



**P
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**RAISING FUNDS AND
FUTURES TOGETHER.**

2024/25



WELCOME.



Welcome to another new school year at
St Mary's Primary School.

It's great to see everyone back and lots
of new faces throughout the year
groups.

Please use this document to help
navigate and **understand the role of
the PTA at our school** - and how you
can get involved.

Paula Botting
PTA Chair



OUR ROLE.



PTA

The key purpose of the PTA is to **raise funds for the school**. Enabling investment in facilities and experiences that enhance your child's learning and school experience.

In 2023/24 we raised £39,130.

Since Y6 started in Reception, we've raised £140,000+.



PTA

WHO'S WHO?

Chair

Paula Botting

PTA Advisor

Imogen Quirk

Treasurer

Naz Girnary

Secretary

Kat Wilson

Communications

Vacant - get in touch if you're interested!

Reception

Becky McCall
Lou Hitchcock
Vicky Howard

Year 1

Alice Strzebrakowski
Hayley Cox
Kirsty Parton
Lisa Markey

Year 2

Bex Henden
Christie Mitchell
Emma Lee

Year 3

Adele Wingrave
Carrie White
Megs Vickers

Year 4

Mary Jordan
Sarah Bate
Tiggy Sadler

Year 5

Amy Steele-Perkins
Kelly Byrne

Year 6

Katie Elson
Kirsty Bysouth





YOUR ROLE.

PTA

Name:

You, yes you!

Role:

Member of the PTA

Job Description:

Help raise money for the school, and have a say in how it's allocated.

Volunteer to help bring the ideas to life.

We want to hear your voice!

Ways to help

- Attend meetings (which are a great way to meet others in the school community)
- Generate new ideas
- Donate prizes/items
- Offer support for events.
- Utilise fundraising tools



Join our next meeting...

9 OCTOBER 8PM

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FUNDRAISING.



WHY WE RAISE.

Class Budgets | Astroturf | Playground
School Library | Book Week | School Trips
Science Week Workshops | Bedtime Stories
Pupil Badges | Outdoor History Timeline
Outdoor Classroom | Class Wish Lists
Visiting Productions | School Resources

HOW WE RAISE.

Christmas Fair | Summer Production | Children
Challenges | School Disco | Christmas Cards
Christmas Trees | Active April | Fashion Show
Pantomime | ChiddFest | Class Bake Sales
Your School Lottery | Easy Fundraising | Easy2name
Parent/Carer/Community Donations

PTA ACTIVITY SCHEDULE.



AUTUMN TERM:

Christmas Cards
Christmas Tree Sale
Christmas Fair

SPRING TERM:

Pantomime
Bedtime Stories
School Disco

SUMMER TERM:

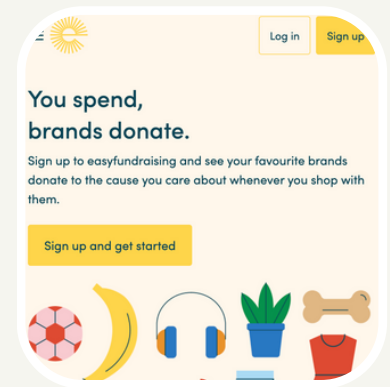
Sponsored Event
Summer Production

BOOST OUR FUNDS.



ONLINE SHOPPING

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YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY

bit.ly/Stmarysschoollottery

Tickets cost £1. £25,000 jackpot plus a local cash prize each week.



HELP OUR SCHOOL.



TEXTILE RECYCLING

Recycle unwanted clothes, shoes, bed linen, accessories, and soft toys. It is a Cash4Clothes initiative. Located by the school office.



TEACHER WISHLISTS

Purchase items for your class teachers with Amazon wishlists.

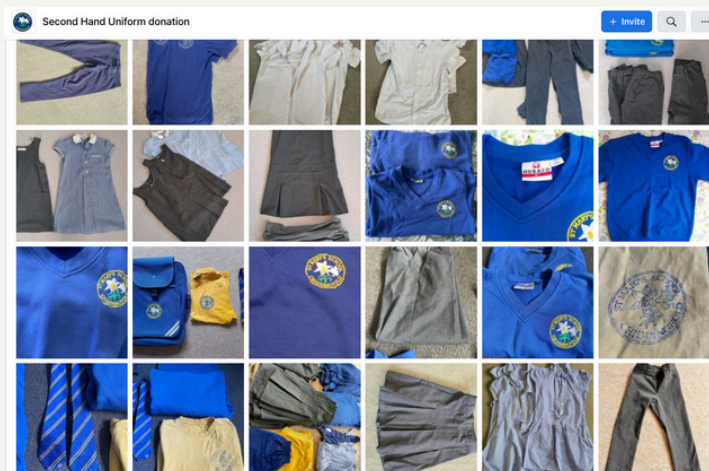


UNIFORM.



SECOND-HAND UNIFORM

There is a Facebook group. Most items are listed free of charge. You can donate to the PTA for items you receive, if you wish.



DONATE.



You can make donations of any size, at any time to St Mary's PTA.

BANK TRANSFER

St Mary's School Chiddingfold PTA

Account Number: 21435191

Sort Code: 40-23-15

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Pay online with card, Apple Pay
or Google Pay



or scan here

Registered charity 1146859

PTA COMMS.



You will mainly hear from the **PTA** through **St Mary's Parents & Carers WhatsApp Community**.

[Join here](#)



PTA Fundraising Update

This will be sent out on a termly basis via the WhatsApp Community.

Meetings

Parents & carers can share fundraising ideas, hear PTA updates and participate in fundraising roles during half termly face-to-face meetings.

PTA webpage

Minutes, treasurer reports and fundraising updates can be found on the PTA page of the school website.

www.stmaryschidd.org/community/pta/

SCHOOL COMMS.



School Bulletin Email – fortnightly on Thursday. Important diary dates, date changes and notices regarding school arrangements.

Seesaw – teachers to share children's learning and quick class reminders.

Email – communication to parents in-between bulletins.

Texts – immediate communication e.g. when a trip is running late

Diary Dates – end of each term for the following term. By email.

Letters – specific class arrangements eg trips, sports tournaments. Sent by email.

WhatsApp Groups – set up informally by parents, used to share class reminders between parents. Plus PTA requests.

Diary dates, letters and bulletins are published on the school website.

WHO CAN HELP?



**CLASS
TEACHER**

School curriculum, your child, school day, seesaw.

**SCHOOL
OFFICE**

School trips, clubs, lunches, absences, diary dates, pickup/collections, suggestions

**PTA
(VIA CLASS
REP)**

Fundraising events/ activities/ideas, donations, support

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