



Winter 2020

Shirley Junior School PTFA



New ChromeBooks

Over the past 3 years, we have raised around £17k through our events and spent around £15k for the school.

This has included £1500 on books for the library, £900 on camera for each class and £3500 on Smart Sacks for each child.

The PTFA has committed to providing each incoming year 3 with new Smart Sacks, which is around £1000.

Other monies have gone on various things including supporting Rock Choir, providing an end of year celebration (generally a bouncy castle) and the new website.

This year we have already provided the school with 12 Chrome books

Playground

This is our main project for the year, we have committed to around £10k for a new playground to be installed. More details to follow.



Friday 7th Feb

Parent forum

Wednesday 12th Feb

'Locked in a

Box': 8pm

Thursday 27th Feb

Cake sale

Thursday 5th March

World book day, book swap

Friday 13th March

Silent Disco

Friday 20th March

Bags2school

Saturday 28th March

Colour run

Saturday 20th June

Summer Fair



Pond Area



Volunteers since September have been working to make the pond area an usable space for the children. This month a fence is being placed around the pond itself and the outer fence will be coming down.

New trees have been planted and more are to come making the area inviting for the children.

If you are able to help, please get in contact with Jen Bleeck. They are there most Wednesday's mornings depending on the weather. Thanks to both Jen and Michelle who have been leading this.

The new area hopes to be open after the Easter holiday

How Can You Help?

There are many ways you can help, we cannot run the events without your help on the day and baking cakes for us to sell.

If you are shopping on Amazon please use: <https://smile.amazon.co.uk/> and choose Shirley Junior School Pta to support.

Also if shopping online please use Easyfundraising, sign up here:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/sjsptfa/>

Both are free to use, and the money raised does add up

Quiz

Thanks to all those who came to the quizzes, we made over £800!

Penny Wars

After half term we will be asking each class to bring in small change to fill a bottle up. Each class will be able to spend the money they raise on items for their classrooms, so get saving those pennies!

School Lottery

We have also just set up a school lottery, which raised money for the school. As well as a guaranteed prize for someone at the school.

This prize money goes up the more tickets we sell. You are automatically entered into the national draw where you could win £25000!

The tickets cost £1 each:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/shirley-junior-school>

