

St Andrews Parent Council Newsletter



All the things we do...

Parent Council is involved in many of St Andrews School's extra curricular activities all the way from handwork to badminton.

Parent Council has an important role enriching our school environment, working in collaboration with teachers to provide for all those extra things that make school special. Our meetings are usually once a term. They are informal and usually held at 6.30pm on a weekday evening. If you've never been before why not come along to the next. There's loads of opportunities to be involved. You don't have to be on the committee. Why not join our 'helping hands'. There's something everyone can do, whether it's helping on a school trip, selling raffle tickets or helping coach one of the school's sports teams.



Everyone loves to dance! Fun and games at the school Christmas disco.



Fantastic football in the Primary Indoor League – the Hurricanes keep their winning ways.

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WELCOMING SCHOOL

Parent Council works with the school to create a welcoming and inclusive school

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WIDER COMMUNITY

Parent Council promotes partnership with pupils, parents and carers.

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ENGAGE AND REPRESENT

Parent council identifies opinions and supports welfare.



School Birthday Calendar

A fantastic success with everyone's birthday and school terms included.



Hot Chocolate for all.

Supporting P5 with their fundraising enterprises.

Lunchtime clubs



From chess club to story club parents have a lot to offer at lunchtime. Is there a club you would like to run?

Netball, badminton, rugby...there's a lot of hard working coaches all running school teams as part of the Parent Council. Congratulations to all our netballers this season – well done Eagles.

Still to come...

Parent Council will be holding a raffle during the Easter shows on 27th and 28th March.

Donating a prize and buying tickets does really make a difference. We have been able to afford new iPads, subsidise school sports and buses for school trips.

Parent Council celebrates the amazing enterprise initiatives in P5 and environmental projects in P6. Look out for their amazing bio-plastic water bottles! Now available at the school office.



“Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits will be a fantastic show.”



As well as all the fun and games Parent Council is involved in collaborating on the school improvement plan and contributing ideas towards the new school building.

Keep an eye out for all the new developments on the school web page and Facebook page.

HOW CAN I HELP?

TREASURER

Parent Council is still in desperately in need of a treasurer. The main duties are counting up and banking raffle money and writing cheques for expenses such as the school disco then at the end of the year presenting a simple set of accounts.

COME TO A MEETING

Your opinions matter. Come along to a meeting and tell us what you think about school activities. Share ideas. Help with fundraising. Try it out and think about becoming more involved in the future.

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Look out for meeting details on Facebook and the Parent Council noticeboard