

BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO WEETWOOD PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION (WPTA)

WHAT IS WEETWOOD PTA?

A charitable body run by parents/carers & staff for the benefit of the children at Weetwood School. At full capacity it has a Committee with a Chair, Secretaries, and a Treasurer, as well as Class Reps. **You are automatically a Member of WPTA**, and any parent/carer/staff member is invited to attend our meetings which are held once or twice every half term. We value the thoughts and ideas of all our Members.

Each year we fundraise via events and activities; previous events include a Disco & Fireworks event, Christmas cards, the Christmas Fair, Cinema Night, Mother's and Father's Day Shopping Events, and the Summer Fair. We have raised over £10,000 each year! These funds are put to good use in many ways, including redevelopment of the library, and enriching experiences for the children such as Beat Boxing, Den-building, Printing Workshops, Lego STEM events, and much more.

CLASS REPS

One or more parents from each class who communicate info from the PTA to their class and vice versa. They also help rally volunteers for events. They come to PTA meetings when they can, but it's not essential.

BUN SALES

These have been held most Fridays at the shelter next to the bike sheds. There is a yearly rota and each year group takes it in turn to bake or buy buns and host the sales, the profits of which go directly to the teachers to fund projects for their class.

COMMUNICATION

We try not to bombard you with information, but we occasionally use ClassDojo, email, and your class WhatsApp groups to keep you up to date with what's going on.

WPTA CONTACTS:

Website: www.weetwoodpta.wordpress.com

Email: weetwoodpta@yahoo.com

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Chair: vacant

Treasurer: Lynsey Fielden

Secretary: Jo Casey

Class Reps: Alice Philips (Nurs), Gemma Dearnley (Rec), Claire Taylor (Rec), Anne Pinches (Yr1), Sally Armstrong (Yr1), Lucy Paxton (Yr1), Becky Last (Yr1), Lucy Holland-Selsby (Yr2), Jo Casey (Yr2), Semmina Satia (Yr 2), Ciara Tindall (Yr3), Thryth Jarvis (Yr3), Lynsey Fielden (Yr4), Fiona Livermore (Yr4), Sophia Harris (Yr5), Sarah Lockhart (Yr5), Anna Hallam (Yr6)