



Chorleywood Primary School Newsletter

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Summer Fair

Wow! What a great day!

Thanks to everyone for all the hard work, support and time to make yet another wonderful summer fair. We have raised **£5500 this year**, with a huge amount from the auction at £1900, the best yet! We are very lucky to have such supportive class representatives who tirelessly fill all the slots and arrange for set up on the day, thank you so much. Also to the local business and companies for the big donations especially **Sewell and Gardner** for the £100 cash prize on the raffle, **Hannah's Beauty Salon** for the treatment package for the raffle and **Mezze Mangal** for food donations as well as cooking with us too on the BBQ.

Fun Run

A new event for the year that was a great success, the Fun Run was held on 4th July. The children had an obstacle course to get through whilst raising sponsorship money for the school and Great Ormond Street Hospital. Well done to Elaine, Jo And Sue for their hard work on a fabulous event that children and staff loved! The total in for this was £2000, and school presented GOSH with a £500 cheque. Well done children on raising all that money for such a good cause.

Money raised

This year we have continued to raise money for the school to update the sound and lighting in the hall and raise funds to update the outdoor area with more equipment. We are pleased to say we are at a total of £19,000 with still the August cycle challenge to go.

Event	Money raised
Film Clubs	£840
Christmas Fair	£4600
Christmas Cards	£200
Family Fun Night	£698
Recycling Bin	£500 one more load to still be collected
Band Night	£1350
Easter Egg Hunt	£540
Infant Disco	£275
Mother's Day	£279.45
Father's Day	£158.24
Zumbatonic	£170
Quiz nights	£276
Table Top Sale	£453
Lollies and Tuck sales	£172
Summer Fair	£5500
Fun Run	£2000 of which £500 has been donated to Great Ormond Street Hospital
Cycle challenge	£1400 still one more, plus donation to Watford New Hope Trust

PTA Dates for the Diary

Autumn Term

Film club dates TBC

Monday 14th September	PTA AGM 7.30pm at the school. Please can all committee members attend. It is also open to anyone else interested, just to find out about the year ahead and see who is who. There is no obligation to take on roles, but if you want to this is also welcomed.
September	In school the children will design a Christmas card. This year we shall be using a different company with lower pack prices and better profit to the school. More info nearer the time.
25th September	School calendar 'birthday' month photographs. Similar to last year's success we shall be taking photographs for a calendar a bit earlier this year. More details to come.
16th October	Quiz night save the date!
28th November	Christmas Fair: Save the date!

This year's big event....

The first of the 2 cycle challenges has been successfully completed by a group of parents. On Sunday 12th July parents and Eva M took part in cycle challenges of different distances. Eva in year 4 has been training hard and completed the 30 miler! Other parents, some who had never ridden a bike before, battled through the 30 miles, 60 miles and even the 100miler! All for the school and Watford New Hope Trust. So far the total is looking at **£1400 raised**. If you are interested there is one more event on 31st August, <http://chilterncyclingfestival.com/veloclassique> or just donate to the cause to spur on the challengers to date! It really is simple by clicking the link. Thank you to Harry for coordinating this. Contact harry@mirpuri.me if you want more info. <https://mydonate.bt.com/events/cwpnoexcuses/203533>

Recycling

You can access the bin during school hours or when the school gates are open to deposit your recycling. When the bin is full, and the contents have been collected the PTA receives a cheque based on the amount donated. Have a good sort out this summer and pop anything you don't want in there and we can turn it into cash.

School Uniform

Please have a sort out of any old uniform you may have, especially in Nursery/ Reception, so we can offer to our new parents in September. All uniform that you no longer need is gladly accepted.

Available to buy all year just ask the office to contact us, Tania or a class rep. Or email the above address.

Easy ways to help the PTA:

Remember easy fundraising to help raise money! www.easyfundraising.org.uk £196 raised this year