



# PTFA SUMMER NEWSLETTER



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## The New PTFA Committee

Earlier this year, the following became Trustees of our Charity: Theresa Meredith-Hardy (Chair), Victoria Goodlet (Vice Chair), Caroline Peck (Secretary) and Chris Mole (Treasurer).

Our committee also welcomed: Liria Dal Molin (Grants, Eco), Meena Dattani (Marketing Comms), Jade Du Toit (Marketing Graphics), Nina Campbell (Chief of Cakes & Pilates), Pippa Barber (Partnerships), Andy Holmes (Technical Support) and Sam Goolding (Diversity).

Thanks again to Roz, Gemma, Emily and Martine for their support in the transition. We would particularly like to thank Julie Griffin for tirelessly running the Preloved Uniform Shop for over 3 years, raising £4000+ for the PTFA. We are delighted to announce that Liria Dal Molin, Rosie Champness and Franki Stables will run this in the future.

We appreciate the support from all our families and look forward to welcoming everyone to our fundraising initiatives this year!

### 2022-2023 Funds Raised So Far

Fireworks	£3,708
Golf Day	£140
Christmas Raffle, Cards, Cakes etc	£1,773
Pilates	£875
Valentine's & Someone Special Raffles	£607
Disco	£1,387
Make or Break The Rules	£533
Easter Cake & Book Sale	£398

### Thank you

**DJ Dan B** - thank you for making the school disco possible!  
Instagram: [@DJBMobile](#)

**Business Sponsors** - thank you to every business which has supported us with raffle prizes

**Just Giving Donors** - thank you for helping raise £637.05 (so far!) and for choosing gift aid which adds an additional 25% to your donations  
[www.justgiving.com/campaign/stpeters-farnham-2022-2023](http://www.justgiving.com/campaign/stpeters-farnham-2022-2023)

## Easy fundraising

How often do you shop online? Sign up to Easyfundraising and St Peter's PTFA will get a percentage donation every time you shop. Easyfundraising partners with over 7,000 brands who will donate part of what you spend to a cause of your choice. It won't cost you any extra. Some examples can be found below:

[amazon.co.uk](http://amazon.co.uk)

JOHN LEWIS  
& PARTNERS



[Booking.com](http://Booking.com)



[ebay](http://ebay)

## What have your funds helped to provide?

Thanks to your brilliant generosity, this year alone we have managed to contribute towards the following: Art Supplies, IT Equipment, Software Licences, new playground markings and classroom furniture. Historically the PTFA have helped to fund large projects, such as the Trim Trail Outdoor Play Area, so keep a look out for the next big project!





## Coming up this term...



**Penny Wars** : Each class has been given a jar to bring in their loose change. The class with the most amount collected at the end of each half term will be given an extra special treat (still to be agreed with teachers!)... but have a scout down sofas and in pockets to see who will win!

**Quiz, May 19th:** It has sold out! We hope all the teams are looking forward to a night of head-to-head competition, with both pride and reputations at stake across the school community. No pressure everyone....



**Pizza Kits, June 16th** : We are giving families the chance to make their own fresh pizza using the freshest ingredients. All you will need to do is order a kit, pick it up on 16th June and take it home and make fantastic pizzas as a family. It could be a great Father's Day treat! More info coming soon. Veggie options will be available but unfortunately gluten free dough doesn't work in these kits.



**Farnham Carnival, June 24th** - This year's theme is 'The Wonderful World of Books' and we would love as many pupils (and parents) as possible to help create an awesome entry for the parade. Please contact either Emily Hambling (07814 715269) or Kate Lambert (07782 174327) if you are interested.



**Cream Tea Boxes, June 30th:** to celebrate National Cream Tea Day we are offering a limited number of pre-order boxes with scones, cream and jam. Why not treat a loved one (or yourself) this summer? Keep an eye on Classlist...

**Summer Fete, July 8th:** Pimms? BBQ? Bouncy castle? Disco Tent? Tug of War? Who doesn't like a Summer Fete! Keep this date fixed in your diary, we would love to have as much of the school community there as we can. More details will be sent in due course, but volunteers will be needed, so in the meantime please contact Liria (07474 856304) or email PTFA if you are able to help.



**Fireworks Night, November 2nd:** Our annual fireworks night is back in the diary and raring to go. And yes, we will be asking for some help on the night in September, but for now just make sure you have it in your diary!



### DID YOU KNOW? PILATES

Run by our own Nina Campbell, these weekly sessions have raised £2,232 to date. All levels welcome, book tickets via Classlist

### SCHOOL LOTTERY

Did you know we have a school lottery? Over £1,874 has been raised this year, tickets start at £1...and we had a £25k winner in 2021! [www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/st-peters-farnham](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/st-peters-farnham)

### PRELOVED UNIFORM

With £978 raised this year, this is a must for all parents with ever growing children. <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/stpetersptfa>

### RECYCLING

Remember to drop off any old ink cartridges in the School Lobby, and clothes (good condition only) in the Clothes Bin, in the car park

### COMPANY GIFT MATCHING

More than £1,000 raised this year from Employer HSBC Gift Matching. If your employer has a matching scheme, please contact the PTFA.

### PREFERRED TRAVEL

Book a holiday with Preferred Travel in Farnham, who donate £10 to the PTFA. Contact Cianon 01252 738444, [cianon@ptfarnham.co.uk](mailto:cianon@ptfarnham.co.uk)

**Year 6** - thank you to everyone who has enabled us to raise enough money for every Year 6 child to have a lasting memory of their time at St Peter's, in the form of their Leavers Book. Special thanks to the Year 6 parents, children and the PTFA organisers - we couldn't have done it without you!