

St. Joseph's PTA

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Welcome

A warm welcome to new parents of reception children starting this year at St. Joseph's. The PTA was set up at the beginning of last year and consists of 24 parents & teachers who meet a couple of times a term to organise events / fund-raising ideas. Funds raised provide the children at St. Joseph's with those special 'extras' not provided for in the school budget (ie. parties, end of term treats etc). Not only does the committee raise money for the school it plays a vital role in getting parents together in a social environment which can be particularly beneficial to new parents. If anyone is interested in joining the PTA our next meeting is on 12th September (7.00 pm school hall) followed by the AGM Meeting on 7th October where all members are officially noted. Fresh fundraising ideas are always welcome so if you have any ideas you would like to share or any special skills ie. cake making, face painting etc please feel free to contact me, whether you decide to join the PTA or not.

The PTA is INCLUSIVE not EXCLUSIVE so get involved!

School Disco

Once again a very good turn out for the school disco organised at the end of May raising a whopping £518 for the school. A big thank you to all those disco diva's & dudes! A huge thank you to Mark Bradley on the sound system once again.

Sports Day

Teas & Coffees sold at this year's sports day raised £86. Thank you to the volunteers & the cake makers. The cup cakes & scones were a real treat!

Traditional Summer Fete

This year's summer fete was a great success with the PTA raising £3,400 for the school! The sun was definitely shining on us this year! A big thank you as always to all the parents and teachers who give their free time to organise and run the fete. Their efforts are greatly appreciated and worthwhile.

Pantomime

Tickets are still available for this years Pantomime, Cinderella at the Orchard Theatre in Dartford. Tickets are priced at £20 (normally retails at £29). Please see Julie Beard to secure your tickets or alternatively text me on 07809 140 808.

Michael Bubl  Tribute Night

Sara Springall is in the process of organising a Michael Bubl  Tribute Night at Nico's Restaurant in Sidcup for Thursday 24th October. More details to follow shortly. Sara will be selling the tickets outside the school, alternatively text me on the above number to secure tickets.

Diary Dates:

PTA Meeting:

12th September

AGM:

7th October

Michael Bubl  Tribute Night:

24th October

Christmas Panto:

19th December