



Friends of Roundwood Primary

NEWSLETTER

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 29 th June	Friends AGM on Zoom.
Fri 2 nd July	Non-uniform day. Please bring donations of filled jam-jars and quality uniform items to drop-off.
Sat 17 th July	Roundwood Summer House Party
[Sun 18 th July	Reserve date for House Party in case of terrible weather!]

AGM

The Friends AGM is being held on **Tuesday 29th June from 8pm**, via Zoom. Please contact Friends if you would like the dial-in to attend.

A note of the meeting will be circulated to everyone afterwards.

OUR SPONSORS

In a year when businesses have really struggled, we've been blown away by the level of support from our raffle sponsors including Fairview Homes, Harpenden Building Society, LEGO, Lyndhurst Financial Management, Neves and Zing. A full list of donors will follow and we are very grateful to all of them for their generosity.



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SUMMER UPDATE

We had the most wonderful Summer Celebration all planned for you... We were so excited finally to be able all to get together and let our hair down. However, the remaining COVID restrictions mean we are sadly unable to hold our event this year at School. (Fingers crossed we can run it next year instead!)

But we will not be defeated! Instead, we are bringing the Summer party home!

Roundwood Summer House Party

On **17th July***, from **2-5pm**, stalls, competitions, snacks and teachers will be on driveways along Park Hill, Park Mount, Park Rise, Roundwood Park, Claygate Ave and Moreton End Lane - all to bring a little fun to the end of term and to try and raise as much as we possibly can for our School. A route map will follow. **Expect to find cakes, crafts, ice creams, a Nerf challenge, barrow of booze (adults only!), uniform sale, jam-jar tombola and lots more along the route!**

*18th July is a reserve date in case of poor weather

Biggest Raffle EVER!

We are also very excited to be bringing you the **BIGGEST RAFFLE** we've ever had. Our top prizes this year include:

- An iPad 10.2 (32GB);
- A year's flower subscription to Bloom & Wild;
- A FitBit Versa 3 smart watch;
- A long weekend's hot tub hire;
- A year's subscription to Zing Pilates;
- LEGO prizes worth over £200;
- Over £600 to spend at Hush, Frugi and The Cotswold Company;
- 18 holes of golf for four people;
- Cod & Chips every month for a year from Godfreys!

... and LOADS more.

What we need from you

You'll appreciate that organising a brand new Summer event for the whole school on four weeks' notice is a bit of a challenge! Here's what we need from you in order to make this work:

1. Filled Jam-Jars

Grab a jam-jar, decorate it (if you like) and then fill it with anything you think your children would love to win. Wrapped sweets, stationery, stickers, LEGO minifigures – they all tend to go down really well. Leave it under the Friends noticeboard at drop-off on Friday 2nd July.

2. Quality school uniform

We are asking for donations of good quality uniform items to sell at our stall on 17th. If you wouldn't buy it, please don't leave it as we don't have time to be sending items on to other charities just now. We need the following in particular:

- School branded jumpers and cardigans
- School branded PE kit
- Nice quality trousers, shorts and dresses
- Brand new white T-Shirts (no used T-shirts please – they don't sell)
- Great quality school shoes or plimsolls.

Please leave donations under the Friends noticeboard at drop-off on Friday 2nd July.

**** Friday 2nd July is a non-uniform day as a thank you for your donations****

3. Sell those raffle tickets!

Raffle tickets will be coming home in book bags very soon. They are £1 a ticket and we are asking that you do your very best to sell (or buy!) your full allotment. This is our last chance to really make a difference to our fundraising total this year and we hope you'll agree that the prizes are incredible! The raffle will be drawn on the evening of the Summer House Party.

4. Come to the party!

Come and show your support on the day. Marvel at what our school community can achieve in a small space of time and maybe even head home with a cuddly toy and barrow full of booze if you're lucky.

And if you can't come but would still like to show your support then why not make a donation to our JustGiving page instead: www.justgiving.com/fo-roundwoodprimariesch Make sure you reference it "Summer", otherwise we will undoubtedly pester you towards next year-end when our Treasurers don't know what the payment was for! Remember you can always buy raffle tickets even if you can't come on the day!

*We're really looking forward to seeing you on
17th July!*



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