

Friends of St. Mary's Mail

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2021/22 Fundraising

We continue to work towards our fundraising target of £10,000 to purchase a high rise climbing frame for all the children to enjoy. 85% of all income from the , Friends fundraising events this

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year will go towards this target, with the other 15% going towards smaller projects around the school. To date we

have raised:

£9,000 £3,000 Christmas Fair £8,000 £835.16 School Disco £7,000 £77 Art Competition Making a total of £3912.16 raised so far this year and have £3,325.34 towards the £3,000 climbing frame. £2,000 Thank you to everyone \$1,000 who has supported

theses events, we couldn't do it without you. We still have some more events planned for the rest of the year year for any members of the St

and would love for any members of the St Mary's community to come and join us to help organise, have some fun and meet other parents whilst raising important funds for the school. The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 27th April 7.30pm** at the Lawn's pub.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wed 27th April 7.30pm	Friends Meeting— The Lawns Pub
Thurs 26th May	Cake Sale (Rec/Y1/Y2 to provide cakes)
Wed 8th June	Cake Sale (KS2 to provide cakes)
Fri 10th June	Mufti Day for a donation of a raffle/tombola prize
Sat 25th June	Summer Fair
Sat 9th July	Tuckfield Tournament

Easter Art Competition

Thank you to all the children who took time to enter our Easter Art Competition, the art work on display was fantastic and you made Mrs Scriven & Mrs Lane's job of judging the competition a very hard one. Congratulations to all the winners:, Ivy, Bobby, Jessica, Zac, Willow, Harry & Sofia. Also a massive thank you to Morrison's for donating the prizes. You raised £77. THANK YOU!











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Secretary Wanted

The Friend's are currently looking for someone to take on the role of Secretary. If you could spare some time and would like to become more involved please come along to next meeting on the 27th April. If you are unable to make this meeting but are still interested in the role please let Liz Baker in the school office know and your nomination can be taken to the meeting.

Cake Sales

We will be holding two cake sales in the summer terms.

To celebrate the Queen's platinum Jubilee alongside the school the first one will be on Thursday 26th May. We will be asking Reception/Y1/Y2 children to donate cupcakes to sell to the whole school. If someone in these year groups would like to make a large cake to raffle we would be very grateful, please let the school office know if this is something you could help with.

The second sale will be on Wed 8th June to tie in with KS1 & KS2 sports days. This time we will be asking for donations from KS2 children to sell to the whole school and for someone to make a large cake to raffle.