

AUTUMN 1 - SEPTEMBER 2024

# PTFA NEWSLETTER

Silsden Primary School PTFA



Hello and welcome to our first newsletter of the School year.

We've been busy planning some fantastic fundraising events for both children and adults to get involved in to help raise money for School. See the calendar overleaf for dates you don't want to miss.

Last year we raised over £12,000 thanks to your support, which has contributed towards an indoor climbing wall. Keep an eye out for the latest updates in the coming months. Plus, we'll soon reveal what we're aiming towards funding this year.

## ASDA Cashpot for Schools

### Earn money for School from your weekly shop

Together with Parentkind – the charity that supports school PTAs - Asda are making millions of pounds available to donate to primary schools across the UK through their 'Cashpot for Schools' initiative.

To get started, opt in through the Asda Rewards app, choose our school and shop and scan in store or shop online at Asda.com. Between 2nd September and 30th November 2024 Asda will donate 0.5% of the value of your shop to the PTA.

Also, every time somebody opts in, Asda will give us an additional £1 .

It only takes a few minutes - every pound counts!  
So, please get involved if you can and let's see how much we can raise.

## Dates for your diary

PTFA AGM Meeting  
6.30 PM MON 7TH OCT  
AT THE SCHOOL

A promotional poster for 'INTRODUCING CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS'. The background is green. At the top, the text 'INTRODUCING CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS' is written in large, bold, white and yellow letters. Below this, it says 'Download and opt-in with Asda Rewards and we will donate ££s to schools.' In the center, a man with long hair and a beard is smiling and holding up a smartphone displaying the Asda Rewards app. To his right, there is a yellow shield with 'CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS' and a smartphone showing the app interface with a star and the text 'Only with ASDA Rewards' and 'Download and opt-in today'. At the bottom, there is the Parentkind logo and the Asda logo with the tagline 'THAT'S MORE LIKE IT'. Small text at the very bottom provides details about the offer, including 'Selected stores. Minimum spend £2+. Exclusions apply including Asda Express &amp; George.com. Subject to availability, UK 18+. App &amp; Opt-in required. 0.5% of the value of a customer's eligible shop is donated. Publicly funded primary schools, must register with Parentkind charity 1072833. Full T&amp;Cs at asda.com/cashpotforschools, Rewards T&amp;Cs at asda.com/rewards/terms. Ends 30/11/24.'



# This year's PTFA events

A full year of dates for your diary, come and join the fun!

## OCTOBER

Monday 21st Halloween  
Discos Reception,  
Years 3 & 4

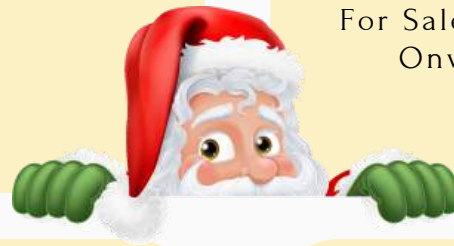
Wednesday 23rd  
Halloween Discos  
Years 1&2 and 5&6

Thursday 24th (Last  
Day of Term)  
Halloween Dress Down



## NOVEMBER

Thursday 21st  
Christmas Shopping  
Night



## DECEMBER

Thursday 5th  
Family Christmas Quiz  
Night

Thursday 19th  
Christmas Raffle  
Drawn  
For Sale October  
Onwards

## JANUARY

Penny Wars  
(until April)



## FEBRUARY

Thursday 13th  
Break the rules and  
doughnuts day



## MARCH

Wednesday 26th  
Easter Disco  
Reception, Years 3 & 4

Thursday 27th  
Easter Disco  
Years 1 & 2, 5 & 6

## MAY

Thursday 15th  
Pie and Peas  
Quiz Night

Friday 23rd  
Colour Run



## JUNE

Friday 20th  
Dress Down Day



## JULY

Friday 4th  
Summer Fair

## Cheese and wine evening

### Our AGM

We're hosting a cheese and wine evening in conjunction with our AGM on Monday 7 October at 6.30pm. Find out what we do and how the money raised last School year has helped support some great initiatives.



## Recycle unwanted clothes in the school car park

Have you used our 'Box Drop' in the School car park yet? Drop off any unwanted clothes at your convenience. Once the Box Drop is full it will be collected and we'll receive money in return. So if you're having a clear out, please bring your clothes to School and help us raise even more money.

## Clothing labels with a difference

Stikins who provide stick on name labels for clothes and shoes, give us a commission for every purchase made.

If you're looking to buy name labels now or in the future, simply enter our fundraising number 36443 on their website. Visit [stikins.co.uk](http://stikins.co.uk) for more information.



## Help raise money for School when you shop online

Whenever you're buying online, use easyfundraiser to turn your shopping into money for School.

It doesn't cost you anything and it's easy to set up and use so please consider buying items via easyfundraiser for any online purchases.

To find out more about the scheme and how it works, visit [easyfundraising.co.uk](http://easyfundraising.co.uk)