

# South Wonston Primary School PTA Newsletter



Welcome to the first edition of our brand-new PTA newsletter!

We are so excited to be launching this termly update as a way to keep you informed and involved in all the fantastic things happening within our school community. At the end of each term, we'll be sharing highlights of our fundraising efforts, key event dates, and most importantly, how your generous support is making a real difference to the experiences of all the children.

We want to take this opportunity to say **thank you for all your support last year and this term** - Whether you've attended events, volunteered your time, donated or simply cheered us on, your contributions are amazing and we couldn't do it without you.

We've had a fantastic start to the school year already - the discos were a huge success, and it was such a joy to see the children laughing, dancing, and enjoying themselves. What a treat to see so many dressed up in Halloween costumes too!

This newsletter follows on from our AGM earlier in the month, where we shared just how successful the 2024/2025 fundraising efforts had been throughout - all thanks to your continued support. We're thrilled to be able to give you a snapshot of the impact your contributions are having across the school for all our children.

We look forward to sharing more updates with you as the year goes on. The next newsletter will be out in December, where we'll reflect on the first term and what has been achieved.

With heartfelt thanks,  
Your PTA

## Money raised for the year 2024/2025



Total net income = £7,842

Highlights include:

- Inflatable Fun Day = £1,756
- Santa Dash = £1,621
- School Discos = £1,055
- Elfridges = £695.10
- Wonsta Bar = £484.34
- Cake sales = £375.56
- Christmas Fayre £236.46
- Krispy Kreme Doughnuts = £228.90
- Advent raffle = £194.41

## Where funds have gone - Highlights

Much of the money raised went towards supporting children's playtime through the OPAL scheme. We are proud to have made a positive impact on the initiative by providing equipment and storage. As in previous years, some funds also contributed to the Year 6 end-of-year event, giving them a chance to celebrate together before moving on to secondary school. Looking ahead, we aim to spend any future funds in ways that directly benefit the children, enriching their experiences with resources, fun-filled activities, and support for their learning environments. An update will be shared soon!



## Upcoming dates for diary

- **Smiggle Raffle**  
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup>  
November (in  
school time)
- **Elfridges**  
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup>  
December (order  
forms coming out  
soon)
- **Christmas Fair**  
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup>  
December (3pm-  
5pm)

If you can offer any help at the Christmas Fair, please get in touch.



## Join us!

We are always grateful for new members and every parent/grandparent/carer is welcome. If you are interested in joining, or occasionally planning or helping at events, we'd love to have you on board. Please contact us via our Facebook page or email us at [southwonstonpta@gmail.com](mailto:southwonstonpta@gmail.com). Alternatively, you can leave us a message with your contact details at the school office.

