ON...  
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MON 30TH OCT	INSET DAY	
9TH-15TH NOV	WRAP UP LONDON COAT COLLECTION	
TUES 14TH NOV	SECONDHAND BOOK SALE	3.30PM
THUR 16TH NOV	DAD'S SOCIAL EVENING	VENUE TBA
FRI 24TH NOV	YEAR 5 CAKE SALE	
WED 29TH NOV	CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EVENING	7.00-9.30PM
FRI 8TH DEC	CHRISTMAS FAIR	3.30-5.30PM
FRI 15TH DEC	YEAR 4 CAKE SALE	
THU 18TH JAN	OPEN PTA MEETING	STAFF ROOM
THU 26TH APR	GALA DINNER	CIVIC SUITE TOWN HALL

## Christmas Fundraising

As we move closer to Christmas there are a number of very easy ways you can help raise funds for the school as you shop.

1. Look out for information in book bags about how to design your own Christmas cards, get designing and return to school before 2nd November
2. Register with [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) and every time you shop online we receive a small percentage at no cost to you.
3. If you are buying books, scooters or animal onesies please visit [www.allfarthingpta.org](http://www.allfarthingpta.org) and use the special Allfarthing referral codes.



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Riverford will donate £15 after your third delivery.



5% for you and 1% for the school  
[www.coop.co.uk/](http://www.coop.co.uk/) members



Donations for the school every time you shop with major retailers online.



Order micro scooters and accessories online and we receive 10%.



Scholastic books Cashback for the school from every purchase.



LVB Cleaning will donate 10% of the cost of carpet cleaning or end of tenancy

## The Wren Club Lottery

The lottery raises funds for magazine subscriptions and literacy materials for the school, **AND you could win £100, £50 or £25 EVERY month!**  
E-mail [hannahsnashall@me.com](mailto:hannahsnashall@me.com) to sign up and remember to look out for Wren Club book sales!