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Welcome to our school

This information sheet has been compiled by the PTFA 'Friends of Hughenden Primary School' especially for you, as a new family joining our school community.

Introducing the PTFA Trustees



Chair

Kate Peake

Secretary



Natasha Howe-Clements



Treasurer

Sheena Molony

The Trustees ensure the day to day running of Friends of Hughenden Primary School PTFA Charity.

Why do we have PTFA?

To raise funds to advance the education of the students of Hughenden Primary School by providing and assisting in the provision of facilities for education at the school (not normally provided by the Local Education Authority).

To Foster more extended relationships between staff, parents and others associated with the school and build a sense of community.

How do we raise money?

Like most PTFA's, the majority of our funds are raised through the events that we run. Some of our events and initiatives include:

- Halloween Trail
- Sponsored Read

- Winter Wonderland
- Friends Friday Treats
- Student Disco's

How can you get involved?

Many hands make light work, any amount of time you can give to the PTFA will always be well received! It's easy to get involved; a good first step is to attend a meeting, everyone is welcome. You can volunteer at an event, make donations e.g. raffle prizes, offer services from your business or contacts or purchase tickets to our events!

Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) is held at the beginning of the academic year and provides an opportunity for all parents to come along and hear in more detail about the work of the PTFA, the events we run, the funds we have raised and how the money has been spent. It is also the occasion when we elect our new committee members and class representatives.

If you are interested in getting involved or have any fundraising ideas please do not hesitate to come to our AGM or contact us at: <u>friends.hughedenprimary@gmail.com</u>

How do we spend the money we raise?

Our Constitution commits the PTFA to raise funds to enable the school to purchase valuable 'extra' items (items the school budget doesn't cover or stretch to), that enhance students learning and benefit the students directly.

Items purchased with money donated by the PTFA this academic year:

- Chess sets
- Netball posts, bibs and balls
- Outdoor poster frames

We are currently fundraising for new interactive white boards for the classrooms.

How can you keep up to date with our events and activities?

- We use Classlist to convey information to parents regarding our activities. Classlist is a virtual communication platform for the PTFA to reach all the parents, organise events, fundraise and recruit volunteers. Classlist is unique to your school and only accessible to approved users. Parents can also use it to contact each other about play dates, parties and more. What's more, it's completely free to use and data protection registered with the ICO, so you can trust that your parent details are safe and never passed to third parties. You can find us through www.classlist.com and searching for Hughenden Primary School
- 2. Facebook: @Friendsofhughendenschool
- 3. Instagram: hughendenprimaryschool
- 4. School Website <u>https://www.hughendenprimary.co.uk/website/friends_of_hughenden_school/122100</u>

We are very proud of our school, and its community and we look forward to welcoming you in September.

Best Wishes

The Friends of Hughenden Primary School.