

Friends News

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Happy New Year!

Welcome back to what promises to be another jam packed term with some new fundraising activities, as well as our regular events like the school disco. Our first event this term will be our Quiz night on **Friday 8th February**. It's always a really fun evening, so don't be shy, get together with friends/family to make up a team or just come along and we will find a team for you to join. You don't need to be a quiz expert – it's all about spending some fun, quality time with friends/family and having a few giggles! Please see reverse for more details and the booking form.

Now that we are a registered charity we will be focussing sometime this term on applying for, and receiving funding and donations from larger companies. If you work for a company who offers charitable donations and funding grants please email us with details so that we can approach them.

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What is it for? You say, backing away.
The short answer is fundraising, pennies and pounds -
The school's tight stretched budget can't always go round.
We buy extra resources, for learning and play,
To enrich and enhance our children's school day.

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What do you do? You gingerly say,
Well, we run termly discos, Christmas fair, summer Fete.
Cake sales, Easter events, we've a lot on our plate!
We serve teas and coffees at many school events,
On baking cakes and biscuits much time is spent.

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Is it all mothers' meetings? You nervously say.
It's true that we chatter at the school gate,
Lots of business gets sorted around half past eight
But we really are a very mixed bunch,
Business people, professionals, and ladies that lunch
You don't have to be female to be part of our club...

So, who wants to join our School PTA?
I've heard it's quite cliquy, as a last ditch you say.
No, not in the slightest, we welcome everyone,
There's a lovely team spirit, its hard work but fun.
Between staff and parents, we strengthen the link.
Are you interested? Will you join us? What do you think?

If you're convinced or just curious about what we do each year
Come along to the meetings, there's more to see and hear



Your Committee

Co – Chair

Isabelle – mum to Elodie & Alex

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Kirti – mum to Dillon, Jay & Jenna

Treasurer

Jamie – dad to Nicholas & Matthew

Secretary

Sandip – mum to Kyra & Rahul

Ordinary Member

Lesley – mum to Freddie & Max

Your Class Reps

Explorer Class

Charley – Emmi's mum

Adventure Class

Sharon – Lincoln's mum

Discovery Class

Donna – Charlie's mum

Otter Class

Donna – Olivia's mum

Rainbow Class

Sandip – Kyra's mum

Rocket Class

Isabelle – Alex's mum

Acorn Class

Sharon – Roman's mum

Bear Class

Binal – Dylan's mum

Puzzle Class

Ashley – Lydia's mum

Octopus Class

Sara – Stanley's mum

Star Class

Kirti – Dillon's mum

Diamond Class

Sara – Quinn's mum

Upcoming events

Friday 8th February – Quiz night
Friday 1st March – Our next Meeting
Wednesday 6th March – Bags2School Collection
Thursday 28th March – School Disco
Monday 1st April – Cake Sale
Easter Holidays – Smarties Challenge



Have you joined our Facebook group yet?

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/297930174264036/>



Friday 8th February 2019

At Leavesden Green JMI School

Doors open at 7.00pm

Quiz Starts 7.30pm

Get a team of adults together - family or friends - or just come along and we will find a team for you on the night. Team sizes can be from 2 to 8 people per team. Fun, easy questions. Everyone really enjoys this regular event, so come along and join in.

Tickets are £5 excluding food or £10 including food. Food choices are Fish, Chicken, Sausage or Veggie Burger & Chips.

We ask each team to please bring a **raffle prize** with them.

You are welcome to bring your own drinks and nibbles (alcohol is permitted, if you bring it with you).

Please return all forms by Friday 1st February 19

Quiz Night

Please return this form to the school office by Friday 1st February with the correct payment. Cash or cheques accepted

Contact Name: _____ Telephone No.: _____

No. of tickets required:		£5.00 per person (Excluding food)
No. of tickets required:		£10.00 per person (Including Sausage & Chips)
No. of tickets required:		£10.00 per person (Including Veggie Burger & Chips)
No. of tickets required:		£10.00 per person (Including Chicken & Chips)
No. of tickets required:		£10.00 per person (Including Fish & Chips)

Please make cheques payable to "The Friends of Leavesden Green"

Total enclosed £