

Newton Poppleford School Association (PTFA)

Summer Term 1 meeting minutes 2024

Attendees: Teri Murphy (Chair), Henry Odbert (Deputy Chair), Georgia Trengove (Secretary), Jon Leeson-Kings (Treasurer), Katy Evans, Bob Tubbs, Kate Clemens, Kelly Rogers, Laura Broughton, Magdalena Oprea, Rebecca Burdus, Roberta McLeod, Sarah Furzer, Tanisha Ellis, Gemma Joyner, Emily Wiley, Anna Oldroyd, Camille Harman, , Chloe Pawson-Pounds, Morgan Wilkinson, Jo White, Janine Rudling, Helen Tubbs, Kirsty Rorke.

Welcome

This is the virtual meeting group to discuss all matters PTFA and fundraising related, anyone is welcome to join by contacting Teri Murphy 07909 798441.

Funding requests and purchases

🌻 SUNFLOWERS! The lovely Claire and Ben from Pebblebed Landscaping have donated the profits from selling sunflower seeds to the PTFA, we are so grateful to receive £56! Good luck to all the growers and watch this space for details of the tallest sunflower competition in September!

🎾 MR FILER TENNIS! The amazing Steve has donated a brilliant £75.50 from the proceeds of his children's tennis club this term. Thank you Mr Filer!

🧼 CLEAN START! The wonderful Paul from Clean Start has donated a brilliant £55 to the PTFA! Thank you Paul.

💰 CO-OP GRANT! The lovely folks over at Co-Op have granted the PTFA a fantastic £150! We are so grateful, thank you Co-Op!

👉 BREAK THE RULES!

The count is in and this raised £126! No expenses and fantastic for the kids, school are keen to make it an annual event. Big up Georgia for the idea 🙌

🎨 ART WEEK RAFFLE!

This raised a whopping £190! No expenses and some fantastic prizes. All credit to Amy for the idea and execution 🙌

📖 BOOK FAIR!

The final count is in and this event resulted in £248 of free books for the school! (This is slightly lower than last year, but we actually sold a similar amount, it's just that scholastic have changed the parameters for rewards, still a fantastic result!) 🙌

And also, £214 from the summer disco! 🎉🎉🎉

Cake Sales for 23/24

Teri has added a spreadsheet to the drive with all the cake sale income, class spend and approved funding requests.

12th October - Year 6 £118 raised. Cash added for people who missed the cake sale therefore new total is £124.90

9th November - Year 5 £162.50

18th January - Year 4 £183.50

29th February - Year 3 £222.50

21st March - Year 2 £223

25th April - Year 1 £181

16th May – Reception £257

20th June - Preschool

Winstone's Book Shop

Whilst Amy was collecting raffle prizes for the Art Raffle Winstone's mentioned a book wish list they are doing whereby the school gives them a list of ten books that they would like for their library, then they set them out on the table and people can buy them for the school. They said they have emailed the school but Amy wanted to know if this could be sorted out by the PTFA. There was some confusion with the office but hopefully this has been rectified and Amy will be in contact with Winstones with a book list.

Summer fete

Georgia has asked for any prizes for the Summer Fete grand raffle and a shout out for the crockery smash, any unwanted crockery that can be used. Henry has asked if anyone can clean/ help to paint the beat the buzzer ready for the fete.

Teri will get the volunteer list out as soon as possible and if anyone can get to school to help set up then be there for 13:15 please.

Feedback from the fete-

'That was an incredible fete! As a first timer with Toby in Reception, I was blown away!

'It was an awesome fete! There were so many happy smiley faces!'

'I just wanted to say a huge thank you for everything you and your team have done for the school fete. There was a really lovely atmosphere today and everyone that I spoke to commented positively.'

'Well done all of you! I can only see that as being one big massive ball of success.'

'You are amazing and the prizes were insane'

'Absolutely amazing as always, well done to everyone involved.'

'Just to say a huge thank you to all those who work so hard to put on these brilliant events. Yesterday was awesome and we had such a lovely time.'

'Ditto, outstanding effort! Well done everyone, a very lucky school to have such an amazing PTFA.'

Meeting

Meeting straight afterschool 13th June.

Fundraising ideas

Kelly raised an idea that we created a sweepstake on the teacher race.

Art Exhibition Raffle

Amy has found some fantastic donations for the art themed raffle. Prizes from Winstones book shop, Sidmouth Craft Shop, Hobbycraft, Southwest Art Materials, Exeter Phoenix and others. Teri will bring the float and tickets and will talk to the pupils about their role with the raffle.

PE coloured bands

The PTFA have had delivery of a box of coloured bands for sports day. No more last minute scrabbles for tribe coloured t-shirts.

New committee members

The PTFA are recruiting a new treasurer, no previous experience required and full training and support available. We would love to chat to you about the role and can send you a job description and have an informal chat if you're

interested. Please contact Teri on 07909 798441 for more information. We have now had a nominee for treasurer, co chair, and secretary.

Leaving members and new members

Chloe Pawson-Pounds wishing everyone farewell and the very best in the future as her children move to a new school.

Roberta Mcloed and Tanisha Ellis have left.

Welcome to Susie Cheyne, Ant Tribble, Guy Frankland, Carly Pugsley

Sports Day Refreshments

Last year we did sports day drinks, we ran it as an honesty system with some of you lovely folks just keeping stuff tidy and topped up while you were there anyway. Going to do that again tomorrow (to hopefully shift the left over stock from the fete 😊) Teri doesn't have a KS1 any more, so will set up first thing (anyone available to help carry stuff down in the morning, that would be fab!) Then anyone who is there for the morning, please keep an eye on it?

Colour Run

Kelly shared the fantastic idea of Newton Pop running a colour run. Georgia is going to create a colour run group with people who are interested in helping to organise and run the event.

School Lottery

We have a weekly winner and the chance to win £25,000 plus non-cash prizes. Visit www.yourschoollottery.co.uk to buy tickets.

Easyfundraising

Easyfundraising.org.uk is still working though so please suggest this a shopping portal for online shopping and effortlessly donate to the PTFA.

-Anyone can join this group by contacting Teri Murphy, Chair 07909 798441