Spring Newsletter 2021

Yeoford PTA

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Your New PTA members

The PTA had its AGM in January and the following members were elected.

Chair: Sandy Chenore
Vice-Chair: Kelly Mitchell
Secretary: Helen Ticehurst

Treasurer: Max Thomas

Fund-raising coordinator: Kerry Jose

Safeguarding lead: Vicki Gillon

Other members: Lizzie Charlton-Anne, Alice Mosley, Brian Ridgers, Bruce Abbott, Rebecca Belcher, Sarah Comont

Thomas, Nicky Rattenbury & Rachel Crotty.

Fundraising

A big thank you to the previous PTA, who despite a pandemic managed to hold fundraising events and raise much needed funds for the school.

Thank you to all the very generous parents and individuals for buying and contributing to the effort. Thank you also to the school for supporting the PTA and working so hard to help with the fundraising.

We are in the process of getting a bank account and online system to make donating money easier.

"Be the change that you wish to see in the world." — Mahatma Gandhi.



Upcoming Events

March 12

Mother's Day gift shop

Cake sale

Easter

Raffle

Egg trail around Yeoford

Bunny hot chocolate mux

Easter cupcakes

(More details to follow)

Fundraising target for the year

£4,000

Cuts to education and the current crisis has meant that our school needs the support of parents like never before!

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Work already completed

Some members of the PTA have been busy already making improvements to the grounds so all children can benefit from this amazing space and rich learning environment.

The pond liner is fixed and will soon be a wildlife haven for children to learn about pond life. Wildflowers have been planted and the beds and tyres prepared for planting in the spring. The site has had a general clean and tidy, with leaves removed.

The rotten decking outside Bumblebee classroom has been taken down and removed.

If you would like to help in the garden please do get in touch or have a chat to one of us when the school re-opens.

For the year your money will be used to provide:

Curriculum resources as requested by the school

Developing the outside area

We have lots of other ideas and will consult with the school council to ascertain the children's views.

What do the PTA fund every year?

A school bag for every new child starting in September.

Leavers personalized hoodies

A contribution towards books for world book day.

How can parents help?

Give their time to help at fundraising events

Buy items at events and take part in activities

Give a one off donation to support for the school – further details of this will be in the next newsletter.

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PTA's mission is to make every child's potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.





Decking removed so the children have more outside space to play.

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