



SOUTH HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Building Character, Learning Together'

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Dear Parents and Carers

Plea for support for the South Hill School PTA

It is with regret that we are thinking that we may have to dissolve our (PTA) Parent Teacher Association. The PTA is a group of parents and teachers who meet to plan events to raise funds for the school. These occasions bring our school community together. Fund-raisers such as the Christmas Fair or the Colour Run are such lovely experiences for our pupils and families but they can only take place if we have enough parents to help set up and run them.

The money from previous events has funded iPads, the school library, playground games, sports equipment, a climbing wall and much more. Last year, the PTA raised funds for a technology room to support cooking lessons.

Plea

We need a committee of at least three people, including a treasurer and a secretary, to work with our current Chair and Vice Chair. What we also need are some parents (especially from EYFS or KS1) to offer time to help set up events, wrap gifts for the gift shops or buy treats to sell in the school enterprise shed. We have slimmed down events this year to make it more manageable for working families too.

Annual General Meeting (AGM)

The current PTA will hold their Annual General Meeting on **Friday 20th October at 6.30 pm** at South Hill School. I as Headteacher will be attending. We hope that those who can join our PTA and/or offer support for events will come along to plan the year ahead. Refreshments will be provided!

Please come along to the meeting to find out more, or if you feel you can fill one of the PTA positions, join the committee, or help more generally. Alternatively, complete the slip below if you would like to help but are unable to attend.

We thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

J Wellbelove

Headteacher

Parents' Association

Name..... Child's Name..... Class.....

- I am interested in the position of.....
- I can help plan/run events.....
- I would like to know more

Contact details (email and mobile phone number).....

Please return the slip to the school office.



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