



## BISHOP SUTTON SCHOOL PTA

# TERM 5 APRIL 2024 NEWSLETTER

### HELLO FROM YOUR PTA TEAM

Melisa Arnold (Chairman) (Y2 & Y6 parent)  
Kate Alvis (Secretary) (Y6 parent)  
Kirsty Young (YR & Y3 parent)  
Laura Wheeler (Y5 & Y6 parent)  
Sarah Waddington (Y1 & Y3 parent)

Lucy Holley (Treasurer) (Y1 & Y3 parent)  
Kelly Shipway (Y4 parent)  
Lucy Gray (Y5 parent)  
Jesse Doughty (YR & Y1 parent)

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### WHAT ARE WE FUNDRAISING FOR?

The PTA will aim to fund the following as per the teaching staff's requests.

- 15 x iPads and charging trolley
- £10 contribution per child for school trips
- Essential classroom materials for all classes
- White Rose Maths & Timetable Rockstars annual subscription
- Digi maps annual subscription & geography books
- 12 x French reading books
- 15 x dictionaries
- A Folly Farm trip for KS1
- Forest school learning equipment
- PE equipment for whole school
- Pantomime at Bristol Hippodrome for Y5 & Y6
- Performance of Bubble Bach by Music for Miniatures for whole school
- Christmas gifts for all children
- Wooden play blocks for reception children
- Live, learn cook lessons for all classes
- End-of-school year sports activity trips for all classes
- Y6 leavers scientific calculators

### HOW MUCH WE RAISED LAST TERM

**Glow disco £745**

**Wrens & Herons cake sale £197.15**

**Easyfunding £53.94**

**Easter Fair £519.40**

**Your School Lottery £126**

**C&G clothes bank £17.70**



**TOTAL for term 4 = £1,659.19**

**Thank you for your continued support!**

**40% of target raised so far**

## NEW MEMBERS

Some of our PTA team will be standing down at the end of year as their child moves up to secondary school, **so we need new members to join our friendly team!**

We meet once a term over a cup of tea (or glass of wine!) and plan upcoming fundraising events. It's fun, a great way to get involved in the school and meet new people. Why not try it just for 1 year?

Speak to your class rep to get involved!



## BINGO NIGHT

We are excited to announce that we are holding our first ever Bingo Night on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm in the school hall.

This is a adults only event with prizes to win and CASH for the final game!

Tickets are £10 per person and includes six games and a glass of bubbly!

You can buy snacks, drinks and extra bingo books on the night.

[BUY BINGO TICKET](#)

## PIZZA & ICE CREAM TAKE AWAY

We've teamed up with **Great Balls of Flour** and **Chew Moo's Ice Cream** for a fun family night in with everything you need to make a Margherita pizza at home, plus ice cream to enjoy afterwards!

Pre-order your pizza making kits and ice cream by **Tuesday 30th April** and pick them up from school on Friday 10th May from 3pm

Each pizza kit makes one 12" pizza and includes a dough ball, tomato sauce and cheese.

Vegan and gluten free options available.

[PRE ORDER PIZZA & ICE CREAM](#)



## CAKE SALE

Cygnets & Duckling class (Year 1 & Year R) will be hosting the cake sale on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May** – last day of term!



## CHEW MOO ICE CREAM

Thank you to **Chew Moo Ice-cream** for sponsoring our Pizza & Icecream Takeaway.

Chew Moo Ice Cream is a family run farm situated on the Dundry Hills in Bristol. Passionate about their wonderful guernsey herd and produce a wide range of ice creams using the milk & cream they produce. There is an ice cream parlour open **Fridays & Saturdays 10am-5pm** for you to enjoy cakes, ice-cream & coffee and plenty of walks for you and wonderful views out across Bristol. The farm is free for you to visit.



## EASYFUNDRAISING

Booking a short getaway or holiday? All of the major travel brands are on easyfundraising; TUI, Booking.com, Expedia, First Choice, Hotels.com, Cottages.com, James Villas, easyJet holidays, Eurocamp, Opodo, P&O, PurpleParking, plus 250+ others!

The average family holiday could raise over £110 for our school – and it's all completely FREE! So please remember to use easyfundraising when you book so we don't miss out!

[FIND OUT MORE](#)



## TEXTILE RECYCLING

Having a spring clear out?

You can recycle unwanted clothes in the textile bank at the school back gates and raise money for the school. For every tonne of textiles placed in the bank, we receive £300 from C & G Collections!

### What textiles you can / can't recycle

- Clothing & paired shoes ✓
- Hand bags & belts ✓
- Bed sheets ✓
- Duvet covers ✓
- Soft toys ✓
- Books X
- Cushions X
- Pillows & Duvets X
- Electric items X
- Wet / damaged items X



## UNIFORM SHOP

Sell and buy second hand uniform on **Grown Out Of It**. You can donate part or all of the profit to the PTA and support the school.

It's a FREE online platform and is really easy to register, upload your photos to sell an item of uniform, as well as browse what others people are selling.

[SELL OR BUY UNIFORM](#)



## CHEW VALLEY 10KM RUN

Our school is one of the beneficiaries of the Chew Valley 10K race and we gratefully received a fantastic £2,000 last year. In return, CV10K ask for marshals at the event on **Sunday 9th June**.

If you can spare a couple of hours on the day, marshalling is a fun and rewarding experience that makes the CV10K a wonderful success for runners and spectators alike.

To get involved, please contact Kirsten Batho on [kelarkin@btinternet.com](mailto:kelarkin@btinternet.com)

There is still time to sign up to the race too.

[SIGN UP NOW](#)

## WIN AN iPhone 15 PRO!

Play Your School Lottery and you could win an iPhone 15 Pro Titanium - the lightest, strongest iPhone ever, with the most advanced iPhone camera system yet, for professional quality photo and video, and it's great for fitness, gaming, and keeping connected too! Or a £1, 000 cash prize!

Just make sure you have your tickets before Saturday 27th April to be in the Super Draw!

[BUY TICKETS FOR JUST £1](#)



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Bingo night - Fri 26<sup>th</sup> April
- Pizza takeaway night - Fri 10<sup>th</sup> May
- Cygnets & Duckling (Y1 & YR) cake sale - Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May
- Chew Valley 10k run - Sun 9<sup>th</sup> June
- Final Fling - Fri 12<sup>th</sup> July