

**CHRISTMAS ISSUE 2022** 

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

MONDAY 5TH DECEMBER
WREATH MAKING 7.30PM

THURSDAY 8TH DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS DISCO 3.20PM - 4.45PM

FRIDAY 9TH DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE AFTER SCHOOL

FRIDAY 16H DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS SHOP, LETTER & GIFT FROM SANTA & PRESENTS FOR THE NEO CHRISTMAS APPREAL TO BE DROPPED OFF AT SCHOOL

TUESDAY 20TH DECEMBER

ALL EVENTS ON PARENTPAY

## **FUNDRAISING UPDATE**

£433.90
£564.92
£284.77
£891.85
£354.52
£462.76
£3518.43
£734.40
£404.50
£1380.87
£204.00
£379.55
£44.18
IS £835.24
10,493.89

# **GAYTON PRIMARY**

# PTA NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2022

#### **WELCOME TO OUR NEW PTA CO-CHAIRS!**

Thank you to everyone who attended the AGM on Thursday 24th November. It was lovely to see some new faces. Sadly, we have to say goodbye to Nicola Chapman, Jeni Fitch and Sharon Garforth as our current Co-Chairs of the PTA. The PTA team would like to say a huge thank you for their commitment and hard work! Nicola, Jeni & Sharon would like to say a huge thank you for all of your help & support over the past year! It was a slightly more challenging year due to COVID restrictions that were still in place, but we still managed to raise over £10,000 for school, which is a fantastic amount of money! Now that life has returned to some kind of normality, it is fabulous that we can now start planning and running lots of exciting events - we already have lots of fun, festive events happening this month. So, this leads us on to welcoming our new PTA Co-Chairs!

- Co-Chairs Katie Welton & Lisa Dobson
- Vice Chair Lindsay Murphy

Thank you so much to Katie, Lisa and Lindsay for volunteering and taking over as Co-Chairs & Vice Chair. Jenny Young will remain as Secretary and Matthew Fitch will remain as Treasurer. We're sure you will all agree that they will make a fabulous team!



# WHAT HAVE THE PTA FUNDED THIS YEAR?

This year the PTA have donated over £5000 to school to help pay for the welly sheds, sand pit & OPAL items, Panto DVDs and the Year 6 Leavers Books.



#### **CAN YOU HELP?**

We are always looking for new volunteers to help with our fundraising! If you have any fundraising ideas or would like to run an event we would love to hear from you! Please do not hesitate to drop us an email at:

gaytonprimarypta@gmail.com

or get in touch with your
year rep





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# **School Lottery**

Our School Lottery is an exciting weekly lottery that raises money for school. Tickets for the lottery cost just £1 per week, with a top prize of £25,000. There is a draw every Saturday night and you match all 6 numbers you win the JACKPOT! There is a guaranteed winner for Gayton PS every Saturday. Thank you so much to all of you who have kindly donated your winnings back to the PTA. This is greatly appreciated! If you would like to sign up for our School Lottery please visit:

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/gayton-primary-school

#### Thank You!

Thank you to all of our families who attended our Christmas Bingo night. It was a fabulous, fun evening and so lovely to have our School Community back together again! We raised just over a £1000, which is a fantastic amount. A huge thank you to all involved and making it such a success!

#### **DON'T FORGET.....**

It's the Christmas Disco on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December from 3.20pm to 4.45pm. Tickets are £4.00 and are available on ParentPay and include a drink and snack. We also have our Christmas Bake Sale after school on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December. Cake donations on Friday morning will be greatly appreciated! Thanks for your support!

### **Shopping!**

If you are doing any online shopping, including booking any holidays or setting up new home accounts, please do this via the Easy Fundraising app. It's simple and free to use and we will receive a free donation!

We are also registered with Amazon Smile – you can select Gayton Primary PTA as your chosen charity and we will receive 0.5% of your purchase at no extra cost to you.







WE WISH YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY & HEALTHY NEW YEAR!