



Lightcliffe Primary School PFSA Winter Newsletter

February 2023



Hello

Welcome to your Winter 2022/23 Newsletter from Lightcliffe Primary School's Parents, Friends & Staff Association (PFSA).

What a wonderful start to the academic year we have had!

The PFSA team have worked hard to put on a range of events and have planned more for Spring and Summer.

We were excited to see the return of the Christmas Fair, which was a huge success, along with the Christmas raffle and surprise IAG Ltd Nintendo Switch raffle.

Thanks to you, the support of the school and volunteers the events were a huge success.

We hope sharing the Events Calendar at the beginning of the year has helped families plan for the events. Moving the Christmas Fair to a Friday ensured our families and staff retained their important weekend time at this busy time of year.

Thank you, PFSA

**2022/23 Events so far have raised
£6501.76**

- Christmas Fair and raffles £4122.57
- PFSA Non-Uniform Day £348.05
- Disco £494.34
- School Lottery £373.20
- Easy Fundraising £465.20
- Cauliflower Cards £568
- Pre-loved uniform Sales £130

Want to get involved or have an idea?
email lightcliffepfsa@gmail.com



Funded Items

Books for School Reading Scheme Golden Ticket - Reading Books - Storage Equipment - Year 6 Leavers Hoodies - Living Eggs Project - Young Voices Transport - School Councillor Badges - Disco Lights - Christmas Book gift for every child

The PFSA and school are working together to agree where the funds should be directed including projects that the school funds cannot fully cover such as improvements to the outdoor areas.

Use easyfundraising
every time you shop online
& raise free funds for our school



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£31M Raised
Support us

All year round events

Here are events which run all year round to raise vital funds.

Easyfundraising, Your School Lottery and the Pre-loved Uniform Shop are continuous all year round events.

Pre-loved Uniform

The Pre-loved Uniform shop has been a huge success. It not only raises funds for the school, it is cost effective and recycles otherwise unwanted uniform.

We have introduced a new ordering form to make it easier to manage orders. Please click on the link and complete the form to order Pre-loved Uniform

<https://forms.gle/HTpwQQdAwa2Wautk7>

or check out the PFSA Facebook page.

We aim to check the form weekly and we will contact you once orders are ready to collect. When it is a little warmer, we hope to set up a Pre-loved Uniform shop at the odd pick up.

We will post on the Facebook group when this is planned so please join the PFSA Lightcliffe Facebook group.

2023 Spring/Summer Events

March Easter Fun Trail We will plan a new fun trail for March, with a grand prize to be drawn before the Easter Holidays.

Thursday 27th April (Evening) The PFSA Fashion Show A new event for the adults. Any School Family Fashion shop/boutique or complimentary stall who wishes to take part, please contact lightcliffepfsa@gmail.com ASAP as we have limited spaces for this fun event.

Friday 9th June Summer Disco
Following the new format of three discos immediately after school.

Friday 7th July Summer Fair after school and non-uniform fun day We all agreed this was a success last year and are happy to see its return. The summer raffle will also be drawn at this event

Any ideas/suggestions or volunteers please email lightcliffePFSA@gmail.com

SUPPORT OUR LOTTERY



Your School Lottery!

We joined 'Your School Lottery' Summer 2021

It's simple—choose 6 numbers between 0-9 and if they match the weekly lottery draw, you win great prizes.

One of our players will win a cash prize every week, maybe even the £25k jackpot!

Tickets cost just £1 per week and the proceeds are donated to Lightcliffe Primary School. Every Saturday at 8pm the numbers are drawn and posted online. Winners are notified by email and winnings paid into the account of your choice.

The Maths.. 100 tickets sold a week = £30
weekly cash prize = £2080 a year for our school!

To start supporting, visit yourschoollottery.co.uk and search for Lightcliffe primary

EasyFundraising!

The great thing about EasyFundraising is you can raise funds for the school with no extra cost to yourself! If you're not already signed up, it only takes a few minutes, then you can begin using the easyfundraising website or app straightaway.

When you shop online, with over 7000 of your favourite retailers, including John Lewis & Partners, Amazon, eBay, notonthehighstreet, you will raise FREE donations for Lightcliffe Primary School PFSA.

Visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk Sign up and enter lightcliffeprimaryschoolPFSA as your cause.

Return of the Christmas Fair!

The Christmas Fair and Raffles were a huge success. It was lovely to see everyone having fun.

A special thank you to Santa and Niblet and to Adam and Suzi Cheshire of IAG Developments Ltd who contacted the PFSA to donate the very generous Nintendo Switch and Game Prize.

Thank you to all volunteers and the wonderful stalls:

Elise with Button Box Cards, Julia with The Little Hanging Rainbow, Donna with Keepsake Blocks, Lucy with Handmade Resin by Lucy, Alex Murphy with The Body Shop, The History Society, Svafa with Svafa's Ceramic and Glass, our very own Mrs Brook with her crafts and Sue with MoonSmith Candles and Melts.

A lot of effort goes into such an event - before, during and with the clean up after so thank you everyone!



Businesses if you think you would like to be involved in any of the events have a stall, sponsor, donate a raffle prize, match the funds raised please do get in touch

We are also keen to hear new ideas and we are currently looking at a **PFSA BALL**, is this something you would be interested in? Let us know Thank you
PFSA



Thank you from the PFSA

A huge Thank you!!

The PFSA are overwhelmed by the success of this year's events so far. Thank you to the PFSA volunteers, the school staff (special mention to Mrs Dunkley and Mrs Bell) and parent volunteers for volunteering their valuable time. Finally a huge thank you to **YOU** for supporting our events!

So on behalf of everyone at Lightcliffe Primary, especially THE CHILDREN, THANK YOU!!

Thank You!

Thank you to the local businesses Please check them out

We really appreciated the number of local businesses who donated and/or supported the projects and events so far this academic year

- IAG Developments Ltd
- Hair by Kizzy
- Chloe and Lydia
- Keepsake Blocks
- Splash Swim Academy
- The Little Hanging Rainbow
- The Shibden Mill Inn
- Button Box Cards
- Natasha Jane Events
- Krispy Kreme
- Riva and Bea
- Moon Smith Melts
- Tesco
- The Body Shop
- The Black Horse
- Smyths Toy Superstore
- The Find Boutique
- The Edge Playgym
- Nordgreen Nurseries
- Tropic Vocation Brewery
- The White Horse
- The Pottery Spot