

PTA NEWSLETTER



Thursday 8th February

Happy Thursday to you all!

Please read the info below and attachments on the £20.24 for 2024 Challenge.

Half term would be a great time to start.....

Have a lovely break,

From the PTA.

DONATIONS

The large black PTA box is now back in the office collecting all your kind donations. We are currently looking for the following:

BOOKS – Please continue to donate good quality books for all ages

UNIFORM – We are happy to accept pre-loved uniform again, however, please limit this to **OFFICIAL SCHOOL ITEMS ONLY** and any items should be of a decent quality – no holes or stains please!

We are well stocked on plain polos, summer dresses and grey trousers, shorts, dresses and skirts and don't have the room to store any more at the moment. **SO PLEASE DON'T DONATE THESE ITEMS FOR THE TIME BEING, Thank you.**

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HAIR STYLING WORKSHOP

Before we go ahead with this, we need an idea of how many people would be interested in this, so please let us know, we can now offer this cheaper!

It would be a group session with each adult getting individual help and guidance from a hair styling professional.

You would need to attend with a child to practise the hair styles on.

The cost of this would be **£15** per adult attendee (your child is free)



To register interest and allow us to gauge uptake on this event please email us.

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LAUNCH OF £20.24 FOR 2024



We have launched the £20.24 for 2024 fundraising challenge.

This is our only sponsored event this year so we really hope as many of you will take part as possible. Please see attached flyer about the event.

Funds can be raised however you like – Helping with chores, bake sales, a sponsored event – the possibilities are endless!

There is no obligation to raise the full amount and all contributions are anonymous. However, there will be a **prize for the class who raises the most.**

Deadline for funds raised is 26th April

On this date any cash raised will need to be taken into your classes and put in the labelled box that will be with your teacher.

QR codes are provided **for each class** and these can be used as a 'Pay as you go' option, any time from now until the deadline, for collecting sponsorship, no need for cash!

Your class reps will be sending this out to each class.

We also have a copy of the sponsor form attached to this week's email. If you would like to use this, please print a copy. If you don't have access to a printer, please contact us as we can arrange this for you.

Happy fundraising!

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BOOK FAIR – 6th March

Activity Books
6TH MARCH 3PM TILL 4.30PM
Children's
Adult's
PTA Book Fair
Sticker
Cooking
Educational
*BOX SETS £5 OR SINGLE BOOKS £1
CASH OR QR ACCEPTED

SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER FOR THIS EVENT [HERE](#)

EASTER BINGO NIGHT – 22nd March

Easter
BINGO

Join us for a family night of fun at the Easter Bingo Night!

22ND MARCH 06.30 PM

£5 ENTRY PER PERSON
INCLUDES 1 SHEET PER GAME
£1 PER ADDITIONAL SHEETS

SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER [HERE](#) ORDER TICKETS TO THE EVENT [HERE](#) *LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE*

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EXCITING SCIENCE

WARNING....WARNING.....EXTREME FUN ALERT!

TUESDAY 2ND APRIL 2024 - 2pm

Tickets are usually £17.50 each. **PTA PRICE £16.75 each**

>>> BUY YOUR TICKETS ONLINE [HERE](#)



For details – see full information online.

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LEGOLAND

Inset day **MONDAY 3rd JUNE** – Why not visit LEGOLAND at a discounted fee.

Tickets are usually £34.00 each. **PTA PRICE £20.00 each**

>>> BOOK YOUR TICKETS ONLINE [HERE](#)



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JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING **TECHNICOLOUR** DREAMCOAT

Buy tickets to see Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat by TWODS at a discounted price courtesy of the PTA. Tickets on sale now!

Standard entry is £25 per adult, Seniors £24 and £19 per child.

PTA are offering Adult/Senior **£20** and Child **£18**.

>>> BUY TICKETS ONLINE [HERE](#)



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SHOW RUNS 29 MAY – 1 JUNE 2024

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TW LOTTO

We are excited to bring TW Lotto to you.

How tickets work

Tickets for the lottery cost just £1 per week, with a top prize of £25,000!



About the draws

A weekly draw takes place every Saturday night. Match all 6 numbers and you win the JACKPOT!

Raising money for St James' School

From every £1 ticket you buy, 50p will go to the school and 10p will go to local good causes in Tunbridge Wells and improving our community.

The Prizes

Match 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6 of your numbers in any of the matching patterns to win a prize. You can also enter into extra Super Draws for other prizes.

>>> Buy your tickets online [HERE](#) and support St James' School

Current SUPER DRAW

Win the ultimate Nintendo Switch bundle!

Win the ultimate family entertainment experience when you support a good cause this February! Unlock a world of excitement with our Mega Nintendo Switch Bundle: From intense fitness workouts to Mario Kart races and Zelda adventures, all on a dazzling 50" UltraHD Smart TV. It's your all-in-one entertainment thrill.



Get your tickets before Saturday 24th February to be in with a chance to win!

Good luck!

VISIT THE TW LOTTO WEBSITE AND BUY TICKETS [HERE](#)

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UNIFORM SALE

We will be holding a pre-loved uniform sale on the **morning of 23rd February.**

This will be held outside the blue PTA sheds by the Early Years steps from **8.45am.**

If you can't make the sale, you can still order uniform anytime online. Simply visit the website UNIFORM.STJAMESPTA.CO.UK place your order and complete checkout.

We will contact you when your order is ready for collection. Orders will need to be collected from the blue PTA shed located at the far end of the car park. Unfortunately, we are not able to arrange delivery of the items.

VISIT THE PTA PRE-LOVED UNIFORM SHOP ONLINE [HERE](#)

EASTER BUNNY HUNT - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE

This will be taking place on **Thursday 28th March**, and we are looking for some volunteers to help out with this beautiful event. All the children have so much fun, and it would be lovely for you to be involved too.

Slots are now available to book online [HERE](#)



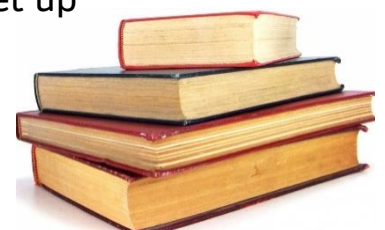
SIGN UP TO VOLUNTEER [HERE](#)

PTA PRE-LOVED BOOK FAIR - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PLEASE

Thanks to all your wonderful book donations, this will be taking place on **Wednesday 6th March** and we need some volunteers to help set up and/or sell the books.

This will run around pick up time so a really easy one to get involved with and should be a lot of fun.

Slots are now available to book online [HERE](#)



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SUMMER FAIR

Plans are coming along and it's looking really exciting!

We are excited to announce that there will be a circus skills workshop running at the fair! This will be a pre-order event with **limited spaces** available. We will update regarding booking info soon!

For now, we do have some areas that could really benefit from your help.....

S T A L L I D E A S

Is there a stall or event you would like to see at the fair?

Please get in touch with any ideas – we would love to hear your thoughts.

We would also like classes to have an idea of the stalls they would like to run on the day, so have a think!

H O U S E B O A R D S

If you live locally with good footfall or traffic passing your house, would you consider having a house board advertising the fair? These will be provided, put up and removed by a local estate agent. If you can help, please let us know.

E N T E R T A I N M E N T

Do you run or does your child attend any clubs such as Judo, Dance, Singing etc...

We are looking for some clubs to showcase at the fair, please let us know if you have any ideas for clubs that may want to take part.

S P O N S O R S

We are looking for parents who own businesses or know any business owners who may like to sponsor one of the attractions at the fair. If you can help please get in contact to discuss details.

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UPCOMING AND IMPORTANT DATES

6th March

PTA Book Fair
[VOLUNTEER HERE](#)

22nd March

Easter Bingo Night
[VOLUNTEER HERE](#)

28th March

PTA Easter Bunny Hunt at school
[VOLUNTEER HERE](#)

2nd April

Exciting Science Show
[BOOK TICKETS HERE](#)

14th May

Last chance to book Legoland tickets
[BOOK TICKETS HERE](#)

29th May

TWODS Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat
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3rd June

LEGOLAND day out
[BOOK TICKETS HERE](#)

18th June

Sports Day

29th June

St James' Summer Fair