

A group of children in colorful jackets are playing in a field of autumn leaves, with some holding leaves up in the air. The scene is bright and cheerful, with trees in the background showing fall foliage.

# PTFA NEWSLETTER

**September 2018**

## **Who are the St Andrew's School Parents, Teachers and Friends Association (PTFA)?**

We are a group of parents, staff and ex-parents/generous villagers and friends that raise funds for our children whom attend St Andrew's school by holding various events and socials throughout the school year.

The PTFA and Mrs Green decide how and where to spend the PTFA funds. In the past we have provided computers and tables, paid for buses and snacks on school trips, purchased books, play equipment and we fund an annual party each year at Cattle Country, to mention just a few of our activities.

Your support is fundamental in helping the PTFA! We have raised so much money because of your generous donations of cakes, helping at the events and by donating wacky auction lot promises – Thank you!

We welcome anyone to our meetings (usually held in the Royal Oak or on an afternoon at the school!) and guarantee a bit of fun! Please get in touch with any of our members, if you would like to join your school's PTFA. A number of our members will be leaving at the end of this school year, so now is the time to join and learn the ropes!

### **Cromhall Flower Show tea/cake stall**

We raised a total of £489.73 due to your tasty donations of cakes. We share half of this amount with the Flower Show Committee, who provide us with such a great event. A further £53 was raised on the toy stall. A big thank you to everyone that helped on the day!

### **Rags2Riches Collections**

We have collected your unwanted textiles for a couple of years now and this usually raises about £100 for the school. We have our next collection booked for the **20th November** so please start sorting and collecting old clothing, shoes, soft toys, duvet covers and accessories!

# Tea at the Lakes

The Tortworth Estate Company are kindly allowing us to sell tea/coffee and cakes and bacon rolls this year at the Old Boathouse at Tortworth Lake on **Sunday 7th October** (10:00—17:00) Please could you support us by donating cakes again this year (home-made or shop bought!) and if possible by offering an hour of your day to help us by selling refreshments or cooking the bacon! Please could you let us know if you are happy to donate a cake and or help on the day by using the reply slip below and completing the rota.

Thank you for your support!

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Time:	Name:	Serving Refreshments or Cooking
10:00 –11:00		
11:00—12:00		
12:00—13:00		
13:00—14:00		
14:00—15:00		
15:00—16:00		
16:00—17:00		

Yes I am able to donate a cake (cakes can be dropped off at school on Friday or delivered on Sunday)

Yes I am a first aider and can offer my support on the day whilst I am at the lake, my name and contact number is.....

The time I will be at the lake is from ..... to .....