



PUTTING THE FUN INTO FUNDRAISING

Welcome to the Spring Term.

It has been a bit of a slow start with sickness & house moving with the committee but things seem to be on a more even keel and "normal service" has resumed.

VACANCY NOTICES

Having served as Secretary for 1 year and then Chair for the last 5 years, I am giving notice of my intention to step down at the September Annual General Meeting. I have enjoyed being involved with Friends and hope to continue to do so but as a parent going forward. I have seen the amazing benefits Friends can bring to the school and the extra facilities/activities for the children. It has been great fun doing the role albeit I have probably appeared as a nag over the years when asking for volunteers at events and for this I apologise but Friends cannot operate without volunteers. In addition it is important to periodically refresh the Committee to ensure it continually has new energy and ideas.

If you are interested in the role or have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me via school reception.

Lisa Russell

The current Treasurer & Secretary are also intending to step down from their roles in September too.

If anyone is interested in taking on a role or you would like to know more about the roles of Chair, Treasurer or Secretary please let us know, either via the School Office or Telephone/Email. You can always pop in to our next meeting on 12th February at 08.45 too!

Our Valentines Disco sponsored by River Sales & Lettings is on Thursday 12th February 2015. We need volunteers to not only make popcorn and fill up cups with milk to hand out but also to help take the popcorn machine & snack supplies out of the cupboard to the kitchen to set up from 2pm that afternoon.

Tickets for the disco are on sale at £2 a ticket. You will also be able to purchase tickets online via PayPal.

Infant Disco -

<http://www.friendsofhambleprimary.co.uk/?q=node%2F88>

Junior Disco -

<http://www.friendsofhambleprimary.co.uk/?q=node%2F87>

All our volunteering needs can be found here:

<http://www.friendsofhambleprimary.co.uk/?q=Volunteer>

Newsletter Spring Term

SPRING TERM



River Sales & Lettings

Football Team

River Sales & Lettings have agreed to be the sponsors of the School Football Team. A big thank you to them!

The cost of the new team kit is £653. We received £100 each from River Sales & Lettings & from Katie Cave (formerly Firefly Financial Solutions) and Friends have funded the remaining amount.

We are looking forward to the new kit arriving at the beginning of February and will have pictures soon.



Christmas Fair & Raffle 2014

The Christmas Fair & Raffle raised £1550. Thank you to everyone that helped make it a success.



Bikeability

Friends arranged and managed to procure funding for all the children in the school to have Free Bikeability Training with Pedal Power Training.

56 Children have taken part in the training over 3 weekends.

We have been informed that there is ample funding available to us to run these courses again if there is the demand and the volunteers available to administrate the paperwork and be present whilst the courses take place at the weekend.

Labour, Goods & Services Donated

Christmas Raffle Prizes

River Sales & Lettings, Hamble - an increasingly rare boxed die-cast collectable of the Wallace & Gromit van, plus DVD of the movie, plus in conjunction with Beaulieu, a family ticket and guide book to the museum to see the full size version of the Wallace & Gromit van on display, in addition to their vast motoring collection.

The Leather Satchel Company - £200 Leather Satchel

UK Paintball - 10 Paintball Tickets (£130)

Aspirations Private Gym Hire Ltd - £100 - 6 Private Gym Sessions

Brittany Ferries - £100 travel Voucher

The Bertinet Kitchen - Selection of Cook Books

Walker Books - Selection of Children's Books

Portmeirion Group - Set Of 4 Black Peony Mugs & Set of 6 Botanic Birds Plates & Wilton Pattern Large Teacup & Saucer

Vegetable Seeds.net - Herb Collections (£60)

Christmas Trees & Lights - 5ft Outdoor Globe Tree with 200 Multi-Coloured LEDs (£55)

The Thomas Lord - £50 Meal & Drinks Voucher

The Bugle Hamble - £50 Meal for Two Vouchers

McCarthy & Stone - £50 John Lewis Voucher

Bakery Bits - Bread Tin, Scraper, Organic Flour & Yeast

Mango Thai 2 x £20 Meal Voucher

Peakabeau Pampering - £30 MakeOver/Pamper Session Voucher

Cam's Mill - £25 Meal Voucher

Dark Star Brewing Co - Voucher For 8 Pack of Hophead Bottles (£24)

Hair Apartment - Voucher for Re-style, Cut & Blow Dry

Ready Steady Cake - £15 Voucher

Stickers 4 U - 2 x A4 double-sided Christmas character window stickers (£15 each)

Whitchurch Silk Mill - Family Entry Ticket (£14)

Haskins Garden Centre - £10 Gift Voucher

Lyburn Cheese - Small 1Kg Truckle Stoney Cross Cheese

Discover Wine - 75cl Condorito Merlot (£7.50)

Dansach Electrical - 11 Piece VDE Insulated Screwdriver Set

The Real Jam & Chutney Co - Tower of 3 Chutneys (£12)

Cool Ride Plates - 3 x Children's Car Custom Made Reg Plates

Golden Acres - Cream Tea For Two

Jules Destrooper & Euro Brand Foods - Selection of Biscuits

Graze.com - Voucher for 3 Graze Boxes

Larmer Tree Gardens - Free Entry for 4 people

The Cork & Cheese - Cream Tea for Two

Ultimate Activity Camp - One Free Day Voucher for a camp

Kids Today Ltd - 2 Free Entry Passes

Mr Menz - Two Free Hair Cut Vouchers

Love Glass - Glass Angel Decoration

Playzone - Voucher for a Teen, Kid or Toddler Play Session

Pyramid Centre - Voucher for a Family Swim

Solent Cycles - £20 Voucher

Jem Tennis - Racket & Tennis Bag

Liberty's Owl, Raptor & Reptile Centre - 2 Adults & 2 Children Entry Voucher

Staunton Farm, Gardens & Country Park - 1 Adult & 1 Child Free Entry Voucher

Carters Steam Fair - Two Passes for a Family which includes 20 Free Rides

Pebble Beach - Meal Voucher

Cinnamon Bay - Meal Voucher

La Dolce Vita - Voucher

Jungle Mania - Voucher

Boomerang - Voucher

Ming Wah - Voucher

Bonne Bouche - Voucher

The Victory - £25 Meal Voucher

Brook House Veterinary Centre - Vouchers

Whites Dentist - Electric Toothbrush & Goody Bag

Co-Op Coronation Parade - Wine & Chocs

Beaulieu Motor Museum - £20 Voucher

Gilbert White & The Oates Collection - Free Entry

Christmas Fair & Grotto Sponsor

River Sales & Lettings

Grotto & Fair Supporters

Rajapack - 100m Wrapping Paper

Morplan - Tissue Paper, Christmas Carrier Bags, Coloured Paper Bags

Engraving & Signs Solutions Ltd - Banner Production

Products & Services

Doric Crimped

The Cake Decorating Company

Utensa

Chevler

The Craft Company

Quick Milk

Christopher Hoare Tree Services

Jubilee Sailing Trust

Tala Cooking

Culpitt

St Odo Antiques

The Year R Outdoor Area

Peacocks Property Maintenance Fencing, Labour

Aquafax - Pulleys, Ropes & Poles

Outdoor Classroom Direct Donations

Eden Studios - £50

Film Night & Disco Sponsor

River Sales & Lettings

Football Team Sponsorship

River Sales & Lettings

Graphic Design

Opticely - Cheryl David - 07738097887 -

E: info@opticely.com

Caramel Design

Web Services

CodeZero

White Web Designs

Donations To The School & Fundraising 2014-15



Bag 2 School

The collection of old clothes raised £121.80 in the Autumn Term



General Sales

Sales of items donated to raise funds have raised £360 so far this year.



School Calendar

Sales of the school Calendar raised £502.



Junior Great South Run

Aurelia Olden, Age 5, completed the Junior Great South Run and raised £75 in sponsor monies! Well Done Aurelia!



River Sales & Lettings

Autumn Film Night

Autumn Film Night was a huge success and thanks to you & River Sales & Lettings Sponsorship we raised £399.



Autumn Pumpkin Festival

It was a wet, windy & wild day! We raised £140 on our free stall from JST.



2014 Christmas Fair & Raffle

The Christmas Fair & Raffle raised £1550



Baked Goods Sales

The baked good sales have been moved to the Food Tech Room, we are no longer able to provide the Friends Cafe but we will endeavour to continue with the bargain sales of donated items from companies.

The Year Groups Results for 2014/15, so far are:

Year 5/6 £100.25

Year 3/4 £100.35



Woodmill Activity Centre

Friends donated £200 to the school to subsidise the Year 4 residential trip to Woodmill Activity Centre.



Pantomime

Friends donated £450 to the school to pay for a Theatre Company to perform a Pantomime for all the children.

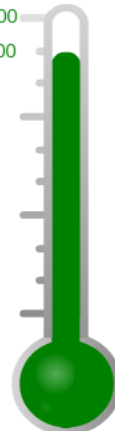
Outdoor Classroom
Project Fundraising

£10,000

£9,000



**Help Us Reach
Our Goal**



Outdoor Classroom

At the end of 2013/14 School Year £7517 of the £10,000 goal was put to one side for the outdoor classroom.

At the end of the Autumn Term we were able to add another £1482 to this total meaning that we now have £9,000 set aside.

This leaves just £1000 left before we meet our goal. We are hoping that we can achieve this by the end of the Spring Term.

This is a much needed addition to the school not only to assist with outdoor educational projects but also to provide shade in the summer months during break times.



School Football Team

Friends found a sponsor in River Sales & Lettings & Katie Cave who paid £200 we then added an additional £450 to this in order to buy home & away kit for the School Football Team, Shirts, Socks & Shorts.

Looking Forward.....



We attend the Community Coffee Morning & Village Market on the 2nd Friday of every month from 9.30-10.45. It is a great place to meet for a cuppa & they have some lovely produce. The Village Market is on every week.

The Village Market kindly allows us use of their Community Stall and in return we donate 10% of profits made in payment.



Friends Meetings happen once a month on the 2nd Thursday of the month just after drop off. Our next meeting is on Thursday 12th February 2015.

Please do not be put off as we really are a friendly bunch and just because you come along to claim your free cuppa (& cake) does not mean we will expect you to take on any task. We really need people to sound out ideas to and also for input/feedback on what we do.



The remaining Bake Good Sales will take place on Friday 27th March 2015 For Year 1/2 and on Friday 22nd May 2015 for Year R.

Please do support them in their fundraising efforts and if you can spare some time to volunteer at the Sale that would be even better as it does take a lot of people to help the children raise these funds for their year.

CASHBACK

Cashback Schemes

You can find details of all these schemes on our website.

Easyfundraising

By registering with easy fundraising and downloading their toolbar (which sits in the background until you click on a site that gives cashback) you can earn 50p for Friends the link to register is below. You also earn cash for us every time you shop online with most stores.

<http://wfyw.easyfundraising.org.uk/?id=120859>

Bag 2 School

The next Bag 2 School collection is on 24th April 2015 please consider saving your unwanted clothes, bags, shoes, etc to donate on this day. Our last collection raised over £100.

Sutton Little Sprouts

If you purchase your plants, seeds and gardening equipment via

http://www.littlegreensprouts.co.uk/friends_of_hamble_primary_school

We earn "sprouts" for your purchases; we then have the choice to either use those "sprouts" to purchase classroom kits for gardening or to convert the sprouts into cash.

Stamptastic

Stamptastic produce a range of stamps, not only for naming children's clothes, lunch boxes, stationery etc but also for businesses. If you use the code "HAMBLE" when ordering then we receive a percentage for every sale in cash! <http://www.stamptastic.co.uk/>

Cash4Coins

We collect all old British, Irish, Channel Islands and Scottish from Farthings to Crowns

Current and obsolete banknotes such as Spain, German, Austrian, Turkish etc.

Current and obsolete coins from almost every country in the world. Even coins that can no longer be exchanged are still bought by weight, nothing is wasted

You will find a collection bucket in the School Office you can donate all year round.

Empties Please! - Printer & Toner Recycling

We are working with a company called 'Empties Please'. They collect and recycle used ink and toner cartridges the environmentally friendly way and will donate the money raised back to us!

We raise £1 for an original manufacturer cartridge and 50p for a remanufactured cartridge* 75p per Original Manufacturer laser toner cartridge*.

* Unfortunately we are **unable** to recycle Epson, Brother, Kodak ink cartridges, or any individual colour Canon ink tanks.

Companies can have an Empties Please! Box that is collected for free when full and raise funds that go to the children at the school.

If you think your company would be interested in taking part in the scheme please contact us more information via email at foshambleprimary@gmail.com.

Kings Tea

You can purchase Kings Tea via Amazon and use the following codes; we will then receive a £1 donation for each pack sold. The codes also give you free delivery if you are not an Amazon Prime customer.

[Kings Label 400 Tea Bags \(5 x 80's\)](#)

hamble00-----The code for free delivery
hamble01----- The code for £1.00 off

[Kings Premium 400 Tea Bags 5 x 80's](#)

hamble02-----The code for free delivery
hamble03----- The code for £1.00 off

More Ways To Support...



Standing Order

We have been approached by a number of parents who wish to regularly donate a small sum every month by Standing Order. This is very welcome, the details for payment of standing order are

Account Name: Friends Of Hamble Primary School

Account No: 20436542

Sort Code: 20-79-25

Bank: Barclays



Sponsorship

If you are undertaking a challenge such as a Marathon, Abseil, Race etc then please consider raising funds for us, just like Aurelia (Age 5) did when she completed the Junior Great South Run.

We have a BTmydonate page online and we can also provide you with sponsor sheets to collect monies offline too.

<https://mydonate.bt.com/charities/friendsofhambleprimaryschool>



PayPal

You can make a donation anytime via Paypal by sending it to foshambleprimary@gmail.com



Text Giving

You can give via TextGiving too

Simply Text the code HFOS01 and then the amount you wish to donate (i.e. HFOS01 £2) to 70070

Items Needed

We are still soliciting pledges from companies to provide items for the Year R Outdoor Area here is a list of the items we are currently looking for:

- Trellis
- Wood Chips
- Hose Pipe
- Raised Wooden Beds/Planters – We are happy to up cycle from decking timber or any other crates
- Sandpit Cover – This would need to be custom made to the finished design (Perhaps a Sail Manufacturer or Boat Cover Manufacturer would be able to assist)
- Balance Bikes
- Scooters
- Bicycle Helmets for Age 4-5 years
- Secure Storage for bikes & Scooter
- Buckets & Spades & Sandpit Toys – different sizes
- Large Metal Buckets – (We have had a pulley and hook system donated we need something for them to pull up and down)
- Gardening Equipment – Children's sized spades, rakes, forks, watering cans, etc
- Composting Bins
- 3 Large Metal Sheds & 1 Small Corner Shed
- Outdoor Weatherproof Welly Storage for 45-50 pairs of Wellingtons
- 50 – Outdoor – All Weather Waterproof Suits for Children Aged 4-5
- Tarpaulin
- Varying Sized Stones
- Carpet Squares for Inside Shed
- Role Play Shed
- Paving Slabs
- Drain pipes for water play area
- Tyres
- Compost
- Seeds
- Garden Canes (with toppers)
- Outdoor Musical Instruments
- Greenhouses and Polytunnels – The ones with a plastic covers/windows
- Wood Stain
- Plant Pots – All sizes
- Propagators for seedlings
- Fruit Trees
- Fruit Bushes (No Thorns)
- Insect Housing
- Plants that attract Butterflies
- Water Play Items – Such as small boat bailers, etc

If you can help or know a company that can with any of these items please let us know. Thank you.



CONTACT US

Via a meeting...

All meetings are at 08.45 on the second Thursday of the Month at Hamble Primary School
Please don't be put off if you have younger children with you - bring them along too!

Via E-Mail...

foshambleprimary@gmail.com

Via telephone...

Hamble Primary Admin Office on **023 8045 3298**

or

Katie Gillespie **02380 453678**

Via the school...

If you wish, you may leave a message for us at the school reception. Please ensure that your envelope or note is clearly marked '**Friends of Hamble Primary**'.

Online

Website: <http://www.friendsofhambleprimary.co.uk/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FriendsOfHamblePrimarySchool>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/FOHamblePrimary>