

# GREAT CROSBY PTA NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2026



## OUR CONTRIBUTIONS THIS SCHOOL YEAR

So far this year, the PTA has organised the following events :

- Macmillan Coffee Morning
- Autumn discos from Nursery through to Y6
- Story time with Santa with gift for each child
- KS2 Christmas Movie Afternoon
- School Christmas Fair

We have events planned every few weeks for the remainder of the school year so please keep an eye out for our letters.

As well as running events, we also provide financial support when new equipment is needed. Some most recent examples are :

- a £4,000 contribution to the new nursery playground
- £300 worth of blending and segmenting books for Reception children

## OUR GOALS

Our long term goal is to improve the outside spaces in our school, mainly the playgrounds.

We understand how hard the children work during their lessons and therefore want to be able to provide them with resources to make the absolute most of the downtime they have in school.

Play is so important for the social, physical and emotional development of children and encourages them to use skills such as problem solving and creativity - hence our enthusiasm for Project Playground.

We have already supported school to help complete phases 1 and 2 of Project Playground - the Reception and Nursery playgrounds - keep your eyes peeled for the next phase plans being released in the next few weeks!

## HOW MUCH WE'VE MADE

The Autumn discos helped us to raise over £2k!

The Christmas events alone helped us to raise over £3k in profit!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- 20<sup>th</sup> March - Adults only Sip 'n' Paint night
- 26<sup>th</sup> March - Easter Egg Hunt in school
- April - Ice Cream Fridays to resume
- 20<sup>th</sup> / 21<sup>st</sup> May - Spring Discos
- July (date TBC) - Great Crosby Fest (summer fair)



## REMINDERS

- 100% of all proceeds raised goes straight back into the school to improve the children's time at Great Crosby. If there are ways you feel the money raised could be put to good use, please come to one of our meetings, we'd love to have new ideas to work toward.
- If you work for a company who offers 'matched funding' (e.g. Barclays, HSBC, Lloyds TSB, Tesco, Vodafone, Shell, Microsoft, M&S, Sainsbury's, Boots, Stagecoach etc) please get in touch as this can really help towards making more money from our events.
- If you work for a supermarket or anywhere that you think may be able to offer goods or services please get in touch to see how you can help.

## CONTACT US

If anyone has any queries about PTA events, please contact us via the email address below, NOT school.

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