

The Shuttle

Friday 13th Oct 2023

DIARY DATES

16/10/23

Phonics meeting for Y1 parents at 5pm

25/10/23

Individual school photos

25/10/23

Harvest Crumble in the hall

26/10/23

Spooky Dress Up Day

Break up for half term

27/10/23

INSET DAY

06/11/23

Back to school

10/11/23

Remembrance Day
10.55 in the playground

HARVEST FOOD BANK REMINDER!

Our School Council have made a lovely video which promotes our Harvest Food Bank collection. If you've not seen it yet, it is on the school

Facebook page and on Dojo as well!

Donations can be sent in from Monday 9th October until Monday 23rd October. MANY THANKS!

Hopefully you will have seen the Thurlstone Menfolk Club flier posted on Dojo and emailed to you as well. If not, please have a look and then share with any men who may benefit from such a club. The first meeting will be during half term, on Monday 30th October in the school hall from 6 -7.30pm.



IT'S THE P.T.A. SPOOKY DRESS UP DAY ON THURSDAY 26TH OCTOBER!



PAY £1 FOR YOUR CHILD TO WEAR WHATEVER SPOOKY CLOTHES THEY LIKE!

THERE WILL BE A PRIZE FOR THE BEST COSTUME AS JUDGED BY THE STAFF.

All pennies raised will go toward the P.T.As fundraising plans

NEW FACE AROUND SCHOOL!

We are excited to welcome Miss Jones to the Thurlstone team! Miss Jones is a teaching student who will be completing her final placement with us from Leeds Beckett University. She will be working alongside Mrs Rodgers in Y5. I am sure you will welcome her during her 8 week placement with us!

Friday's cheesy But wise

Words of Wisdom

WHEN LITTLE PEOPLE ARE
OVERWHELMED BY BIG
EMOTIONS, IT'S OUR JOB
TO SHARE OUR CALM. NOT
JOIN THEIR CHAOS.
~ L. R. KNOST



It's our amazing P.T.A



HARVEST CRUMBLE!

OUR HARVEST CRUMBLE EVENT is a simple social event for the whole family!



come and enjoy delicious fruit crumble (or Pie) with or without custard.



Hot and cold drinks will also be available!



All money raised will go to the P.T.A and therefore directly to your children.



WHEN? Wednesday 25th October



WHERE? In the school hall



WHAT TIME? In order to accommodate as many people as possible we will have to stagger the times this year...



3 - 3.30pm for KS1 children and parents (you can pick your child up early if you like)

3.30 - 4.15pm for KS2 children and parents



HOW MUCH? £3.50 (to include a portion of crumble, custard and a drink) CASH ONLY!



DONATIONS OF FRUIT CRUMBLES OR PIES WILL BE VERY GRATEFULLY RECEIVED.



'FREE FROM' DONATIONS WILL ALSO BE VERY WELCOME!



Please bring any donations into school on the morning of the event.



MANY THANKS!



Events & Initiatives 2023/24 PTA FUNDRAISING



TARGET
£10,000



October

- 25 | HARVEST CRUMBLE
- 26 | SPOOKY DRESS UP DAY
- 28 | HALLOWEEN DISCO

November

CHRISTMAS CARDS

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

December

- 13 | SPARKLY DRESS UP DAY
- 13 | CHRISTMAS DISCOS
- 18/19/20 | XMAS CONCERT REFRESHMENTS

- PTA Funds Pay For:**
- Subsidised Trips
 - Leavers' Hoodies
 - Santa's Gifts
 - Play Equipment
 - Prizes
 - Special Treats and Experiences
 - IT Equipment
 - ...and more!

January

February

- 7 | VALENTINES DISCO
- 3 | GROWN UPS SCHOOL DISCO!

March

- 18 | EASTER BAKE OFF AND BONNETS

DESIGN A T-SHIRT COMP - DATE TBC

April

May

June

- 14 | SPORTS DAY
- ICE CREAM STALL

July

- 4 | BREAK THE RULES DAY
- 5 | SUMMER FAYRE
- 16 | SUMMER DISCO



*WHILST WE'LL ENDEAVOUR TO HONOUR THESE DATES, THEY REMAIN SUBJECT TO CHANGE - AS ALWAYS, CONFIRMED DATES & TIMES WILL BE SHARED ON BOTH CLASSLIST & CLASS DOJO AS EVENTS APPROACH



Just Some of the ways you can help raise funds for the school!

- Come along to meetings
- Contribute ideas, time or your skills
- Participate in events & initiatives

- Use [easypfundraising.co.uk](https://www.easypfundraising.co.uk)
- Use our StampTastic Affiliate Links
- Encourage business donations to parent GoFundMe initiatives