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PTA News September 2020

Dear Parents/Legal Guardians,

15th September 2020

As you will understand, due to the current pandemic, we are unable to hold any PTA social or fundraising events. Unfortunately, there will be no Pop-Up Shop, which means that a decision has had to be made regarding all the items generously donated, as these cannot be stored indefinitely. It has been decided that these items will be donated to charity. If you would like the items that you donated to be returned, please contact Nicola Wood, who has kindly said she will arrange for your items to be collected before **Tuesday 29th September**.

The PTA still plan to support school with funding large projects in the future such as an outdoor Forest Schools learning area and help towards a new classroom build.

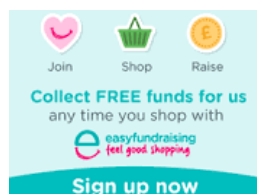
Currently, the PTA will be focussing on smaller scale projects and purchases which will directly support the children in school straightaway.

Following a generous donation of £250 to the PTA from the Cussins family I have spoken to our Chair, Louise Hodgson yesterday, and the PTA have agreed that school can use this money to go towards the purchase of almost £2000 of reading books which are being ordered from the school budget this week!

It would be fantastic if you could please continue to support the PTA and raise money. This can be done through downloading the "easyfundraising" app or tool on your computer. Every time you shop with some retailers and you use this tool easyfundraising donate an amount of money to school at no cost to you. Another way is by joining 'Our School Lottery'. For just £1 each week you have a chance of winning a small prize and also being put into a large cash prize draw. For every ticket sold, school get 40% back directly into school funds. The more people who buy a ticket the more money we will raise!

Finally, due to current government regulations which limit the number of people gathering there will be no AGM of the PTA until conditions allow.

Mrs Belinda Athey, Headteacher.



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