WALKERN PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA NEWSLETTER: MAY 2019



Summer Term is always really busy and we have lots of fundraising events coming up, which are detailed below. The reply slips are grouped together on the final page and I would appreciate if you could complete and return the whole page **BY FRIDAY 24 MAY**

You can now pay for PTA events by bank transfer, straight into our PTA account:

Bank: Barclays

Account name: Walkern Primary School PTA

Account number: 30923125 Sort Code: 20-41-12

Please use your child's full name as the payment reference.

You can still pay by cash or cheque and we now have a postbox for this in school reception - please use this rather than giving to teachers or the school office. Cheques can be made payable to <u>Walkern Primary School PTA</u>. Please use the tick box on the reply slips page to indicate that you have paid online.

Thank you,

Tina Stubbs, Chair of Walkern Primary School's PTA

Walkern Fair

We urgently need helpers for our annual BBQ at Walkern Fair this **Sunday 5 May**. This is our biggest fundraising event of the year and we only need 30 minutes of your time!

Please sign up this week using the form in school reception. Thanks for any help you can offer and don't forget to support the fair this year!

Cake Sale

On **Monday 13 May**, we will be holding a cake decorating competition and cake sale at school.

We have attached a separate letter detailing this. Your entry fee for the decorating competition can be brought in on the day or paid into the PTA bank account.

Don't forget to bring money up to school pick-up that day to buy cakes!

School Uniform Sale

On **Friday 7 June**, we will be selling school uniform at very reasonable prices in the playground before and after school (8:30 am & 3:15 pm).

If you have any unwanted school uniform items in good condition, please give them to Tina or any member of the PTA.

Fathers Day Shop

On **Friday 14 June**, we will be running our Fathers Day Shop again, where your child(ren) can purchase wrapped gifts for their dads or other male family members.

We will have a selection of suitable gifts and every child will be able to decorate & write a gift tag. Each gift will cost £2.

Please return the back page indicating how many presents they would like to purchase.

Family Camping

On **Saturday 6 July**, we will be holding our annual family camping event at school. We have attached a separate letter detailing this.

Please complete the section on the last page of this newsletter if you would like to attend.

Summer Raffle

We are now starting to plan our summer fundraising raffle. If you run your own business or are able to donate a prize, please do get in contact with Tina or a member of the PTA!

Thanks for any support you can offer.

Shop & Raise Money for Walkern School!

If you can use any of the following websites whilst doing your day to day shopping Walkern School can profit from this:

EASYFUNDRAISING https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/walkernprimary/

We are also registered with STIKINS multipurpose name labels please use code **35883** when ordering and we will earn 15% commission on it.

STIKINS www.stikins.co.uk

If you are thinking of buying a Micro Scooter or accessories please use code **11154** to earn us commission.

MICRO SCOOTERS www.micro-scooters.co.uk

Diary Dates

Sun 5 May Walkern Fair, 2:00 - 5:00 pm (please support our village event!)
Mon 13 May Cake Decorating Competition & Sale (separate letter attached)

Fri 24 May Deadline for PTA event reply slips

Fri 7 Jun School Uniform Sale, 8:30 am & 3:15 pm (unwanted items to PTA please)
Fri 14 May Fathers Day Shop (return slip below indicating quantity of gifts required)

Sat 6 Jul Family Camping (separate letter attached & return slip below)

Class Reps Reminder

Reception Rep Laura Williams / Natalie Frost / Sarah Fookes

Year 1 Rep Marianne Lodge
Year 2 Rep Michelle Flint-Baker
Year 3 Rep Clare Ward / Natalie Frost

Year 4 Rep Sarah Barnett Year 6 Rep Jo Roper

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY FRIDAY 24 MAY

NAMES OF YOUR CHILDREN IN THE SCHOOL:			
Name of child 1:		Year:	
Name of child 2:		Year:	
Name of child 3:		Year:	
FATHERS DAY SHOP (FRI 14 JUN)			
No of presents r	equired: Child 1:	Child 2: C	Child 3:
I enclose £ (£2 per present)			
FAMILY CAMPING (SAT 6 JUL)			
	We will be attending the BBQ. We require tickets for entrance only @ £1 per person		
	We will be attending the BBQ and Camping. We require tickets @ £5 per person		
	We will be attending the BBQ and Camping . We require family ticket @ £20 $$		
	I also enclose $\pounds 5$ pitch deposit (refunded on departure and if your pitch is clean and tidy)		
Contact No (in case of cancellation due to bad weather):			
NB: The BBQ and camping is for children and families who attend Walkern school only! Thanks for your understanding!			
Tick this box if you have paid for these PTA events online:			
Otherwise, please return this slip with cash or cheque.			

We need forms back from everyone, even if you have paid online. Thanks.

CAKE SALE & DECORATING COMPETITION



On Your Marks, Get Set, BAKE!

The PTA will be hosting a Cake Decorating Competition and Cake Sale.

Cake donations will also be grately appreciated for this event. They can be baked or bought. All money raised will go towards the PTA to assist the school with much needed fundings.

Please bring all cake donations and competition entries in on the morning of Monday 13 May, along with your £1.00 entry fee for the competition.

Date: Monday 13 May 2019

Time: 3:00pm onwards on the Astro Turf

Competition Cost: £1.00 to enter

Competition Rules:

Children can enter 4 of their best decorated cupcakes or Cake into the Cake Competition. The cakes can be decorated in a "Spring Theme" It cost only £1.00 to enter, with a winner chosen from each year group. Each participant will receive a certificate for entering and the winner from each year will receive a special prize.

All entries will automatically go into the cake sale after the competition, however if you wish for your child's entry to not be sold as part of the cake sale, please state this clearly on the plate with a NOT FOR SALE note. It will be kept aside and can be collected after the judgment has taken place.

<u>Note</u>: Please mark all competition entries clearly with your childs name written on the bottom of the plate with the only their year visible on the front. Remember to include a label of NO SALE if you do not wish for the entry to be included in the sale.

Afterschool Club Children: Children in Afterschool club can provide money in a clearly marked envelope for the Cake Sale.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing your wonderful creations!

Walkern PTA

Walkern School Summer BBQ and Camping!

COME AND SUPPORT THE PTA AT THE SCHOOLS
SUMMER BBQ AND CAMPNIGHT ON SATURDAY 6TH JULY 2019
(WEATHER PERMITTING!)

The PTA's legendary BBQ will be rolled out serving hot-dogs & burgers, all at reasonable prices and all profits going back to the school!

Bring the family, a sense of fun and your burger / hot dog money!

The BBQ starts at 4pm in the school field and there will be children's and adult games, so bring a picnic blanket and join in the fun! Alcohol is allowed but strictly no glass bottles or containers as we need to keep the school field safe! Please buy your food from the BBQ to help raise money for school equipment & trips!

For those not wishing to camp, the school gates will be locked at 8pm then the campers can put on some music and enjoy the evening camped out at school!

The school toilets will be available for use and the BBQ will be on for breakfast too!

PRICES:

BBQ ENTRANCE ONLY - £1 PER FAMILY MEMBER. FOOD TO BE PURCHASED FROM BBO

CAMPING £5 PER PERSON OR £20 PER FAMILY, INCLUDING SAUSAGE OR BACON ROLL IN THE MORNING! (BBQ IN EVENING; PAY AS YOU GO!)

PLEASE RETURN THE SLIP ON BACK PAGE OF PTA NEWSLETTER AND MAKE PAYMENT ONLINE OR PUT IN PTA POSTBOX