

Friends of Larkfields Junior School Annual Report

Year Ended 31st July 2017

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Charity's Governing Document: Constitution of the Friends of Larkfields Junior School

(Adopted 1993 – updated on 5th October 2016)

Registered Charity Number: 1043654

Aim of the Charity

To assist in the provision of facilities for education at Larkfields Junior School and to promote the sense of community within the school by engaging in activities which support the school and advance the education of the pupils in it.

Achievements

This year we have raised a total sum of £5378.48 a breakdown of which is provided in the treasurer's report.

The PTA has had another full year and we have been able to maintain the programme of established events that are held each year.

These include:

School Discos, Non-Uniform Days, and Movie Nights which were held regularly throughout the year.

In addition to this other larger scale events were held including:

Autumn Term – Macmillan Coffee Morning and Christmas Fayre

Spring Term – Mothers' Day gifts were made and Quiz Night held

Summer Term - Fathers' day gifts made, Fashion show and Summer Fayre

Refreshments have also been provided at many of the significant school events including Christmas and Leavers Productions.

We are also registered with the fundraising schemes The Giving Machine.

As a registered charity with HMRC we are able to claim Gift Aid on donations.

Looking Forward

Over the coming year we hope to continue the successful events of this year but also trial new ideas to be shared and discussed in our ordinary meetings.

The funds we have raised over the year have been used to purchase items requested by the school for which there is no other or limited budget. Funds this year have been allocated to pay for the outdoor classroom. We have also paid for a selection of board games in Y3, and for accessories for a reading corner in 6J. We have funded equipment and resources for each child to craft their own Mothers/Fathers' day gifts. We have also contributed funds for school trips for each class.

It is proposed the school present us with their 'wish list' for the coming year over the next few weeks.

Thanks

On behalf of the Trustees I would like to thank you all for your commitment, time and effort over the past year. Also, thanks to all the parents and families who have supported our events so generously. Thank you to Mrs Scott and the staff of Larkfields Junior School for the help they have provided to us over the year. To all, we are extremely grateful.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees