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**What Is St Paul’s Together PTA?**

St Pauls Together PTA is a group of volunteer parents who work together with the teachers and staff to make the school environment better for children to learn and enjoy their time at school. We are there to support children and their families by organising events which are not only for raising funds but also to play a role in community building.

**What We Do**

We aim to hold regular events such as Summer and Christmas fayres, Easter holiday activities, pre-loved uniform sales and Freezy Friday ice cream sales. Our events are there to bring pupils and their families together in a social way within the structure of school. We hope that these events will enrich the school experience and give children lasting positive memories of their time at St Paul’s.

**What We Would Like To Achieve**

We are working towards raising funds to improve the outside spaces of the school by bringing colour and unique design to the play areas. Our aim is to create spaces which are unique, bold and encourage active engagement by fuelling the imagination. Our vision is to actively encourage movement and interaction. We hope that these inspiring spaces will be versatile and multi-use serving play, learning and socialising for children, teachers and families.

**How Can You Help?**

There are so many ways you can help make positive changes at St Paul’s. Nothing you can offer us is too big or too small! We are always looking for volunteers to help us organise and run events. Maybe you could…

* Donate preloved uniform
* Help to run a stall at our Summer or Christmas Fayres
* Spare an hour on a Friday afternoon to sell ice lollies at one of our Freezy Friday sales.
* Have a clear out and donate lightly used toys as prizes for one of our tombolas
* Get involved in decorating and setting up or clearing down after an event
* Spend an hour or two working in the garden areas of the playground
* A trade or skill which could be useful (building, gardening, painting, marketing, fundraising)

We know we have a wonderfully diverse range of talented parents with loads to offer! Getting involved in the PTA is a wonderful way to work with others to make positive changes within your school. The children really do get a wonderful sense of community from seeing parents and teachers working together to make good things happen. Mostly we are looking for your enthusiasm and support in working together to make St Pauls a thriving and exciting school to be a part of.

**Other Ways Of Getting Involved**

We understand that it is not always possible to attend the events, so if you are able to donate, large or small, to our Justgiving page, this would be very much appreciated -

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/St-Pauls-CE-Academy-PTA>

If you have any questions about St Paul’s Together PTA or would like to be involved in some way, we would love to hear from you. Please email us at stpaulstogether@gmail.com.

We hope to see you soon!

Hannah, Paul, Tash & Tony

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