

January 2023 Newsletter

Happy New Year from West Vale PFA. We hope you all had a restful Christmas and we wish all our West Vale families a happy and prosperous 2023.

Our Christmas Fayre was a big success. Many of the stalls sold out! We will have to make our 2023 Christmas Fayre even bigger and better. Thank you all for your support – through our joint efforts we raised more than ever before. Current funds will be used to pay for an educational wall display in school, to subsidise the cost of school trips for parents and to invest in sports facilities in the playground.



You may have received unwanted or duplicate gifts over the festive period. Please don't let these gather dust in your cupboard when they can be used to fundraise for our children. We would be very grateful if you would bring all unwanted gifts into the school office.

The success of West Vale PFA is down to your kind support. Here's how you can help:

- Dig out any unwanted gifts to donate.
- Lucky jars: start saving up your empty jars and filling them with little toys, sweets, surprises.
- Any unwanted soft toys.
- Any wrapping paper or gift bags.

All donations are gratefully received. Please drop these into the school office.

To brighten your cold January, here are some upcoming events to look forward to.

Friday 3 February	Valentine's Day Disco
Friday 3 March	Mother's Day Shop
Wednesday 29 March	Deadline for Easter Hat competition entries and raffle tickets
Friday 31 March	Easter Hat and raffle winners announced
Thursday 25 May	Wear pyjamas to school day
Thursday 25 May	Cinema night
Friday 9 June	Father's Day Shop

Please let us know any suggestions for other fundraising ideas that you think your children would enjoy.

We are always looking for volunteers to come along to meetings, to plan events or to help at events. If you can spare a bit of time to help, contact the school office or speak to a member of the PFA.

Thank you

