



Tuesday 1st October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's not too late to say **welcome back** to a new school year, and especially a HUGE welcome to the new parents of Holly class (Y-R). We hope your children are now feeling settled and part of the Longvernal Family!

In the last academic year, the **PTFA raised over £2000** which was a brilliant achievement. This money has been spent on gardening equipment, dictionaries, Christmas supplies, scooters, and more. The children also enjoyed a very special PTFA-funded theatre performance by Tor Theatre Company, and took part in a fantastic Olympics week which we were proud to support. We also have some longer-term projects on the horizon (stay tuned!).

At Longvernal we are very lucky to have incredible teachers, a beautifully spacious setting and family-like feel at our school. As well as fundraising for our children, the PTFA aims to grow and enhance the **community of parents at Longvernal**, and we'd really love you to become part of it... If you've read this far thank you, and please keep reading!

As with all school PTFAs we rely on **YOU**; the wonderful parents and carers of Longvernal, to help make this **fundraising for our children possible**. That might mean helping for 20 mins on a stall at the Christmas Fair, mucking in with some gardening projects, coming along to an evening social, or literally just being part of the WhatsApp Group to share your ideas or support others.

We know that all parents and carers are busier than ever, but we promise we don't necessarily require hours and hours of your time.

Throughout this academic year we want to plan some **really fantastic events and initiatives** for both parents and children - any suggestions are welcome! For now, please stay tuned to our **Longvernal PTFA Facebook Page** for upcoming plans and requests for support.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Tuck Shop: Friday 4th October, 3-4pm, L Shed (new covered area in playground)

We look forward to meeting you!

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Luisa Kozlowski (Lu) – (Chair, YR6, YR2 & Nursery Parent), **Hanna Bevan** – (Vice-Chair, YR 3 Parent), **Anna Ryall** – (Treasurer, YR 2 Parent) & **Katie Hopkins** – (Secretary, YR 2 & YR-R Parent)