

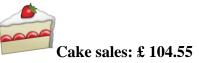
Welcome to the new-look PTFA Update! Here we will keep you informed of PTFA fundraising events and projects. With school funding being stretched so far, it is important that we all do what we can to help raise additional funds to support our lovely school.

We also aim to have fun and socialise in the process!

PTFA Fundraising

A big thank you to everybody who has helped us to raise the following totals in May:

Quiz/Curry night: £450





Amazing achievement-well done!

Also...

- Don't forget to use *www.easyfundrasing.org.uk* when shopping online at Amazon, John Lewis, Ebay, Tesco, Sainsburys, Argos, to name but a few. Well done to parent, Poppy S, who is currently top of the school's easyfundraising leader board, raising an amazing £133.72 just by shopping online! Find out more and join using this link: www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stmaryshamptonpsptfa/.
- If you are buying a new scooter, remember the school receives funds from <u>www.micro-scooters.co.uk</u>. At checkout, quote URN code 139421. Many thanks to parent, Sharon T, who raised funds for the school this way last month.

PTFA Events

It is our **Summer Fair on 8th July** so put the date in your diary now. In the next week or so, class reps will be helping to find volunteers to look after the stalls. Please try to spare an hour or two to help on a stall and if you are asked by a class rep please say yes! We also need volunteers to distribute Summer Fair flyers and put up posters - more details to follow shortly. Also we will gratefully receive the following donations:

- cakes
- toys, DVDs, books and gifts
- plants for the plant stall

- cuddly toys and sweets for the Children's Tombola stall
- more Bottles for the Adult Tombola stall
- '10 in a bag' small items (bags will be going in book bags in next week or so)
- raffle prizes, vouchers
- people to make signage for stalls (as per communication on 26th May, speak to your class rep if you can help here).

Date for your diary: End of term PTFA school disco (for all year groups) will be held on **Thursday 13th July**. More details to follow in the next few weeks.



- On **Tuesday, 18th July** we will have a **MASSSIVE lorry** coming to collect your unwanted clothing and textiles so please clear out your wardrobes! The company we are will pay 40p per kilo of good quality items. A letter and collection bag will be sent out in book bags soon but in the meantime don't throw away your clothing, shoes, handbags, hats, bags, scarves, ties, jewellery, socks, belts, household linen, curtains, towels and bedding (no duvets, pillows or blankets). Please don't bring any donations to school just yet...more info to follow.
- Don't forget to come and watch (or play!) the staff v mums Netball Match next Wednesday 14th July 3.30 4pm. We will be selling refreshments so bring your pennies.
- Also come along to Claudia's boot camp on **Friday 16th June** at 9am. Ask Claudia or your class rep for details.

PTFA Class Reps

Class reps are the voice for your class at PTFA meetings and they are your link to what is happening in the PTFA:

- They can forward an idea to the rest of the PTFA if you can't make a PTFA meeting.
- They are involved in PTFA events so may be able to help if you have a question.
- They help to organise fund raising (such as the cake stalls and summer fair) and will make you aware of any fundraising activities currently in the class or school.

Please support your class rep! E.g. Bake/buy some cakes to sell if it is your class's turn, sign up to a stall for an hour or help with organising an event.

Here are your lovely class reps for the summer term 2017:

London Class







Ruth McCann



Cairo Class



Kate Parker

Julia Robinson

Paris Class









Becky Holmes

Sophie Tait

Kelli Macsorley

Emma Biesty

Quito Class