

# NEWSLETTER



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

21st March
 Music Concert



Thank you to everyone who purchased
Christmas cards and related accessories featuring your child's design - this raised
£143.75!

What an incredible couple of months it has been for our PTFA! As we gather to reflect on the recent successes and achievements, it's with immense pride and gratitude that we acknowledge the unwavering dedication and support of our parents and carers. Your enthusiasm, commitment, and tireless efforts have propelled us forward, making a profound difference in the lives of our students and the entire school community.

Now, read on to uncover all the exciting happenings and discover exactly how your support is being put to good use!

THANK

#### **Minibus Update**

We are thrilled to share the fantastic news that we have officially hit the mark for acquiring our very own school minibus! After thorough scrutiny and approval from the school, we are delighted to confirm that the minibus has successfully cleared all safety checks with flying colours. It's full steam ahead as we've scheduled some essential work over the Easter holidays to ensure it's not just safe but also

spruced up to perfection, complete with our school's emblem proudly for all to see! Keep your eyes peeled - the Sampford Peverell School minibus will be hitting a road near you before you know it!









#### Christmas Cake Squares and Hamper Raffle

A massive thank you to Ellie the Cake Fairy and Kelly McCabe for their generous donations of delicious Christmas cakes for our cake square raffle. Your kindness and baking prowess have truly sweetened our fundraising efforts! Thank you for sharing your talent and spreading cheer during this festive season!



On "Make the Rules Day," our PTFA donation bin overflowed with kindness! A huge thank you to everyone for the amazing donations. It certainly kept our lovely Gemma and Anne-Marie busy for hours putting them all together!

Both the cake square and hamper raffle collectively raised an impressive £927!



## What else have the PTFA been up to?

As the PTFA maintains close ties with Santa himself, they orchestrated a special visit to the school, where jolly old St. Nick himself graced the pupils with his presence and even left behind a present for each of the classes. A big thank you goes out to Rozina the Elf for her invaluable assistance in supporting Santa during his visit.



#### Santa's Grotto Visits

A tremendous effort was poured into further fundraising endeavors, spearheaded by Cara and a dedicated team of helpers (you know who you are!). From setting up and managing the booking platform to supporting the visits, running the café, and assisting with takedown; each member played a crucial role in our success. Together, these collective efforts resulted in an impressive £846 raised through the café and visits. Your hard work and dedication are truly commendable!



#### **End of Term Disco**

A huge shoutout to Sarah Venn for her outstanding organisation of the endof-term disco, along with all the contributed helpers who to its success. From setting up the venue, bouncer duties, handling selling refreshments and clearing down afterward, each volunteer played a vital role in ensuring a fantastic event. Special recognition also goes to our talented young DJs Alistair, Laurence and George for keeping the dance floor buzzing all night!

Thanks to everyone's hard work and dedication, the event generated a fantastic £164.80!





### Investing in Learning

The PTFA has contributed funds to the school to support class trips, ensuring that every student has the opportunity to embark on enriching educational experiences outside the we've classroom. Furthermore, purchased a selection of books that the children were chosen by themselves, fostering love for a reading and providing valuable resources for their learning journeys.



#### Bake or donate!

We are reaching out to anyone who may have a passion for baking or a willingness to donate cakes for our PTFA café at the upcoming music concert on March 21st. If you enjoy baking or are able to contribute cakes to support our event, we would be incredibly grateful for your assistance. If you're interested in participating, please don't hesitate to get in touch.



## PTFA Volunteer Champions

A sincere thank you to our incredible PTFA pool of volunteers. You are truly making a significant difference in our school community!

If you're interested in joining our team of volunteers, we welcome you with open arms. You can become part of our no-pressure WhatsApp group, where members share their availability and coordinate activities. involved for To get or more information, please reach out to Amabel or Kayleigh.