

### Fundraising totals

So far this year we have raised a fantastic £8,000! With your support we want to finish the year with a flourish! Every penny donated goes to boosting our children's education, so let's have fun and raise some funds!.



### **Matched Funding**

If your employer has a scheme to contribute to charitable causes supported by employees, please do sign up! The more of us to take advantage of this effective and simple way to raise thousands of pounds for the PTA, the better. For more info, please email us. alwynandcourthousepta@yahoo.co.uk





## **ALWYN & COURTHOUSE PTA**

Charity Number: 1014634

### NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2019

### Summer Time, Fun Time.

We had a crazy Spring Term with disco's, raffles and curry/quiz nights. Thank you to everyone who came along and supported!

Now the Summer Term is here and we have a fun packed calendar to see us through to the end of the school year.



We are forging ahead with plans to make the Summer Festival (Saturday 22 June) even better than last year!



### **Volunteers**

We have several events coming up that we would really appreciate some help to run from refreshments at Sports Days to the Summer Festival itself. It's easy to sign up, just pop along to our website and pick your slot. www.alwyncourthousepta.com/volunteer-to-help

And don't forget the names of everyone who has helped over the school year will be entered into a prize draw!

## Money for nothing.

We have several fundraising initiatives in place that we wanted to share with

- Stikins Name Labels: when ordering reference 552 and the PTA will receive commission on your order. stikins.co.uk
- Amazon Smile: If you shop through amazon then just log in to your account via smile.amazon.co.uk and select Courthouse and Alwyn as your charity. From then on whenever you shop Amazon will donate to the PTA.
- Give As You Live: it's a free and easy way to donate just by shopping as usual at over 4,300 online retailers. www.alwyncourthousepta.com/give

### Join the PTA

Please contact us to get involved in the PTA either to join the committee or to just help with events. We're a lovely bunch...honest!

### **Feedback**

Do let us know your ideas or if you have feedback on any of our events!

Follow us on Facebook or contact us via email or the PTA box in school receptions.



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## PTA Funded Items 2018/19

- Choir t-shirts
- Chair pockets for Courthouse
- Roof for climbing tower in Alwyn
- Sports equipment for Courthouse
- Books for Courthouse

We are looking to forward to hearing the other needs from both Alwyn and Courthouse.

### **DATES FOR THE DIARY**

### Non Uniform Day | Friday 21 June

On **Friday 21 June** we will have a non-uniform day in exchange for tombola prizes. Please bring unopened bottles (wine, beer, soft drinks, bubble bath, ketchup etc) for the adult tombola, or toys suitable for children up to the age of eleven for the children's tombola; no chocolate please we're hoping it will be hot. Letter coming soon with more details.

### Summer Festival | Saturday 22 June 12-3pm

Come and join us for a fun filled afternoon of live music, games, food, market stalls, silent auction and raffle. We will have some NEW things to entertain you this year including new look arcade. Our silent auction is changing this year too; it will be launched online before the event…look out for more details soon.



# Courthouse Disco | Friday 5 July 4 - 5.30pm at Courthouse

The last disco of the year! (Courthouse pupils only).

Tickets are £3 and can be purchased in advance via the <u>website</u> or at the door on the day. Visit <u>www.alwyncourthousepta.com</u> to book.

We have listened and are looking to improve the entrance to the hall so that it is not so chaotic whether dropping off or buying tickets on the door.

# BBQ Celebration Evening | Friday 12 July 5-7.30pm on the Courthouse Field

The sizzling finale to the school year! Bring friends, family and a picnic blanket and enjoy the afternoon while the kids play. We will have a BBQ and bar available.



### Other dates for the diary

#### Courthouse:

- Yr6 Kingswood Residential 5 7 June
- Fathers Day Lunch Tuesday 11 & Wednesday 12 June
- Sports Day Races Tuesday 18 June
- Yr4 Woolley Firs Trip Tuesday 25 & Wednesday
  26 June
- Yr5 Whipsnade Zoo Trip Friday 28 June
- Yr6 Book Sale Monday 1 July
- Y6 Senior School Visits (ex Newlands) Tuesday 2 July
- Open Evening Wednesday 3 July
- Performing Arts Concert Thursday 4 July
- Sports Day Team & Picnic Friday 5 July
- Y6 Leavers Production Wednesday 10 July
- Y6 Leavers Production Thursday 11 July

### Alwyn:

- Yr 2 Woolley Firs Trip Friday 7 & Monday 10
  June
- Photographs (class) Thursday 13 June
- Summer Family Picnic Friday 14 June
- Sports Day Yr 1&2 Monday 24 June
- Sports Day Reception Tuesday 25 June
- Yr1 Windsor Castle Trip Tuesday 25 & Wednesday 26 June
- Primary Link Day Tuesday 2 July
- New Courthouse Parents Presentation (Y2 parents) Tuesday 2 July @ Courthouse
- Open Evening (meet new teacher) Wednesday
  3 July
- Yr2 Leavers Concert Wednesday 17 July