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Dear PTFA Member,

The PTFA AGM took place on 30<sup>th</sup> of January after a record breaking year for the Committee. The PTFA raised £13,047 and provided the school £12,425 in funds. This was an amazing achievement and I cannot emphasise enough what a difference these funds make to ALL the children at Etwall Primary School.

At the PTFA AGM the Treasurer and Secretary of five years stepped down from their positions - more than £50,000 have been raised in that period. The Chairman of four years, who oversaw the development of the PTFA and broadened the fundraising activities to the wider community also stood down. Their hard work has been widely acknowledged and has been enormously appreciated by myself, staff, children and Governors over the years.

**No members volunteered to fulfil the three roles of Chairperson, Treasurer or Secretary at the AGM, thus we have been unable to elect a PTFA Committee for 2019.**

Following much discussion, it was decided to complete the next two PTFA events - Movie night (which was last night) and Recycle day at the end of this half term, as well as provide the school community with an opportunity to preserve their very successful PTFA. The Committee cannot work without a Chairperson, Treasurer and Secretary. There are a number of dedicated members, who are keen to deliver the schools busy and fun event schedule, but the PTFA needs volunteers to take on the three positions.

If you think you might be able to help and contribute to the community, please, get in touch with the School Office, Mrs Dixey, [etwallpta@gmail.com](mailto:etwallpta@gmail.com) or the past holders of the roles - Richard Davies, Andrew Kirke and Lina Iankov. The roles could be shared or greatly adapted to suit various people and schedules. A full handover and ongoing support will be provided.

***I would urge you to consider stepping forward to help the school as if these roles are not filled by the end of the month, no further PTFA events will take place this year and the PTFA will have to disband.***

Kind regards,

Sally Dixey

Headteacher



