





YEAR 6 LEAVERS EASTER EVENTS!



The Easter Holidays are starting tomorrow and what better way to start them off than joining in the Easter Hunt on the field at 3.15pm today! Tickets are £2.50 and are available to purchase on the day. The Hunt is accompanied by a Raffle (£1 a strip) and Cake Sale and all proceeds go towards the Year 6 Leavers Fund! The Year 6 Leavers Committee would like to say a big thank you to TJC Services for sponsoring the event.





There are also tickets still available for the Easter Crafternoon on Sunday 14th April at Cambourne Sports & Social Club from 1pm-3.30pm! Tickets are £2.50 each and can be purchased on the door. Come along for an afternoon of Easter crafting fun, food and a raffle!







PRINCESSES & SUPERHEROES AFTERNOON TEA

We still have some availability left for our Princesses & Superheroes
Afternoon Tea Event on Wednesday
17th April from 11am till 2pm at THE
HUB! Tickets are £4.50 per child and
include games, crafts and a
selection of sandwiches, drinks, fruit
and treats! There will also be a
special Easter appearance for the
kids...! If you would like a ticket then
please email
friendsofmonkfieldpark@gmail.com .
All proceeds go to the Library
Refurbishment Fund. We look
forward to seeing you there!



NEEDED — **SCALEXTRIC SETS!**



We would like to run a Scalextric Games session after school in the Summer Term, if anyone has a Scalextric set that they would be happy to lend us for this then please email friendsofmonkfieldpark@gmail.com.

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FRIENDS are running a Table Top Sale on Sunday 28th April from 2pm-5pm at THE HUB. We hope that you can come along and see if there is anything you like!

Tables are available for hire for £10 if you would like to sell your own second hand goods—please email friendsofmonkfieldpark@gmail.com for details. We would also welcome ANY donations towards the sale — good quality clothes, second hand books, soft toys, unwanted gifts etc. If you are having a clear out over Easter and would like us to collect any unwanted items then please let us know!

TABLE TOP SALE





BAG2SCHOOL COLLECTION

The next BAG2SCHOOL Collection is on Thursday 9th May and the bags will be sent home after the holidays. If you have any items that are suitable for donation then keep them to one side for after the holidays please!

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EASYFUNDRAISING

Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to help support Friends of Monkfield Park through **easyfundraising** this year. When you join

easyfundraising you collect free donations every time you buy something online. With 3551 retailers to choose from, it won't cost you or the school a penny extra and we have raised £678.33 for the school to date. Please sign up today using the following link and help us raise even more!

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/monkfieldparkprimaryschoolcambourne/

In the run up to Easter there are lots of chances for increased

EMPTIES PLEASE!

We are collecting empty branded printer cartridges for recycling. The branded Printer Ink Cartridges give the best return so if you have any of these then please drop them off at the school office. If you would like to check if the toners/cartridges you have are suitable then please message us!











COSTUME DONATIONS!



Do you have any costumes that you no longer need after World Book Day, WOW Days, Plays at the school or your child has simply outgrown them?

If you have any Costumes that you are happy to donate to FRIENDS then please hand them into the School Office and we would like to run a Costume Swap Shop when we have enough! Thank you in advance for any donations!



FOREIGN CURRENCY DONATIONS



We are also collecting foreign currency so if you have any odd coins or notes hanging around you can drop them off at the school office. Thank you in advance!



MATCH FUNDING

You will hopefully be aware of the hard work that FRIENDS is doing to raise money for Monkfield Park. We would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the Match Funding Scheme and how a little bit of your time could help raise double the funds for FRIENDS! If you work for an organisation that has a match funding policy then some money raised through Friends could be matched by your employer. High Street Banks, Building Societies, Supermarkets (Including Morrisons!) and Large Corporations are more likely to do match funding but these schemes are not exclusive to the major corporate giants. If you work for an independent company they may be interested in charitable giving through match funding too! We would be grateful if you could see if your employer has a match funding scheme or would be willing to match fund part of any of our events and if so would you be able to help out at one (or more) of the FRIENDS events?









THANK YOU & HAPPY EASTER!!



We have had a really busy term with lots of events on and we would like to say a really heartfelt thank you for all your support!

We managed to raise £631.83 from the Disco, £122.70 from the Second Hand Book Sale, £85.30 from the Second Hand Uniform Sale and £168.89 from the Mothers Day Sale! This is just over a £1000 of which £400 has been used towards the

purchase of Guided Reading Books for the school and the rest will go towards the School Library Refurbishment. We also raised an amazing £940 for Comic Relief which will help a lot of people. FRIENDS would also like to thank Oasis Nursery for providing us with some lovely flowers for the Mothers Day Sale at a great price!

We hope you have a lovely Easter Holidays and we will see you next term!



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friends UPCOMING EVENTS

FRIDAY 05.04 YEAR 6 LEAVERS COMMITTEE -**EASTER TREASURE HUNT**

WEDNESDAY 17.04 PRINCESSES & SUPERHEROES AFTERNOON TEA - HUB

THURSDAY 09.05 BAG2SCHOOL COLLECTION

FRIDAY 24.05 **BREAK THE RULES DAY!**

FRIDAY 07.06 SCALEXTRIC AFTER SCHOOL **EVENT**

SUNDAY 14.04 EASTER CRAFTERNOON - SPORTS PAVILLION

SUNDAY 28.04 TABLE TOP SALE - HUB

SATURDAY 11.05 YEAR 6 LEAVERS COMMITTEE -QUIZ NIGHT- SPORTS PAVILLION

FRIDAY 24.05 YEAR 6 LEAVERS COMMITTEE -ICE LOLLY SALE

WEDNESDAY- 12.06-14.06 **FATHERS DAY SALE**

SAVE THE DATE!! AUTUMN FETE - FRIDAY 20.09 FROM 3.30PM



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DO YOU KNOW WHO FRIENDS (FOMP) ARE?

We are a friendly group of volunteers, who raise money for Monkfield Park Primary School and the C&LC! FOMP is about much more than simply fundraising and organising events though, we aim to provide closer links between home and school and it is an excellent way to bring staff, parents and friends together socially in support of the school, working towards a common goal.

DO YOU KNOW WHAT SOME OF THE RECENT FUNDRAISING BY FOMP HAS HELPED MAKE POSSIBLE?

- Trim Trail Play Equipment, Shaded Benches & Rainbow Benches £9,500
- School Trip Coach Contributions Approx £1,000 Annually
- Guided Reading Books Sets £400
- Buddy Benches £100



THIS YEARS FUNDRAISING TARGETS:

- SCHOOL LIBRARY REFURBISHMENT- £10,000
- C&LC OUTDOOR SURFACES RENEWAL £30,000+





We would love to get more people involved - if you have any fundraising ideas or are keen to help with Friends events, then please get in touch!

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