

# PTA NEWSLETTER

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NOVEMBER 2025

## New faces

As we say farewell to our outgoing Chair, Ozge Sabrioglu, and Treasurer, Sian Halcrow-Wilson, we want to extend our heartfelt gratitude for their years of dedication, and hard work, and the impact they've made on our school. Their leadership has been invaluable, and we are grateful for all they've done.

We're also excited to introduce Anna England Kerr and Sandra McKay as our new Co-Chairs and Carol Kay as our new Treasurer.

## Join us!

We need support in fundraising, communications and event delivery. If you could volunteer even a couple of hours email [pfahornpark@gmail.com](mailto:pfahornpark@gmail.com)



## NEXT PTA MEETING

Thursday 20th November  
9:00am

## Christmas Fayre

Thursday 4th December 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Come along for a festive afternoon packed with fun — there'll be a range of **stalls, delicious treats, and Santa's Grotto**, where children can meet Santa himself. Santa's Grotto tickets are available to purchase via:

<https://pta.events/Christmasgrotto>

*Tickets are limited so please book early to avoid disappointment!*

Don't miss our **raffle with fantastic prizes** to be won! Tickets are £1 each - children will be bringing a sheet of tickets home this week. Please return your completed and **cut** tickets, along with the correct money to the school office by **10am on Thursday 4th December**. Extra tickets for family and friends are available from the school office. The raffle will be drawn at the Christmas Fayre at 4:50pm.

Ahead of the Christmas Fayre, children are invited to come to school in their own clothes on **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November** in exchange for a bottle (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) or chocolate (nut free) for the Christmas Fayre tombola.

## How can you help?



### Donate things to sell

Please bring any donations of like-new toys, teddies, or gifts to the school office by Tuesday 2nd December for us to use on our fundraising stall.

### Bring us cake

Please bring us cakes to sell at the Fayre. Homemade or shop bought are both welcome but please list ingredients and remember we are a nut-free school. Please drop cakes to the school office on the morning of the Fayre.



### Volunteer

Can you spare an hour or two on the day of the Fayre to help us set up, man stalls, or help with clear up? Please email [pfahornpark@gmail.com](mailto:pfahornpark@gmail.com)

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## So far this school year the PTA has:



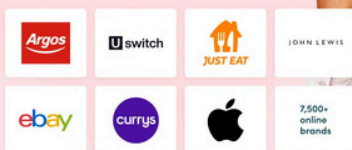
- organised the school disco
- funded workshops
- funded school trips
- run a tuck shop
- applied for a Tesco Stronger Starts grant



## Help us reach our fundraising goals



Turn your online shopping into everyday magic for our school



Horn Park Primary School is registered with Easyfundraising. **Create an account in less than 2 minutes.** add the Donation Reminder extension to your browser and you can raise money for our school whenever you shop online! Shop with over 3,300 big name retailers including Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, and Booking.com – and **when you shop, you'll raise a free donation for us every time.** It's that easy!

Use the following address:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/hornparkps/>

Lastly, as we enter the season of giving please check with your employers to see if they are able to **donate any raffle prizes, provide sponsorship or make a charitable donation** to the school.

Thank you for your generosity and support — we can't wait to celebrate the festive season together!