

SOUTHBOROUGH COE PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA

Newsletter

SEPTEMBER 2024 EDITION

Hello Parents!



UPCOMING EVENTS

PTA EVENTS

AUTUMN TERM 2024

13 Sep	19 Sep	27 Sep
New Reception Coffee Morning <small>There will be coffee and cake at Christchurch Southborough straight after drop off for all of those in the new Reception classes.</small>	New Reception Mad Hatter's Tea Party <small>Tea and light refreshments on the lawn for all Reception parents and their children.</small>	Second Hand Uniform Sale & AGM <small>The first of our second hand uniform sales will take place at Christchurch Southborough and will tie in with the PTA AGM.</small>
8.30am-9.30am	3.15pm-4.15pm	2pm-3pm
18 Oct	6 Dec	19 Dec
Family Fireworks Night <small>Fireworks, hot chocolate, bar, candyfloss, glow sticks, popcorn, sweets, music and crafts.</small>	Christmas Fayre <small>Games, tombolas, Christmas crafts, bar, festive sweets and treats, stalls, present room, raffle, food and much more!</small>	Quizmas <small>Adult's only quiz night at Southborough Civic Centre including mulled wine, mince pies, food boards, bar and a cash prize for the winning team!</small>
5.30pm-7pm	5pm-7pm	7.30pm-11pm

New Reception Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Come and meet other 2024 Reception parents at our Mad Hatter's tea party. Hot and cold drinks, light refreshments and crafts straight from pick up. Siblings very welcome.

Please note suggested donations for refreshments. Children are the responsibility of parents throughout.



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Welcome back everyone! And a huge welcome to those joining the school community this term. We hope everyone has settled into their new classrooms nicely and are raring to go for the upcoming term.

We have lots planned this year, this term in particular is packed full of events, kicking off with a coffee morning for the 2024 Reception classes on Friday, a Mad Hatter's tea party next week, and following this we have dates confirmed for uniform sales, our family fireworks, the Christmas Fayre and a festive parent Quizmas! **See the dates to the right and pop them in your calendars now!**

As ever the PTA are reliant on volunteers and support, both in the lead up to and during these events, so we have created a brand new WhatsApp group for those that are willing to lend a hand across the year. **If everyone gave one hour of their time at some point across the year we would sail through the events!** To get involved either contact the PTA directly, or see the QR code above to sign up to the 2024-2025 PTA event committee.

For those who don't know, we are focusing our fundraising on the new Discovery Hub. The new Hub will be located next to our Community room and during school hours will be a place for children to create and learn in a flexible space that brings together arts, science, practical skills and imagination. The new hub will also house the Keys Club ensuring that the school can offer after school provision for children from Reception through to Y6. **If all goes well we hope to be able to build and open the hub next year so let's get fundraising!**

Finally, we have spent the Summer designing our very own PTA website (www.southboroughpta.co.uk) so be sure to bookmark it to ensure you are up to date with all event information. **A huge thank you to Matt West** (Dad to Theo S3 and Clara D1) who gave up a lot of time and energy over the Summer to help us get this up and running!

That's it for now, stay tuned for information on the events, and have a brilliant first half of this Autumn term everyone.

The PTA Team
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Thank You 

P.S. If you're interested in hearing more about how Matt could also help you, check out <https://boostkit.io/> and feel free to reach out directly! Thanks again Matt!

FOR BEING A PART OF OUR COMMUNITY!