



Friends of Allerton

Autumn Newsletter 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope your children are settling in well after the summer break, and wish a warm welcome to everyone who is new to Allerton CE this term.

Friends of Allerton is the "PTA" group for Allerton CE Primary. We have regular meetings, about once every half term, and we run events like Hungry Hometime, where we sell tasty treats after school, family bingo night, and a disco for the children in school time. We raise money to provide the children with "extras" that otherwise they might not have.

We would like to invite you all to our next Friends meeting, which will be on Wednesday 3rd October at 5.30pm in school.

This meeting will be our AGM and is your chance to hear how the money you have helped to raise have been used for the benefit of the children at our school. The AGM is also an opportunity for you to elect the Friends of Allerton CE Primary Committee, to represent the association throughout the forthcoming school year. The named committee roles we have are Chair, Secretary and Treasurer.

Nominations for election should be sent in advance of the AGM. If you'd like to put forward a nomination or would like more information about what is involved please email us at Friends.allerton@gmail.com or speak to Jo Oxley, Kathryn Davis or Michaela Chambers.

Many of our current committee members have children who are coming to the end of their time at school or have been in their role for some time, so will be stepping down at the AGM and will need replacing if Friends of Allerton is to continue. It's very sad to say but if we don't get any new members, we simply won't have enough people to make things happen.



If you are interested in becoming more involved with Friends in any way please get in touch – by email to friends.allerton@gmail.com, via the front desk, or even through your child's class teacher. **Any help at all is welcome** – it doesn't have to be a huge time commitment and you don't have to help at every event.

Thank you for your continued support,

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Jo Oxley & Kathryn Davis (Co-chairs), Michaela Chambers (Treasurer), Shamin Ahmed (Secretary), Pascale Fotherby, Susan Sykes, Kathryn Ingold, Sarah Clark, Yvonne Dyal, Liz Willis, Claire Senior, Megan Bingley, Jennifer Edwards.