

St Mary's PTFA Newsletter

June 2025



It's been a fantastic and busy year for the PTFA and we want to say a huge thank you for all your support!

From Santa's visit to our fun filled Easter Egg Bingo and lively Quiz Night, it's been wonderful to see so many families getting involved. Thanks to your generosity, we are moving closer to our goal of funding the outdoor classroom!

Next up is our biggest event of the year, the Summer Fair and we can't wait to see you there.

The PTFA team.



We need your help for the Pirates and princesses Summer Fair! Here's how you can get involved on Saturday the 12th of July: Volunteers needed: Help with games, stalls, and all the fun! All hands on deck welcome. help for half an hour, a few hours or all day! we appreciate all support.

Hear Ye, Hear Ye... Calling All Brave Pirates & Royal Princesses!

Auditions be takin' place right here in school!

Finalists shall perform at the grand Summer Fair! Saturday 12th of July – A date fit for treasure hunts and royal delights!

Prizes await for the finest performances across the kingdom (and seven seas)!

So polish yer crown, tighten yer eyepatch, and get ready to shine!

Sign up for auditions today—don't miss the boat!





We are looking for teddy bears or soft toys donations again this year for our summer fair.

Any donations can be dropped off to the box in reception. Deadline is the 4th of July.

Please make sure they are clean and in good condition. Thank you.

Raffle tickets have now been sent home with the children, and we're excited to announce there are some amazing prizes to be won, thanks to the generosity of local businesses – a big thank you to all who donated!

If you need more tickets, don't worry – we have plenty available. We'll also be selling them on the day of the event as well as at the upcoming sports days, so there will be lots of opportunities to get involved. Don't miss your chance to win something special while supporting our school!



We have raised over £300 so far on Frozen Fridays and £40 in May from the Rag Bag bin. Thank you for your generosity!





Help the PTFA for FREE!



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1 Download the Easyfundraising app onto your phone



Sign up and select St Mary's Catholic Primary School PTFA - Chesterfield as your cause (tip - search Chesterfield and we will come up!)

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3 PTFA gets a £2 bonus each time this happens before 30th June



4 Enable the Donation Reminder on the app and get reminders on your browser while you shop

**You shop,
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It won't cost you any extra!

Free donations for the PTFA from 8,000+ retailers

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We need your help this June:

For the next few weeks there is a bonus of £2 per person who signs up to easy fundraising and selects us as their chosen cause.

It will take 5 minutes of your time, you do not need to purchase anything! It will help us raise more vital funds. Anyone can sign up so pass on to your family and friends!

UPCOMING EVENTS

30th June & 1st July
Sports day
refreshments and
raffle ticket sales

Summer Fair
Saturday 12th July
1-4pm

Date for your diary!
The AGM will be held
Friday 3rd of October
3.30pm in the hall. All
are welcome!

CALL for VOLUNTEERS

Did you know the PTFA stands for Parents, Teachers and Families? That means everyone can get involved – mums, dads, grandparents, aunties, uncles... anyone who cares about our school community!

We're looking for volunteers to help out – whether it's just a little or a lot. Every bit of help makes a big difference! There are loads of ways to join in; collect raffle tickets in, wrap christmas gifts, put packs together or helping out at events

You don't need to commit loads of time – just what you can manage. It's a lovely way to be part of the school, meet other families, and make fun things happen for our children.

If you'd like to be added to our volunteer list please scan the QR code or email us at stmarys.ptfa12@gmail.com we'd love to have you on board!



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