

FHIS NEWSLETTER

December 2018



Diary:

- ◆ 24.01.19 - FHIS meeting, Eastfield Inn @ 7,30pm
- ◆ January 2019 - Raffle
- ◆ 01.02.19 - Winter Disco
- ◆ Term 3 - clothes recycling event
- ◆ 01.03.19 - Curry & Quiz
- ◆ End of March - Easter Egg Hunt
- ◆ May - May Fair
- ◆ 12.07.19 - Summer Disco

Reception Starters

A belated welcome to all the new Reception parents. If you haven't done so already please find FHIS on Facebook and join our closed group. You'll find reminders for events and a supportive community of parents and carers <https://www.facebook.com/groups/465964930154065/>

Playground Project

Stage 2 of the large playground project was completed over half term. A huge amount of rubble had already been cleared from under the tree and October finally saw the bonded surface being laid. Thank you to everyone who supported FHIS events last academic year as your donations made this happen.



Clothes Recycling

We will be holding a clothes recycling event in school. If you're having a Spring clear out please put any clothes that are ready for recycling to one side ready for the collection event next term. Not only does this raise much needed funds it also diverts tonnes of textiles from landfill.



Fireworks 2018

Massive thanks to Dan Davis, Ness Bird and Catherine Gilbert for all the time and energy they put into organizing Fireworks 2018. Their effort, event skills, and their rearranging at the last minute skills, were absolutely fantastic. Their army of volunteers (and the fabulous illuminated signs) made the evening a

Fundraising Totes

Thank you to all of you who bought the tote bags during term 2. A lovely gift and a brilliant way for FHIS to raise money for supporting the school. Great work from FHIS chair Sarah Roberts who organised and co-chair Saskia Gildawie who worked with Sarah to package up and distribute the 360 bags that were ordered.

FHIS Meeting - January 24th @ 7:30pm, Eastfield Inn

If you'd like to be more involved with FHIS then please attend our first meeting in the New Year. FHIS fundraising is needed to purchase items the school simply can not afford under the current education financial squeeze.

MicroScooter New Year Raffle

Watch out for packs of raffle tickets appearing in bookbags in the New Year. We have some fabulous prizes donated by MicroScooter to raffle off. 40 bundles consisting of helmets, lights and water bottles will be up for grabs.

FHIS Finance Summary

Funds Raised in 2017/18 - £18.3k

£5.0k May Fair
£4.2k Fireworks
£2.5k Lloyds Match Funding
£1.9k Summer Disco
£1.5k Tea Towels
£0.8k Halloween Treasure Hunt
£2.4k Other inc. Winter Disco and Quiz

Spend in 2017/18 - £15.2k

£5.7k Stage 1 Playground Extension
£2.5k To School Resource Budget
£2.4k Shine Academy
£2.0k School Hall Sound System
£0.9k Forest School
£1.7k Other inc. Climbing Wall & Life Bus

Spend in 2018/19

£7.3k Stage 2 Playground Extension
£2.5k To School Resource Budget
£2.0k Forest School