

FRIENDS OF FLITCH GREEN ACADEMY

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Latest from Friends of Flitch Green

Dear Parents and friends,

Bag to school Thank you to everyone who donated clothing and linens for our bag to school collection, We are waiting for the total amount raised for this collection but usually it in the region of ± 200 . The next collection is booked for 25th June so make sure you put those unwanted items in a sack ready for then.

Quiz Night The Quiz Night was again a huge success making around £700 towards school funds. Thank you to everyone who supported this event and well done to the Jackson 7 for your success. We'll be back again next year!

Fun Day Our Fun Day is fast approaching and FFG members are working hard to prepare all the events. Your class reps will be contacting you soon to spare half an hour to run a stall, we really can't do it without your help. Help is also required on the Bar and I think a few dads had fun helping out last year. Volunteers required!

FFG will be holding a non uniform day at the end of term in exchange for a bottle for our tombola. <u>Any</u> bottles will be accepted and appreciated as the Tombola is very popular.

There is a box by the gate for collection of old wellies and "larger" ladies clothing needed for our Dress up race - the more florally the better!

The youth club will be running a Nail painting table and would also appreciate any old usable nail varnishes please - all these items can be placed in the box.

Non Uniform Day - Friday 30th March - Dress down/Jeans Day

The school have kindly agreed for the children to wear Jeans for the day on 30th March in exchange for a bottle for our hugely successful Tombola. A trolley will be placed in the playground in the morning for you to place your bottles. Many thanks in advance for your donations.

£££ Financial Update £££

Current Account £1688.78 and in the savings account £2290.77

The winner of our FFG 100 Club draw for February was Maria Glen Doepel who won £34.40.

Please continue to support Friends of Flitch Green raise money when shopping online with Easyfundraising.org.uk. Simply access this site first, find your chosen store and shop as normal. They often have savings, discounts and free shipping not available to everyone. And the school have the opportunity to earn 2%+ without you doing anything more! Stores available include: Argos, John Lewis, Amazon, ToysRus, ELC, Boots to name but a few.

Don't forget to select "Flitch Green Academy" as your benefactor!

See the Academy website under uniform or the FFG website for a link to order uniform name tags. By using the link you will automatically register your purchase for the school and earn commission towards our funds.

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 at 8pm **20th March** 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

9th & 16th March -Mothers Day Gift Sale 20th March - FFG Meeting 20th Apr- School Disco 26th May - Fun Day 25h Jun - Bag2School 20th Jul - Leavers Disco

Cake Stall

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

2Mar - Yr4/5 Neptune 9Mar - Y5/6 Mars 16Mar - Reception Pluto 23Mar - R/Yr1 Mercury 20Apr - Yr 1 Venus 27Apr - Yr2 Saturn 4May- Yr 3 Jupiter

YTD Total £ TBC

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.