



### Forthcoming events

#### Junior Disco

Wednesday 16th November

6.30-8.00pm



It's nearly time for the Year 3-6 students to join DJ Ollie and have fun on the dance floor. Tickets can be purchased for £2 on the door. The PTA will also be running a tuck shop selling sweets and crisps. It is suggested that children bring 50p to £1 in loose change to spend in the tuck shop.



#### Bake Sale

The recent bake sale raised an amazing £119.70. Many thanks to all who baked and bought the wonderful treats on offer. The next sale will be held on **Friday 27th January**.

If you want to bake for this please bring your cakes to the school kitchen on 27th January either before school or at afternoon pick up.

#### School Uniform

The next uniform sale will take place after school on 27th January.

If you wish to purchase uniform prior to this, please put a request in the PTA box at Reception or email us at:

bjspta@boothamschool.com.



#### Christmas Puddings

Please don't delay in getting your order to us. Stocks are limited. Extra forms are available at reception.



#### easyfundraising .org.uk

Don't forget there's an easy way to raise funds for the PTA! . Register at [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk), selecting Bootham Junior School PTA as your chosen cause. Then simply access a retailer's website through this site and a donation will be made to the PTA if you make a purchase. It costs you nothing extra! Why don't you check it out? There are thousands of retailers you can access, including Amazon, ebay, John Lewis and M&S, plus some great offers.

## Christmas Fair

**Saturday 3rd December**

**1.30 to 3.30 pm**



Christmas is a-coming... so why not start the festivities rolling with a trip to the Christmas fair! There will be plenty of stalls selling a wide variety of products from food and flowers to toys, gifts and toiletries. There will also be a PTA stall selling homemade crafts and goodies as well as lots of fun games and activities to entertain the children. More details will follow before the fair.

As in previous years, we need your help to make sure the fair's a success. Here are some of the ways you can help us:

**Donations (with the exception of cakes, these can be left in the container in the school entrance)**

We need donations of:

- \* Cakes, both large and small, and biscuits. These can be brought to school the day before or on the day of the fair.
- \* Small prizes (value approx. £1) for the lucky dip eg. balls, stickers, pens, toys etc. Please wrap and label for a boy or girl.
- \* Prizes for the Hoopla and other games.
- \* Packets of Match Attax for a football-themed game.
- \* Cardboard tubes for Mrs Brooks' craft activity. Gift wrap or kitchen roll tubes are suitable but no toilet rolls please.
- \* Jingle jars: Fill an empty jam jar with a gift (eg. sweets, toiletries, stationery, toys) and wrap it up so that we can't see what's inside. Please let us know if you need an empty jar but don't have any yourself as we have lots to spare!
- \* Unwanted Hama beads and boards.
- \* Used but saleable toys plus books for all ages.
- \* Homemade crafts for the PTA stall, such as toys, hair and clothing accessories or decorations.



### Helpers

We will also need lots of volunteers to help on the day. Please contact Louise Leaf and let her know what you can do to help. If you're unable to speak to Louise, please leave a note in the PTA box at reception or email us and Louise will get back to you.



**Next PTA meeting: Tuesday 7th February 7.30-9.00pm**

The Chair and Secretary positions are currently vacant. Please let us know if you are interested in joining the Committee. Come along to the meeting and show your support!