



St John's Church

PTA Newsletter

Hello

Following each PTA meeting for St John's C of E Primary School, the PTA reps are sending out newsletters letting parents know what is going on. We thought this information might also be useful to members of St John's congregation so welcome to your first PTA newsletter! Please do let us know if you find this useful or if you have other ideas for how it could be improved.

The most recent event held was a **cinema night**, run by the teachers on Tuesday 7 May, which proved a great success and raised £687.

We're now gearing up to this year's **summer fete**, which will be jam packed with attractions such as a circus show and workshop, bouncy castle, the return of the popular bubble of fun, go-karts, an interactive games wagon and a fire engine. There will also be the old favourites of the bottle tombola, new toy tombola, face-painting, crafts stall, plant stall and tea room. And if that's not enough, there will also be an arena with displays from Tiny Dragons, MAD and many more.

As Reverend Cindy has already mentioned, we are looking for people to help with the **summer fete**, including setting up, help during the event and dismantling. A board will go up in church with one hour slots - any help is appreciated so if you can spare some time to help make this joint venture between the school and church a success please choose a slot leaving your name and mobile number.

Also, for the fete, this year we are going to start making bunting on the craft stall at the summer fete and will continue to do this each year. If you have any spare fabric to donate that can be used for bunting or would like to start making meters of bunting that would be fantastic. We hope to have a great selection of bunting we can keep growing and use over the years. Please contact Imogen or Ali to get involved.

For more information on St John's PTA, including upcoming events, meeting minutes, school newsletters and all other important school information, check out the website <http://stjohnswhetstonepta.com>

Thank you

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EVENTS

Friday 14 June

Elvis Night

7.30pm till late, School Hall

Tickets will be £8 which will include entertainment and a cold buffet.

Monday 17 June

Save a date

Jam Jar drop off at school

Calling on all recycled jam jars clean and empty for the school fete – please do **not** fill or decorate!

Good Quality Bric a Brac

Please donate any good quality and clean toys, books and bric a brac to school this week.

Sunday 23 June

Save a date

Bring Good Quality Toys

Books & bric a brac to St John's Church before Sunday service 10-10.30am. Also any jam jars clean and empty

Friday 28 June

Preparation for the School Fete

There is always a lot to do to make the summer fete a success and a lot of work goes into preparing for the day. Please sign up to help where you can – during the school day – or after!

Saturday 29 June

Joint Summer Fete

12pm–4pm

If you can spare some time to help in the morning of the fete: we particularly need men to help put up the gazebos!

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Dismantling the School Fete

There is always a lot to do to dismantle the summer fete after the event. If you could spare an hour after the fete that would be appreciated
