



FRIENDS OF FLITCH GREEN ACADEMY

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Latest from Friends of Flitch Green

Dear Parents and friends,

Welcome to all of our new pupils and their families!

Donation Back in April Friends of Flitch Green approached Stansted Airport Passenger Community Fund in the hope that they might sponsor our May Fun Day, we heard nothing back and were disappointed that our application hadn't been successful. However, that was not the case, simply that they had to cancel their meeting for early May but our application was considered and thought worthy at their July meeting! We are pleased to announce that we received a donation of £100 from them. Thank you Stansted!

Bag to school The bag2school dates for this academic year are 30th January and 25th June. We raised £414 for the school through unwanted clothing/linens last year. So once you have clothes that are outgrown place them in a bag and wait for our next collection. You might as well bag those summer clothes, it doesn't look we're going to get a belated summer..... ☹️

Cake stall The ever popular cake stall is back! We made a whopping £923.40 in cake sales last year and will likely exceed that with the extra children we have this academic year. Last Friday we made £28.50—good start! For those who aren't sure how it works yet, each class take it in turns to donate cakes (home made or shop bought), a dozen cakes each should cater for the demands! These are then sold for 20p each to all the children, their siblings and mums and dads, you'll usually see the vicar queuing for his supply too! See right for your class date. Your class rep will remind you when it's your turn.

Class reps have been assigned and you should be hearing from yours to introduce themselves soon. They are there to organise cake stall, recruit helpers for some of our events and be a friendly face to help us all get to know each other better.

Pluto: Claire Brown, Mercury: Lilia Piletto, Venus: Julie Boyce/Naomi Saywood, Saturn: Jenny Collom, Jupiter: Claire Boswell, Neptune: Kerry Valks, Mars: Nikki Bennett

FFG Lottery 100 club was drawn at school and the winner for August was Sarah Boreham no. 4 and for September was Bert Stone no. 25 and they both won £32.40

If you would like to enter it's £1.00 per number per month, Email us at flitchgreen@hotmail.co.uk for more information and an application form.

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Current Account £164 and £5282.69 in the savings account

Please continue to support Friends of Flitch Green raise money throughout the year easysearch.org.uk - search engine that pays us a percentage of the advertisers fees—no purchase required!

Easyfundraising.org.uk for when you do make online purchases, access this site first, find your chosen store and shop as normal.

Also, with the launch of the new uniform you'll need new name labels, check out nametagit.co.uk where FFG earn a percentage of all purchases.

Don't forget to select "Flitch Green Academy" when using any of these websites!

Next FFG Meeting

The Friends of Flitch Green (FFG) are a group of parents, teachers & community members involved in organizing events and fundraising for the school.

Our next meeting is the AGM at 2.30pm on **Wed 28th Sept** and our next regular meeting is 8pm on **12th October** at the school. You are welcome at this and all FFG meetings- we would be glad to see you - please email to let us know so that we can keep you informed of any amendments!

Forthcoming Events

Details will be available soon



Cake Stall

Here are the dates for the next few weeks.....

23Sep—Yr1 Venus
30Sep—Yr 2 Saturn
7Oct—Year 3 Jupiter
14Oct—Year 4/5 Neptune
4Nov — Y5/6 Mars
11Nov—Reception Pluto
18Nov—R/Yr1 Mercury

2010/11 Cake Stall Profits £923.40

Due to allergies amongst our children and families please ensure that homemade cakes containing nuts are CLEARLY marked.

Cakes are sold on first come first served and we rely on donations from parents, for which we are thankful, however we often don't know the amount of cakes that will be provided in advance and occasionally may run out. We are sorry for any disappointment.