



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of the academic year, we wanted to say thank you, and take a look back at everything we have achieved together.

Whether you donated items, baked cakes, bought raffle tickets, or gave up your valuable time to volunteer, your generosity has been so appreciated. We quite literally could not do the wonderful things we're able to for our school, without you.

It All Makes a Difference

Your support directly funds resources, experiences and equipment that enrich daily life for all of our children at Holy Trinity. Thanks to your efforts, this year we have proudly funded:

- **IT Infrastructure (£13,835):** A major investment in new PCs to ensure our children are equipped with up-to-date digital skills.
- **Forest School Support (£3,780):** Funding for multiple outdoor sessions per term, giving our children space to learn, explore and grow in nature. Thanks to [AG Garden & Tree](#) for their generous donation of £650 which has helped improve the forest school area including a new parachute and reading area.
- **Books for Key Stage 1 (£1,455):** Brand new reading materials at the beginning of their school journey to build a lifelong love of books.
- **The Christmas Panto (£1,200):** Bringing the magic of live theatre straight to our school hall.
- **PTA Treat Day (£1,080):** A thrilling, hands-on problem-solving and escape box day that challenged and delighted the students.
- **Year Group Wish Lists:** £750 allocated to every year group to spend on bespoke classroom resources.

In addition, the Chris Smith Memorial Fund, created in memory of Chris Smith, a former Team GB runner and father of two past Holy Trinity School pupils, generously provided a grant to fund running tops for the Holy Trinity Cross Country Club.

Term Highlights: What We've Been Up To

It has been an incredibly busy and rewarding term. Together, we successfully hosted and participated in some fantastic events:

The Cuckoo Fayre: This May it was wonderful to see so many families from Holy Trinity and the wider community supporting our stall and taking part in this beloved Cuckfield event. Our stall was right in the heart of the action, where we enjoyed a fantastic day watching the annual dog show, cheering on the intense tug-of-war competition and even spotted the Mayor of Cuckfield making the rounds!

Father's Day Shopping: Our students loved picking out secret, special gifts for their parents. Once again, a wide range of choices made it difficult to pick but our wonderful volunteers helped with decisions and beautifully wrapped gifts!



Term Highlights: What We've Been Up To (cont.)

New Reception Parents' Evening: We had the pleasure of welcoming our upcoming families and introducing them to our wonderful school community. Together with school staff, it's a great opportunity for them to see just what the school and the year ahead will be like for their little ones!

Uniform Shop: A massive shout-out to the wonderful parents who run our uniform shop! They host regular in-person sales and offer an amazing online shop where parents can pick up vital school uniform items at low prices all year round. Please don't forget to donate your pre-loved, good-quality uniform items too!

The Summer Fair: The crown jewel of our calendar! As you can imagine, this event takes a lot of organising, and the PTA wants to give a HUGE thank you to outgoing member Sue Wright (Ridge) for her passion, energy and unmatched spreadsheet wizardry in leading the planning for this event over the past two years. We don't know what we'll do without you! Thanks to everyone who donated, volunteered and attended for your amazing efforts, it was an absolute triumph and a brilliant day out for the children and wider community.

Join the Team!

We always love to welcome new faces to the PTA. We are a friendly group of parents who put in whatever hours we can (and with busy lives we understand that can be limited!) to support the school and give our kids exceptional experiences. We also have a lot of fun, make great friends and get to directly shape our children's primary school memories. Why not come along and see what it's all about? **Next Meeting:** Mon 7 September, 7.30pm, The Wheatsheaf, Broad St, Cuckfield

Thank you once again for a phenomenal year. Have a wonderful, safe, and relaxing summer break!

Warmest wishes,
The Holy Trinity Primary School PTA

