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FARFIELD PTA NEWSLETTER ISSUE 2 SPRING TERM 2024









UPCOMING EVENTS





# Looking Back Xmas Fayre

n December of course we had our second biggest event of the year - the Xmas Fayre.

After several weeks of organization by the PTA with assistance from teachers and other school staff we were delighted at how well the fayre went.

Everyone in attendance seemed to have a great time and lots of funds were raised for the school.

We had lots of stalls including Jolly Bags, Hot Dogs, Calendars, Tombola and Games as well as Santa in the Grotto. Our school community was also very generous in buying lots of raffle tickets.

A final thanks to our extended PTA family for helping out on the day. It's always much appreciated and these events couldn't happen without your support.

In total the Xmas Fayre raised an amazing £2606.

As you know all of our fundraising means we are able to provide much needed funds to the school.

Thank You.

# **Christmas Cards**

The children were able to design their own Christmas Cards last year and I am sure you will agree there were some fantastic designs.

We hope you liked your childs cards.

Funds raised from the sale of the cards came to £258

#### Your PTA for 2023-24

Chair: Mel Ford Secretary: Vikki Farid Vice Secretary: Laura Davies Treasurer: Robin Armstrong Vice Treasurer: Elroy Pearman Comms & Media: Andrew Jones

Please get in touch with any of the team if you have any questions, ideas for future events or would like to help in any way.

You can reach us on the Facebook page or you can email andrew@aamedia.co.uk.

## **Upcoming Events**

21/3 - PTA Meeting 22/3 - Break The Rules Day & Disco 12/5 - Pen Y Fan Sponsored Walk 10 or 14/6 - Sports Day 12/6 - Fathers Day Shop 29/6 - Summer Fayre

To be Arranged: Cake Sales Summer Fundraising Working Bee

Let us know if you'd like to get involved with any of these events or if you have any ideas for new events.

For PTA meeting dates please keep an eye on the Facebook group or speak to one of the PTA. Meetings are normally held every month.



www.facebook.com/groups/fairfieldprimaryPTA





n the 7th February we held our Valentines Cake Sale. Massive thanks to all of the cakes that were donated.

We raised £94 from the cake sale.



We brought back a long missed event of the Mother's Day Sale following several requests from children and parents. Again there was lot's of generosity with a vast array of donations that the children could buy for £1 as a gift. The kids loved it and we hope you Mums did as well. The sale raised £152



o coincide with World Book Day this Year we ran a Free Book Swap Event for the children.

We had tons of books donated before the event which were sorted through into age groups.

Each class was then brought in and every child was allowed to select a book of their choice to take home to keep.

Hopefully some good reading was had by all.

# PTA Funds

#### Money Raised 2023-24

Xmas Cards - £258 Calendars - £24 Halloween Cake Sale - £116 Non-Uniform Day - £95 Ice Lolly & Uniform Sale - £39 Halloween Break the Rules Day etc - £325 Amazon Smile - £63 Xmas Fayre - £2606 Valentine Cake Sale - £94 Mother's Day Sale - £152

Total Raised - £3772

#### Items Funded 2023-24

- Maths Resources £1000
- Class Supplies £1650
- Disco £100
- Subsidise Cardiff Castle Trip £94
- Subsidise Year 6 Residential £578

Total Funded to date - £3422

#### Targets/Requests

- Playground Equipment Repair/ Replacement circa £5-10000
- Classroom Resources for the New Curriculum
- There will always be other requests throughout the year from the school.



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As part of Break The Rules day the children will be able to 'Skive Off' school for an hour in the afternoon to have a disco. Foundation and KS2 groups will have their own discos.

This will be fully funded by the PTA.



igwedge fter the Easter holidays we start planning for this years summer fayre.

If you would like to help organise the event, volunteer for the event or have any ideas for the fayre we'd love to hear from you.



A fter the massive success of last years sponsored walk up Pen Y Fan, we have decided we'd like to give it another go. And this year we hope the sun will be shining and we will able to see the view when we get to the top!!

The event will take place on the 12th May and the Sponsorship page can be found **here** or by scanning the QR code above. More info will follow.

So, get your walking boots ready and we hope to see you there.

# FUTURE EVENTS



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