Friends Association (PTA) Newsletter - 03.02.2023

Dates for the diary:

17th Feb	Wear What You Love Day & Disco
7th Mar	Friends (PTA) Meeting
15th Mar	Mother's Day/ Special Person Crafting Session
28th Mar	Coffee Morning
28th Apr	Quiz Night

Blackboards:

The committee was contacted and asked about the possibility of some blackboards to help promote events, assisting those individuals not on Facebook; Mrs Bushell kindly donated some marine ply, committee members donated some blackboard paint, external paint and Mr Harvey has kindly agreed to mount them.

There will be one for each side of school (KS1 & KS2) please keep an eye out for the boards and continue to feed in any great ideas or if you have time consider joining our wonderful Friends (PTA) committee (continue reading for contact information).

The blackboards also have QR codes linking to the schools events calendar and our Facebook page simply scan with your phones camera and click the link if you don't already have these pages saved.



Upcoming events:

We are looking for volunteers to help with the following upcoming events, please don't worry if you are unable to attend the actual event, help is always needed beforehand arranging, collecting items, setting up, tidying up afterwards and communicating about the event, all help is welcomed 😊.

Wear What You Love Day & Disco 17/02/2023:
Friday 17th February the children are invited to come to school wearing something they love, after school this will lead into our "Wear What You Love" disco, as before the disco will be £2, this year you'll be able to pay on ParentPay, Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 children will delivered to the disco by their teachers, no need to collect them until 4:15 (unless they are not attending in which case collect as normal).

Back by popular demand there will be a tuck shop (Years 3 and up, younger years fee includes a drink and Hario/Buttons), if your child is allowed to buy from the tuck shop, then please send them with tuck shop money. £1 should be plenty items are 10p, 20p and 30p, **please send change (10p's & 20p's no notes),** we have limited change.



Please also note due to the later finish no child will be permitted to walk home after the event, all children will need collecting.

We are appealing for volunteers to come along and help supervise the discos and make sure the children are safe and have fun. We need helpers at all 3 discos to ensure they run successfully. The event has been added to our Facebook page if you're able to help please comment on the discussion, speak to a committee member or email us johnfletcher.friends@taw.org.uk Thank You

- 15:30 – 16:15 Reception, Year 1 & Year 2
- 16:30 – 17:30 Year 3 & Year 4
- 17:45 – 18:45 Year 5 & Year 6

Mother's Day/ Special Person Crafting 15/03/2023:
Wednesday 15th March we will be hosting a crafting session 15:30-16:30 in the North Hall, for £3.50 children are invited to create a card/ item for Mother's Day/ their special person, collection will be from the South Hall doors 16:30, children will be delivered to the North Hall from class, enjoy the later collection time or if you are available we are looking for volunteers to assist with this activity.

Coffee Morning 28/03/2023:



Tuesday 28th March we will be hosting a coffee morning 09:00 -10:00 in the South Hall, refreshments will be on sale (please bring change), if there are any bakers' cake/ cookie donations would be gratefully received.

Our committee:

If anyone would like to join the committee, we are always looking for extra hands (before/ after/ during events/ spreading the word), why not join us at our next meeting (Tuesday 7th March 5pm – enter through main office) to find out a little more about us.

We are looking to appoint a new Chairperson, if you would like to be considered for the role, please come along to our next meeting, or contact us via email johnfletcher.friends@taw.org.uk or our Facebook page.

Find us:

We can be found on the school website (https://johnfletcherofmadeley.co.uk) via the following steps:

- Discover Our School
- Our Team
- Friends Association (Link)

We also have a Facebook page if you would like to join/ follow us for regular updates.

Thanks for reading
Friends (PTA)

Please continue scrolling to see our posters for upcoming events



Friday 17th February 2023

Reception, Years 1 & 2 - 3:30pm to 4:15pm
Years 3 & 4 - 4:30pm to 5:30pm
Years 5 & 6 - 5:45pm to 6:45pm

Price £2.00 - Payable beforehand on ParentPay, there will be a tuck shop , items will be 10p, 20p & 30p (Year 3 & up), for those who wish to make a purchase (please bring change no notes).

Children can come and join in our disco fun. Permission slips and payment need to be completed beforehand. Please inform us of any dietary requirement your child may have, the tuck shop is very popular.

Please contact Friends (PTA) if you have any questions or would like to volunteer, johnfletcher.friends@taw.org.uk

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Mothers Day/ Special Person
ARTS AND CRAFTS
Wednesday 15th March
3:30 – 4:30
North Hall
The children are invited to join us and create a card/ something crafty for their Mother/ special person.
Light refreshments will be available. Please look out for permission slips, and supply any allergy information. If you have any questions please contact us
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Coffee Morning
28th March, 09:00 to 10:00
South Hall
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