William Tyndale School Family and Staff Association Newsletter



October 2016



Dates for your diary

We hope you enjoyed the summer break. Here is a list of important dates this Winter term:

Friday, 7th Oct

F&SA AGM and Class

Reps meeting

9am in Kids' Club

Thursday, 13th Oct

Autumn Social

7:30(ish)pm - late

Brewhouse and Kitchen,

Corsica St, N5 1]]

Thursday, 10th Nov

Bag2School

Morning drop-off

Thursday, 24th Nov

Quiz night

7.30pm - 10pm

There will <u>not</u> be a winter fair this year but there will be some extra special centenary celebration events so keep an eye out!

New school year 2016/17

Welcome, welcome, welcome... A big "hello" to all the new members of William Tyndale Primary school and to those returning after a relaxing and refreshing summer. There are many things to look forward to this year, especially celebrations for our school's centenary year as well as the usual favorites: Summer Fair, Santa's Christmas visit and the Quiz Night. Look out for more information about these and many other events on the school notice board and in upcoming newsletters.

We will be having drinks and a few nibbles on Thursday 13th October from 7:30pm. We have a space reserved in the new Brewhouse and Kitchen which is not far from the Highbury and Islington roundabout. Absolutely everyone is welcome to attend – it's a great way to meet other parents at the school.

The Family and Staff Association

All staff, children and their parents and carers automatically become members of the Family and Staff Association - or F&SA or FaSA (to rhyme with NASA!) for short - when they join the school. We focus establishing a warm and welcoming William Tyndale community whilst raising money to support our wonderful school. Everything we do endeavors to be child-friendly and inclusive.

As always, the F&SA runs on the hard work and dedication of parents and carers at the school. If you would like to get involved, then please come to the AGM to find out more about what we do. If you would like to get in us, please email us at **fsawilliamtyndale@gmail.com**.



Friday Cake Stall rota

7th Oct Almond (y6) 14th Oct Browne (y2) 4th Nov Dahl (y1)

11th Nov **Jeffers** (reception)

18th Nov **Morpurgo & Almond** (y6) 25th Nov **Murphy** (nursery)

2nd Dec **Walliams** (y5) 9th Dec **Umansky** (y4)

Remember, the cost for all items will be 50p (or two smaller items for 50p). The proceeds from each stall go directly towards the cost of outings for children in the year group.

Ways to help the F&SA raise money



EasyFundraising

The F&SA is registered with easyfundraising It's an easy, cost-free way to raise money for the school when you shop online. There are over 3000 retailers involved (e.g. Amazon, John Lewis, Tesco) and it costs you nothing.

To register go to: www.easyfundraising. org.uk And don't forget to install the reminder toolbar on your computer, which will pop up to remind you each time you are about to make a purchase... it really is that easy!

They usually donate 2-3% of what you've spent to the School. So far we have raised over £900 through this scheme.

Bag2School

Have an autumn clear out and bring any unwanted clothes, bags, shoes, belts (no bedding or towels please) to school before 9am on Thursday, 10th November.

We will send an empty bag home with your child before this date. The school receives a monetary contribution from Bag2School based on the weight of each bag.

Last year we raised over £450 through this scheme.



Lunchtime Gardening Club

The F&SA continues to fund a Lunchtime Gardening Club. Every Tuesday Sara, the school gardening tutor, will be taking children out into the garden to get their hands dirty! Any child from year 1 to year 6 can pop along and learn more about gardening.