



FOSM EVENT INFORMATION 2019 ~ 2020

2019/2020 Event Dates:

Thursday 5 th Dec	Disco	Y3/4 5.30-6.45pm Y5/6 7-8.15pm
Wednesday 11 th Dec	MUFTI day	Wear your own clothes in exchange for a hamper item
Friday 13 th Dec	Christmas Draw	Draw after school in the hall
Friday 31 st Jan	Quiz	Evening event for Adults only
Friday 14 th Feb	Crazy Day	Wear something crazy to school
Thursday 5 th March	Disco	Y3/4 5.30-6.45pm Y5/6 7-8.15pm
Friday 20 th March	Mother's Day Sale	In school event – buy and wrap a gift for mum/other
Friday 27 th March	Cake & Plant sale	After school
Wednesday 1 st April	MUFTI day	Wear your own clothes in exchange for an Easter egg
Thursday 2 nd April	Easter Egg tombola	Tombola after school in the hall
Friday 15 th May	Family Bingo	Evening event for all the family
Friday 19 th June	Father's Day Sale	In school event – buy and wrap a gift for dad/other
Thursday 25 th June	Disco	Y3/4 5.30-6.45pm Y5/6 7-8.15pm
Saturday 4 th July	Summer Event	Afternoon event to be decided

Your Committee

Your current Committee are:

Chair – **Jo Gordon**; Vice Chair – **Aimée Helliker**;
Treasurer – **Karen Paczoski**; Vice Treasurer – **Olivia Alexander-Newell** ; Secretary – **Kate Griffiths**; Teacher Representative – **Mr Flemington**

Committee Members:

Caz Pitt, Gemma Abbott, Emily Wilding- Wits , Jane Sales, Lou Bullis, Zoe Morgan, Alice Jukes, Jackie Dixon.

Please let us know if you would like to join the committee and/or would like to be a pair of hands at events or if you have any ideas. Please come and have a chat with any one of us or your classroom rep (see opposite).

How to get in touch:

Email us: ptafofm@gmail.com

Look out for us on Twitter (@FosmStm) and Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/FOSMpta/>)

Classroom Representatives:

ASH – Jackie Dixon (Rebecca & Nicola)

BEECH – Kelly Dumbrell (William)

CHESTNUT – Kate Griffiths (Dan), Claire Talbot (Grace)

FIR – Aimée Helliker (Archie)

ELM – Karen Paczoski (Thomas)

HOLLY – Olivia Alexander-Newell (Jonah)

MAPLE – Alice Jackson (Henry)

LIME – VACANT

OAK – Amy Anderson (Harry)

WILLOW – Zoe Morgan (Caitlin)

SPRUCE – Jo Gordon (Nyah)

PINE – Nathalie Dakin (Lydia)

We still require a rep for Lime. If you think you can help or would like to find out more, please let us know 😊

The events:

Discos

The children's favourite. Last year's discos raised around £1,100. There are two sessions, one for Years 3 & 4 and another for Years 5 & 6. Children come in through the Y5/6 doors and are collected from the hall at the end via the main entrance and exit through the hall doors with a responsible adult. Children are NOT allowed to leave without an adult who has permission to collect them.

Entry is £2 per child. There is a tuck shop where children can buy sweets (50p & restricted to one per child), popcorn (30p), ice pops (20p) and crisps (30p). FoSM have made the decision this year to stop selling glow sticks in a bid to avoid single use plastic. There are also some 20p games, such as guess the number of buttons in the jar. We suggest that a maximum of £1.50 is more than enough for tuck. Water is freely available.

Christmas Draw

Last year's draw raised just under £1,000. Tickets will be available after October half term at 50p each. Please try and sell as many as you can to friend's family and neighbours. You can win £250 in cash, a tablet, a luxury hamper or one of the many other hampers on offer.

Children will be asked to bring in a hamper item in exchange for wearing their home clothes to school. These will then be made into hampers that evening (if you can help with this, please let us know). The draw will take place after school where refreshments will be available to buy. If you can make cakes for us to sell, or are able to help at the event, that would be great.

Quiz Night

This is an adults only event which raised over £100 last year. Teams of up to 8 are invited to compete. If you don't have a team, come along and join one. All welcome, bring your friends and family. Entry for each person is £2 plus at least one raffle prize per team. Bring your own snacks and drinks or put in your order for pizza when you arrive to be delivered in the break.

Crazy Day

Children are invited to wear something crazy to school in exchange for £1; this can be mismatched crazy clothes, nail polish, crazy hair or a combination of them

Mother's Day Sale

This lovely event, where children choose and wrap their own gifts raised approximately £270 last year. The plant and cake sale following this raised another £140.

Children are invited to choose a gift for their mother or a significant other person (we will provide gifts suitable for women and men) for £2 in school. They then wrap the gift and take it home to give on Mother's day. This is a lovely event to help out at if you are able.

Easter Egg Tombola

Children will be invited to wear their home clothes to school in return for an Easter egg. There will be an Easter egg tombola to raise funds for the school. This has been a successful event at Wyndham so St Mark's will be joining in this year. Also, watch out for the giant Easter hamper raffle!

Family Bingo

All are welcome to Bingo night. Cash prizes to be won. Refreshments will be available to buy.

Father's Day Sale

We held our first father's day sale last year. It went under the radar of a lot of parents but still raised around £100. We are hoping it will become as successful as the Mother's day sale. The format is the same as the Mother's day sale and we welcome helpers for this too.

Summer Event

Last year's summer event brought in over £4,300 which was split across the two schools. This year's is still in the planning stage and we are wondering whether to go with an American theme 😊

Frozen Fridays

In collaboration with WPSA, frozen Fridays raised over £300 last year, split across the two schools. We will be doing it all over again in the Summer Term.

These events cannot happen without support from parent's, whether it be organising, helping at events or coming along to support them.

Please consider getting involved with at least one event this year. Look out for requests for help in the newsletters and on facebook

If you can help with any of the events, we would love to hear from you.