



Newsletter

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 **Hello!** 

Hope everyone enjoyed half term and are now ready for the hectic build up to Christmas!

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Autumn disco that we had a couple of weeks ago. Wow, what a LOT of children – 295 attended!! We usually have around 180 so it was very busy and noisy, but we hope all the children enjoyed themselves. We made an absolutely incredible £1792.49! What a fantastic start to our fundraising year! As a reminder, all the money we raise as a PTA goes directly to benefit the children. This year the school have asked us to help them purchase book sets to enhance the reading lessons and allow them to start lunchtime book clubs.

Our next fundraiser will be the Christmas Fair on 12th December. More details below. We will be organising this at our PTA meeting on Monday so if you have any ideas or would like to be involved in any way, please join the meeting on Zoom ☺

Charity Christmas Cards

For those of you who handed in Christmas card designs, the proofs are now back and will be handed out to your child via their class teacher this week.

You will have to order products yourself directly from the company. Details about when and how to order cards and loads of other products with your child's design on, will be on the proof when you get it - you will need to visit the Class Fundraising website; <https://www.classfundraising.co.uk>.

Raffle

As usual we will be having a raffle at the Christmas fair. We are delighted that Chris Gray – Avocado Property, has once again generously donated the main prize. We have a 'selection box' of vouchers for John Lewis, Smyths Toys, Love2Shop and M&S - £250 for first prize, £150 for second prize and £100 for third prize! We hope to also have lots of other prizes – so many people can have a chance to win. **Please do let us know if you have anything you wish to donate or can suggest companies that might be able to help.** We will publicly acknowledge, thank and advertise everyone who provides a prize.

Amazon Smile

Started Christmas shopping yet?? **If you shop online and use Amazon, then please consider using AmazonSmile.** AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support the PTA every time you shop, at no cost to you. It is available at smile.amazon.co.uk on your web browser and can be activated in the Amazon Shopping App for iOS and Android phones. When you shop with AmazonSmile, you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as amazon.co.uk, with the added bonus that AmazonSmile will donate a portion of the purchase price to your selected charity. Here is an easy step by step guide to set it up; <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rJUQF7XjQi0>. Please search for Frimley C Of E School Pta.

!! Upcoming events !!

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| 07.11.22 | PTA meeting 7pm via Zoom – everyone welcome! Ask for the code! |
| 12.12.22 | Christmas Fair. After school until 5pm. |
| 10.01.22 | Coffee morning. Cuppa and a chat after morning drop off. |
| 24.02.23 | Quiz & curry evening. Save the date. More details to follow. |