

NEWS

FROM THE
FRIENDS
JUNE 2025



HELLO!

Welcome to the Summer edition of The Friends newsletter. we hope you enjoyed the half term break.

We are really pleased to be running a Quiz Night on **Friday 20th June**, where we will have hot food available to pre-order from Prestwood Plaice. Read on to find out more.

With the Summer Fayre taking place on **Saturday 28th June**, we thought we would give you a heads up on how you can help us make this event a huge success. This year, we will once again be running our Rainbow Raffle, find out what this involves further on.

As we mentioned in our last newsletter, in September we will step down as Co-Chairs, alongside Hannah our Treasurer and Karen our Secretary. At the Friends meetings held last term, we were thrilled to have people step forward to voice their interest in taking over the running of the Friends committee. At the AGM on **Tuesday 23rd September**, we will step aside, and a new committee will be voted in. If you are interested and have not had a chance to contact us, there is still time to do so.

In our last action as Co-Chairs, the Friends Committee has agreed to raise money to help the school provide a new piece of play equipment for the playground. As such, all money raised through events taking place, this term will go towards this new equipment. Read more about in this newsletter.

We're always interested in new ideas or offers of help, please speak to us in the playground or get in touch by email.

Katie and Becky
Co-Chairs



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FRIDAY 20TH JUNE

7.45PM

SCHOOL HALL

TICKETS - £5 PER PERSON

MAX 8 PEOPLE PER TEAM

COME ALONG TO OUR QUIZ

We are so excited to be holding another Quiz Night on **Friday 20th June.**

We have arranged for hot meals to be provided by Prestwood Plaice, Fish and Chips, which are available to pre-order alongside our Charcuterie Plates. You can choose from:

Fish and Chips - £7

Chicken and Chips - £7

Sausage and Chips - £7

Vegetable Pattie and Chips - £7

Charcuterie Plate - £5

The deadline for ordering hot food is midday on Tuesday 17th June. Meals will not be available to buy on the night.

As usual, we will be running a bar, where we will be selling drinks and snacks. We can take both cash and card payments.

Tickets cost £5 each and there's a maximum of eight people per team. Please feel free to invite friends and family, the more the merrier!

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EASTER EGGCITEMENT!

Thank you so much to everyone who bought tickets for the Easter Raffle. We were thrilled by how many tickets we managed to sell, raising a brilliant **£264.10** for the school.



Apparently, all the children enjoyed the event on the last day of term. Even though not all the children could win a prize, they will all have received a small Easter Egg as a treat from The Friends.



A TRULY WICKED TRIP

We were thrilled to hold our family theatre trip to Wicked on Wednesday 4th June. The show was outstanding, and our seats were amazing. Thank you to everyone who brought tickets and a special thank you to Marney Hallett, for arranging the trip even though her children no longer attend the school.

SPENDING UPDATE

In previous newsletters, we had announced that we had purchased a new stage for the school costing around £5,000. Unfortunately, when the stage was delivered it was found to be incomplete, and parts were not matching. When we contacted the company, we were told that they were unable to provide the staging as pictured on their site.

As such, we arranged for them to collect the staging and we received a full refund. When we enquired with the company who made the staging, we were informed that for them to provide us with the exact staging we were after, would cost an extra £4,000 bring the total cost of the staging to around £9,000.

A CHANGE OF PLAN

Having discussed this with Mr Daniels, we have decided that instead of the stage, providing money for a new piece of play equipment on the playground should take priority. We know how popular the current equipment is with the children, but it is clear to everyone how tired it looks and desperately needs replacing.

ALL TO PLAY FOR

As such, we have decided that the money from the staging should instead go towards providing a new piece of play equipment, alongside any money raised from events held in the Spring and Summer term.

This equipment will look to fill the current space occupied by the play equipment.

We are currently looking at prices from companies, but we believe the removal of the equipment and current flooring and the installation of new equipment and flooring will cost in the region of £28,000. The school has some money available to go towards this and as such we are looking to raise around £10,000. Your help in raising this amount, so that we can have the new equipment installed and ready to go for the new school year, would be much appreciated.

Please contact myself or Katie if you, or a company you work for, could help us in providing this much need piece of play equipment.



SUMMER FAYRE



SATURDAY 28TH JUNE 12PM – 2.30PM



We are delighted to be hosting a Summer Fayre on the 28th June. As usual, the Fayre will feature performances by the children, alongside fun stalls and games. As always, for this event to take place, we need your help! Below are just some of the ways you can help make this event a success.



TOKENS – BUY IN ADVANCE



We will be selling tokens in advance of the Fayre. You will be able to buy them after school on the Wednesday, Thursday and Friday before the Fayre. Both cash and card will be accepted.

RAFFLE PRIZES

Once again, we will be looking to have some amazing prizes on offer for this year's raffle. If you can donate a prize or know a local business who would be willing to do so, please let us know. We will happily promote their business in our promotional materials before and during the fayre.



HELP ON A STALL



Nursery & Reception	Money Bunting Pick a Lolly The Claw
Year 1	Sweetie Tombola Lucky Dip
Year 2	Hook a Duck Splat the Rat
Year 3	Football Speed Competition
Year 4	Toy Tombola
Year 5	BBQ and Kitchen
Year 6	Adult Tombola Raffle/Silent Auction

MUFTI DAY – FRIDAY 27TH JUNE

To support our adult tombola stall, children will be able to wear mufti on this day. To take part, please donate a bottle or £2 per child on the day.



DONATIONS NEEDED BY 26TH JUNE

As usual, we will be asking for:

New or good quality toys - please bring in and leave in the box in reception.

Loose change - envelopes will be provided.

Rainbow Raffle – see poster.

Sweets – to support our new sweetie tombola stall any donations of chewy sweets, chocolates or biscuits would be much appreciated – no nuts please.

THANK YOU!



RAINBOW RAFFLE

During the run up to the Summer Fayre, we will be asking each class to donate items of a certain colour. These will be used to create rainbow hampers, which will be raffled off at the Fayre.

Please find below the colour your class has been allocated and an idea of the type of items you could donate.

Please bring any items in by Thursday 26th June.

NURSERY & RECEPTION



YEAR 1



YEAR 2



YEAR 3



YEAR 4



YEAR 5



YEAR 6



UPCOMING

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Thank you so much for your ongoing support. During the Spring Term, we raised a wonderful £1,006.85, this was through:

Hotdogs – £272.40

Doughnut Sales - £145.50

Uniform sales - £278

Bucks Lottery - £27.00

We were delighted to be able to provide materials for the Easter bonnets, and it was lovely to see the children coming out wearing their wonderful creations at the end of term.

SCHOOL DISCO

Get your dancing shoes ready, as the summer school disco will be taking place on **Friday 18th July**. Full details will be sent home in the next few weeks.



DOUGHNUT SALE

The last Krispy Kreme doughnut sale of the School Year will be on **Friday 18th July** and will be raising money for Year 1. Online orders will be available from 4th July until midday on Friday 11th July.

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CO-CHAIRS



KATIE

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YOUR CLASS REPS

Nursery
Reception
Year 1
Year 2

Year 3
Year 4

Year 5
Year 6

Kahli van de Veen
Viktoria Karoly-Gal
Nazma Ali/Clare Lacey
Clare Dean/
Katie Richards
Erika Krisciunaite
Georgie Fox/
Helen Sarnier-Taylor
Karen Adams
TBC

JOIN OUR NEXT FRIENDS MEETING

Thank you to everyone who joined our last meetings. At our next one we will be reviewing the Summer Fayre and giving an update on the play equipment. Please join us.

Friday 4th July, 745pm, The Crown in Hazlemere



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