



Leybourne St Peter & St Paul CE Primary Academy PTFA



SEPTEMBER 2024

NEWS

PRE—LOVED UNIFORM

The PTFA holds a large stock of good quality pre-loved uniform.

If you are in need of any uniform, please contact **Teri Barden** at terimorleyocsko@gmail.com and she will be able to assist. If you have any uniform to donate, please drop it in to the office.

Welcome back!

Welcome back to the start of another school year, and a warm welcome to the new members of the school.

Who are the PTFA and what do we do?

The PTFA is a registered charity, run by parents on a volunteer basis, who organise a number of fundraising activities throughout the school year, to enhance the opportunities available to the children of the school now and in the future. There are also a number of fundraising schemes that run in the background, such as **easyfundraising** (details below) and for the next couple of months, **ASDA's Cashpot for Schools**, a reminder of which is provided at the end of this newsletter as well as **Bags2School**. This is a termly collection of old clothes/shoes (not uniform), which are then weighed and the PTFA receives payment.

Funds raised are only ever spent on items that will directly benefit the children.

2024 / 2025 EVENT DATES

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| 20 SEPT 2024 | 7 FEBRUARY 2025 |
| Coffee Morning | KS1 Disco 3:30—4:30 |
| Yr R Parents | KS2 Disco 5:00—6:30 |
| 30 SEPT 2024 | 28 MARCH 2025 |
| Bags2School | Mothering Sunday |
| 18 OCT 2024 | 4 APRIL 2025 |
| KS1 Disco 3:30—4:30 | Easter Eggs |
| KS2 Disco 5:00—6:30 | 13 JUNE 2025 |
| 30 NOV 2024 | Father's Day |
| Christmas Fayre | 20 JUNE 2025 |
| | Midsummer Music |

Email: ptfa@leybourne.school

Chair: Jenny Gillespie

Secretary: TBA

Treasurer: Charlotte Ford / Nichola Webber



This is a really easy way to help the PTFA raise money for school - just use the easyfundraising site to shop online and when you make a purchase, the retailer sends us a free donation, at no extra cost to you. Please visit our easyfundraising page at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/leybourneptfa/> and click 'support us'.



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PTFA Fundraising

Over the last few years, the PTFA has funded a new sensory and intervention room, as well as play-ground equipment and resources for the children. We have also provided 2 author workshops and purchased a number of commemorative bookmarks to celebrate the Coronation. In the background, we are also funding the food and bedding for both the chickens and guinea pigs as well as the Year 6 leavers outing. A full range of all our fundraising activities and spend for 2023/24 can be found at the end of this newsletter.

PTFA Future

Your current committee are looking ahead to another year of fun filled activities. However, as things stand at the moment, the PTFA only has a couple of years left before the current committee moves on as children head to secondary school. Without any new committee members, **July 2026** will see the PTFA close down and an end to all the events on the attached summary along with financial support to school. We really hope that it doesn't get to this point—but we do need your support please!

We would be very grateful to hear from anyone that would be interested in helping the PTFA to continue beyond 2026—we hold one meeting a term (online) and then the tasks are shared out amongst us in the committee.

Our first meeting of the term is being held on **Wednesday 25 September at 7:15pm**. We would be very pleased to hear from anyone who may wish to participate in this meeting or who would like to understand a little more about the PTFA. Please email us on ptfa@leybourne.school.

School Disco

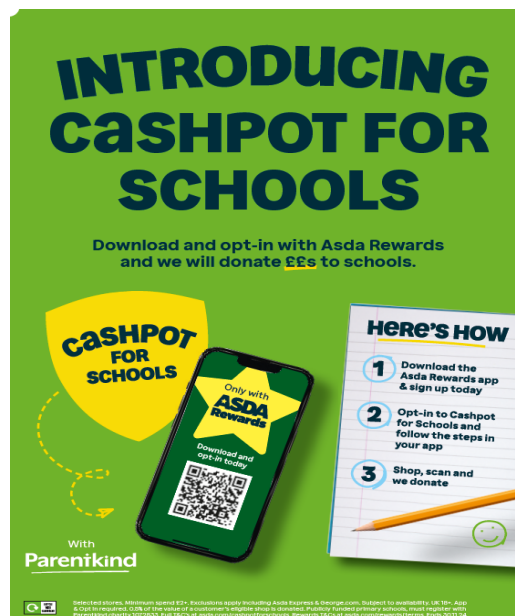
Our first event this term will be the disco—the DJ has been booked and will take place on Friday 18th October. More details will follow in due course but the timings are as follows:

YR R and KS1: 3:30pm—4:30pm

KS2: 5pm—6.15pm

Kind regards

Leybourne PTFA



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