



Christmas Fayre

Saturday 28th November

12.00p.m.—2.00 p.m.



Get ready for some fun and festive cheer at St Joseph's Christmas Fayre!

Plans are underway for the annual Christmas Fayre. As per last year there will be no entrance fee but we will be asking parents to purchase raffle tickets upon arrival. Last year this successfully alleviated the queuing time and avoided standing around in the cold. It was a great success so the same arrangements will apply this year. Please support the Raffle!

Some of the stalls.....

- * Pocket Money stall
- * Chocolate tombola
- * Toy Tombola
- * Games Zone

* Reindeer dust stall.

And not forgetting the all important chance to visit Santa in his grotto!

For the adults there will be an opportunity to get in to the Christmas spirit with a glass of Special Christmas coffee!

Hot food will be available - Indian snacks, hotdogs for the children, tea, coffee and homemade cakes.

As ever we are asking for help to run stalls so if you can spare 30minutes then please complete the slip below and return it to the school office. Any time you can offer will be greatly appreciated.

Hope to see you there!



Non uniform and donation dates

- Friday 6th November - Chocolate Tombola
- Friday 13th November - Bottles for tombola
- Friday 20th November - Toys or teddies/Books/DVD's (as new)
- Friday 27th November - Filled Paper Bags
- Fri 27h/Sat 28th Nov - Homemade cakes

Christmas Disco!

Sleigh bells will be ringing at St Josephs on **Wednesday 16th December** when the PTA hold a festive Christmas Disco for all pupils.

6.00 -7.00 pm Key Stage 1 Disco

7.15 -8.15 pm Key Stage 2 Disco

Tickets will be sold at £2 each and can be purchased on the door

Refreshments available on the night!

Help required to run tuckshop, please contact Vince on 07834 534883.

Due to restriction on numbers in the hall due to safety—Parents may be asked to wait outside of the hall during the disco unless you are a volunteered helper

Name

Year(s)

Contact (mobile/email)

I can help out from

to

Please hand in to the school office or contact Vince on 07834 534883



Who's who St Joseph's PTA

Chair	Vince Tierney Y1
Vice Chair	Carmel Coen Y1
Treasurer JS	Anne Marie Sheldon Y5
Secretary JS	Louise Purcell
Year Reps	
FY	Nicola Kelly
Y1	Anna Crowther
Y2	Vacant
Y3	Jo Knight
Y4	Claire Shirley
Y5	Michelle Carey
Y6	Jacci Kinsella



On behalf of the PTA a huge thanks goes out to everybody that helped raise a massive **£9,799.36** throughout the **2014 -2015** school year.

Special thanks to everybody that gave up time to help organise and run events, and to all that came along and supported them.

The PTA welcomes feedback so please pass on your thoughts and ideas for future events by either speaking to your year rep or completing the slip below.

We have already made a successful start to this year with a fantastic effort at the PTA Fund Raising evening at the Sutton Boat House in October, through tickets sales. Raffle and assorted auction an incredible **£2,491.62** was raised and a fantastic night was had by all who attended. Special thanks to **Karin Brady** for organizing this evening and we look forward to another great night next year—look out for details

Events Coming Soon

Christmas Fayre—Saturday 28th November

Christmas Disco—Wednesday 16th December

Parents Quiz Night—Friday 4th March

Please keep checking the notice boards in the playground for further updates and news

Please see a PTA member/Year Rep for further details or contact Vince on 07834 534883

MESSAGE BOARD

Personalised Christmas Cards

Details will be sent after Half term for this popular seasonal offer, you will be able to order yours using the form to be sent home from School – please follow the instructions carefully including payment details when published

Many thanks to Michelle Carey and Mrs Halliday for making all the necessary arrangements.

Bags To School

Thank you to everybody that donated their clothes for the last collection. Every bag raises money for the school! Another collection is being arranged and you will receive the bags before half term, these will need to be returned by 9th November - please save your old winter uniforms.

Many thanks to Jacqueline Marsh for continuing to organise this initiative.

Comments/Feedback for PTA

Please hand in to the school office or contact Vince via e-mail on vincetierney@blueyonder.co.uk Thanks!