

NEWS

FRIENDS OF HIGHFIELD

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Welcome back everyone!

Hope you all had a great Christmas and New Year..... 2020 is here!!!

The Friends of Highfield welcome you all back to school after the festive break. We hope you had fun 😊

UPCOMING EVENTS

Keep your eyes peeled for events that will be announce for the year ahead!

You will see posters around the school and receive notifications via your class 'whatsapp' groups!

Can you help?

If you are new to the school, or even if you are not, please get in touch if you are able to volunteer or help out in any way, or even if you have any great ideas that you would like to put forward:

You can get in touch with us at:

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Off the Leash Disco's

A huge thank you to the Kings Head Pub who hosted 2 'Off the Leash' events last term donating ticket sales to Highfield Primary School.

The first event generated a donation of **£800.00** for our school and the second event generated a **£500.00** donation. This is such a generous show of support for our school, so we just wanted to give a big shout out to the Kings Head Pub in recognition of this support. Thank you so much!

AGM

Annual General Meeting

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The Friends of Highfield are holding an annual AGM on 10th February at 19.45pm in the school canteen.

We welcome everyone to join us on this evening, where we will be electing new committee members.

If you would like to nominate yourself please do so by completing the online form. You should have received a text message from the school and a letter sent home with all the relevant details.

This is your chance to get involved and make a difference to our school!

We hope to see you all there 😊

FUNDRAISING UPDATE

We had a great start to this school year. From September to December we held 5 successful events and managed to kick start our fundraising by over £2500.00. This is a massive achievement for our first term but we could not have achieved this without your support. So thank you.

Include examples and costs of purchased items, how much was raised etc.

- Bag-2-School- raised £193.00
- Christmas Lights Switch On £579.95
- Christmas Quiz Night £1,807.90
- Off the Leash Discos x 2 £1,300.00
- Total £3,380.85**

Farewell Chair...

The Friends of Highfield would like to take this opportunity to thank our Chair, Kirsty Tindle, who has been an asset to the Friends since she joined as Chair at the end of 2018.

She has worked so hard to ensure that all our events are well organised and run smoothly. And she has been an integral part in the growing successes of the Friends of Highfield.

Kirsty has now stepped down as Chair of Friends of Highfield, and we all want to wish her well in what will be a very busy year ahead. Thank You Kirsty and good luck for the future!



JOIN US AT OUR NEXT MEETING

The School Canteen
19.45pm 10th February 2020

Thought of the month.....

'Education breeds confidence.
Confidence breeds hope.
Hope breeds peace'

Confucius

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✉ Chair- To be confirmed at AGM

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