



Micklem School

PTA

We are now in the last term of the year and we hope that you are all looking forward to the many events that we have coming up! To celebrate Father's Day we will be having a Marvellous Men pop up shop, hosting our first ever Rainbow Day (more information to follow), a summer themed disco and not forgetting our Summer Fayre extravaganza!

The PTA are volunteering their time on Friday 31st May to help transform the Reception garden. Please see the attached document for further information. If you are able to volunteer your time, then please complete the sign up form in the attachment.

Fundraising Project

On Tuesday 30th April, members of the PTA met with Mr Swift to carry out a fundraising walk-around of the school. This was to help decide what we would like the money that we raise to be used for. There were lots of fantastic ideas that were suggested but we have come to the decision that we would like to have a new bike and scooter shed built in the fenced off area by the main gate as you come into the school playground. At present the children have to take their bikes/scooters all the way around the main building to the back of the school where there is insufficient space,



causing a health and safety hazard. By siting the bike shed in this area it not only means that we are resolving the health and safety issue but the space will be utilised and the outdoor seating furniture that is currently in the area will be moved to the astro turf outside the Year 2 classroom, where it can be used all year round.

We are currently in the process of finalising the cost of this project but we estimate it to be between £10.5k and £11k. This includes the cost of the bike shed, the fittings and installation and astro turf to the surrounding areas, meaning that this area can be accessed in all weathers. As the new bike shed will be able to house a lot more bikes and scooters, we hope that this will encourage more children to scoot or cycle to school.

Donations

If you wish to make a monetary donation to the PTA then you can do so by going onto Arbor – School Shop – PTA Donation and then select the amount that you wish to donate.

FUNDRAISING UPDATE

With your help we have managed to raise some significant funds for the school. A massive thank you to everyone. Here are the latest figures:

- Easter Squares – £314.46
- Non-Uniform Day - £111.00

Target

£11,000

Money raised so far this year

£4442.73



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 Facebook page: Micklem Primary School PTA

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Special Requests for Summer Fayre

Do you have a small paddling pool or coconut shy that you could lend us for Saturday 6th July? Or maybe you have another fairground type game. If so, please speak to the school office

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Micklem School Personalised Tea Towels

Please be reminded that the personalised tea towels are still available to purchase via Arbor. These are a lovely family keepsake as a reminder of their school year during 2023/2024.

So that we know how many we need to order, we are asking that you pre-order your tea-towels. These will make a lovely gift for family and friends, so please order as many as you wish.

We have tried to keep the cost down as much as possible, so they are an extremely reasonable price of £4.00 each. Please place your orders by 10am on Friday 24th May by going onto Arbor under School Shop - PTA Fundraising - Micklem School Personalised Tea Towels.

