



NOVEMBER 2023

# PTFA NEWSLETTER



## WHY DO WE HAVE A PTFA?

The PTFA is a registered charity whose aim is to raise money in a fun and sociable way, to provide the school with extra funding.

This is then spent on equipment and resources to enhance your child's educational experience and the school's facilities.



### LOUISE ROSS CHAIRMAN

Mum to Archie in Year 4

Runs own business teaching dance, owner of Physikidz Holiday Club and Summer Dance Holiday Clubs



### MICHELLE RICHARDSON VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mum to Jacob in Year 4 and Harry aged 4

Computing & Business Teacher



### MARK BIRKETT TREASURER

Dad to Benjamin in Year 1, Oliver aged 16 and Arthur aged 3

Financial Controller for Kier Transportation Ltd



### HANNAH BIRKETT SECRETARY

Mum to Benjamin in Year 1, Oliver aged 16 and Arthur aged 3

Performance Manager in the NHS



### MICHAEL BAILEY PTFA MEMBER

Dad to Henry in Year 5, Finley in Year 2 and Albert aged 1

Owner of Michael Bailey Estate Agents



### VARSHA JOGI PTFA MEMBER

Mum to Shiva in Year 3, Arya aged 20 and Indra aged 14

Post Office and Shop Owner



### CHARLOTTE KELLETT PTFA MEMBER

Mum to Sienna in Year 6 and Samuel aged 13

Account Manager

## COULD THIS BE YOU?

In order to continue our efforts we need people like **YOU** to help. Our committee could do with a few more members but we do also have a Whats App group for volunteers who may only be able help at a few events maybe helping set up, man the tuck shop or clear away. Any help is much appreciated!

We hope reading our newsletter may encourage you to get involved. Please don't be afraid to contact one of our team or email us. We'd love to hear from you.



Scan the QR code to What's App us to join our friendly bunch of volunteers

Email us:  
[ptfa@coplane.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:ptfa@coplane.lancs.sch.uk)

# FUNDRAISING

## NEON DISCO

A massive thank you to all who attended our Neon discos last Thursday. They were a huge success and all the children seemed to have a thoroughly enjoyable evening!

Through ticket sales, flashing novelties and the tuck shop we managed to raise a whopping £733! A great start to our fundraising year.

## CHRISTMAS EVENTS



Date	Event
Friday 1st December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non Uniform Day</li> <li>Rainbow Raffle tickets sent home</li> <li>Festive Friday Treats</li> </ul>
Friday 8th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tea with Santa</li> </ul>
Friday 15th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All raffle tickets returned</li> <li>Festive Friday Treats</li> </ul>
Monday 18th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Christmas Carol Concert</li> <li>Rainbow raffle drawn</li> </ul>
Tuesday 19th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collect Raffle hampers from today</li> </ul>
Thursday 21st December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>'Aladdin' Pantomime</li> </ul>
Friday 22nd December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Festive Friday Treats</li> </ul>

## WHAT HAVE THE PTFA FUNDED SO FAR?

- Christmas Selection Boxes 2022
- Easter Chocolate Treats 2022
- King Charles' Coronation Souvenirs
- African Drumming Workshop for the whole school
- Aladdin Pantomime for the whole school
- Christmas Selection Boxes 2023

## WHAT ARE THE PTFA RAISING MONEY FOR NOW?

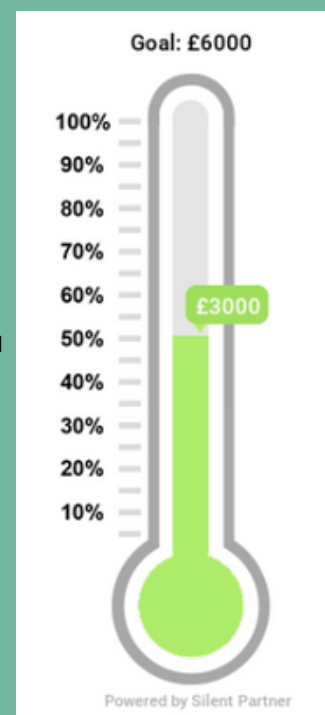
A few years ago, we supported the transformation of the Junior playground and now it's time to think about the Infant one. The paintwork and games on the playground are in need of a face lift.

Mr Ashmore approached the PTFA last year and asked if we would consider funding the much needed improvements, as unfortunately due to the ever restricting government budgets, school couldn't fund them just at the moment. Of course, we accepted the challenge!

Last year, we made a good start, this year we would like to reach our target of £6,000 and hopefully see the playground looking shiny and new, ready for our 2024 Reception Class.



So far our totaliser looks like this:



We will keep you updated on our progress.



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Email us:  
ptfa@coplane.lancs.sch.uk





# Rainbow Raffle

**NON UNIFORM DAY**

**FRIDAY 1st DECEMBER**

**WEAR ANY COLOUR YOU LIKE**

In exchange for a donation of a coloured item in your child's class colour theme. These donations will make up 7 beautiful hampers for the raffle, to be drawn at the Carol Service on Monday 18th December. Part of the fun of the hampers is the selection of items you can win, so please be inventive!

**CLASS COLOURS**







# Rainbow Raffle

## DONATION IDEAS

### RECEPTION

Red Wine, Malteasers, Budweiser Beer, McVities Digestives, Ready Salted Pringles, Family Circle Biscuits, Kit Kats, Skittles, Celebrations, Bournville Chocolate, Pombears, Munchies, Red toiletries, Red Candles

### YEAR 1

Chocolate Orange, Orange Gin, Haribo Tangfastics, Fudge, Revels, Toffee Crisp, Orange Clubs, Mini Cheddars, Bucks Fizz, Orange Fantam J20, Doritos, Orange Car Air Freshener, Orange Toiletries, Orange Candle, Orange Stationary, Orange Juice/Squash

### YEAR 2

Lemon Gin, Cadbury Flakes, Cadbury Caramel, Toblerone, Skips, Custard Creams, Kelly Babies, Quavers, Lemon Fanta, Mr Kipling Lemon Slices, Jelly Tots, Yellow Candle, Yellow Toiletries, Yellow Toy Car, Yellow Book

### YEAR 3

Gordons Gin, Heineken Beer, White Wine, Mint Chocolates, Mint Aero, Matchmakers, After Eights, Appetiser, Apple Juice, Fruit Pastilles, Sour Cream Pringles, Green Toiletries, Green Candle, Green Toy

### YEAR 4

Mermaid Gin, Roses Chocolates, Fosters Beer, Roses, Party Rings, Haribo, Oreos, Milky Bars, Chocolate Hobnobs, Doritos, Tetley Tea, Bounty, Cheese and Onion Crisps, Blue Car Air Freshener, Blue Football, Crispy M&Ms

### YEAR 5

Quality Streets, Dairy Milk, Cadburys Hot Chocolate, Chocolate Fingers, Ribena, Vimto, Parma Violet Sweets, Heroes Chocolates, Purple Candle, Purple Bath Bomb, Radox Bubble Bath

### YEAR 6

Pink Fizz, Rose Wine, Marshmallows, Pink Gin, Raspberry Laces, Pink Wafers, Strawberry Fruitellas, Pink Bath Bomb, Nail Varnish, Loveheart Sweets, Pink Toiletries, Fruit Mentos

**EXTRA IDEAS:** Vouchers and gifts cards in coloured envelopes, socks, hair accessories, Christmas novelties, soft toys, books etc

**These are just ideas..... All donations welcome.**





## **CHRISTMAS RAINBOW RAFFLE**

£1.00 per ticket | Books £5.00

Tickets go on sale on Friday 1st December

7 amazing hampers to be won!

Plus an amazing cash prize of £100!!!!

Please return all completed ticket stubs and money no later than Friday  
15th to your class teacher. Draw to take place at the Carol Concert.

## **Festive Friday Treats**

Christmas treats and  
Tuck shop

On Friday 1st and 15th  
December at 3.15pm  
in the school entrance



# TEA WITH SANTA

FRIDAY 8TH DEC

3.30PM - 5.30PM

CHILD TICKETS ARE £8.00 AND THIS INCLUDES SANDWICHES,  
CUPCAKE AND DRINK.

CHILDREN WILL ALSO HAVE A VISIT FROM SANTA WHERE THEY  
WILL RECEIVE A FREE GIFT.

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT FROM

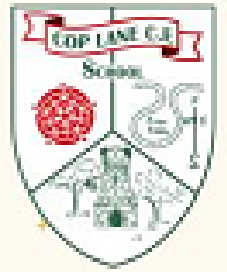


TICKETS  
ON SALE  
17TH NOVEMBER

ONLY 95  
AVAILABLE







# Christmas

## CAROL CONCERT

*Enjoy refreshments and browse the Christmas stalls,  
full of festive accessories and trinkets for children*

**Monday 18th  
December**

**All money raised goes  
towards Cop Lane  
PTFA funds**

*From 6pm at St Mary's Church*

