

# Queen Edith PSFA Newsletter

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**Creating a stronger sense of community, wellbeing and fun while enriching the school experience for the children and families.**

The PSFA want to say a big **THANK YOU** to everyone who volunteered time and participated in events this year to help raise money for new and exciting school initiatives.

What a busy year it has been!



**The SUMMER FETE raised £9,678.57**

Thank you to everyone who volunteered time to make it a wonderful day for the children. The next summer fete will be held on **Saturday 17th May (1-4pm)** – one to add to the diary!



## Fundraising targets update

We have now raised enough money to build our outdoor classroom which we are pleased to announce will form part of a new forestry school initiative. More information will be coming soon.

Money raised will also be spent on the following next year:

- Outdoor play equipment
- Subsidising school trips

Big **THANK YOU** to the parent who donated £500 to the school for new sports equipment.

This will be purchased by the school for use next year.

## CAKE SALES raised a total of £1,225.54

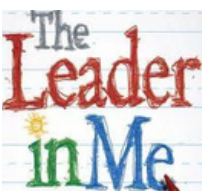
Year 5	£192.10
Year 4	£212.24
Year 3	£176.50
Year 2	£188.20
Year 1	£249.90
Reception	£206.60



Well done to Year 1 for winning. £200 will be given to your teacher next year to spend on a fun activity for the children.

## PRELOVED UNIFORMS raised a total of £314

Thankyou to all the lovely volunteers who have helped with this throughout the year.



The PSFA has also funded the “Leaders in Me” program which all children participated in this year. We will continue to fund this next year.

The PSFA are also looking into providing improved acoustics in the dinning hall.



# Coming up next year

- **DISCOS:** Thursday 21st Nov 24 and Thursday 20th March 25
- **SANTA'S GROTTTO:** Thursday 19th Dec 24 (am)
- **FEB EVENT:** Friday 7th Feb 25
- **SUMMER FETE:** Saturday 17th May 25 (1-4pm)
- **SOLSTICE CEILIDH:** Friday 20th June 25 (6.30-8.30pm)
- **SUMMER PICNIC:** Friday 18th July 25 (after school)

**PRELOVED UNIFORM SALES:** These will take place in the last week of each half term over 3 dry days. Exact dates tbc nearer the time & are weather dependent.

**PSFA MEETINGS** (to take place on 2nd Tuesday of each half term at 8pm, alternating with online and in person)

- 1) Tues 17th Sept (online)
- 2) Tues 12th Nov (in person)
- 3) Tues 14th Jan - AGM followed by PSFA meeting (online)
- 4) Tues 4th March (in person)
- 5) Tues 30th April (online)
- 6) Tues 10th June (in person)

## PSFA meetings

The first PSFA meeting of the Autumn term will be held on 17th September 2024 online. Please do come along and share ideas for how the funds to be spent.

If there is a particular event that you would like to see arranged for our school, then do come along to the meeting or contact us on: [queenedithpsfa@gmail.com](mailto:queenedithpsfa@gmail.com).

We look forward to hearing from you.

You can also find more information regarding the PSFA and our events here: [Queen Edith PSFA](#)

## New Initiative class reps!

From next year we are looking for a parent or guardian representative from each class to help connect the school, PSFA and parent body. One parent from each class should volunteer or be nominated for this role. Duties include:

- Be a spokesperson for your class within the school community
- Help to communicate important information from the school & PSFA to parents and guardians in your class
- Attending 1 yearly AGM meeting and the occasional PSFA meeting
- Providing feedback from parents and guardians on school and PSFA initiatives and events
- Helping to organise informal admin activities for your class e.g class gifts

More information on how to volunteer, will be sent through your class WhatsApp group early next year.



Have a lovely summer everyone and we will see you next term!