

NEWS

MARCH ISSUE 2020

FRIENDS OF HIGHFIELD

I hope you are all keeping safe at this time!

This is officially the last Newsletter of the school year.....but let's keep in touch!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Easter Egg Hunt- CANCELLED

Summer Fete- CANCELLED

Quiz Night- CANCELLED



Challenging Times....

Today saw the closure of our school for most of its pupils. This is not something I ever thought I would see happen in my lifetime and I do understand that this will pose unprecedented challenges, both as parents, employees and family members.

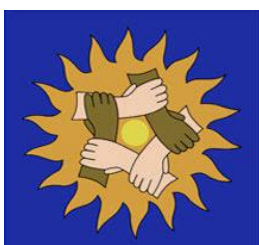
I am proposing to continue issuing newsletters until the end of the academic school year.

But instead of updates on school events I will instead be pulling together hints and tips to help everyone get through this time.

If you have any useful tips do pass them on so we can share the love. Drop me a message on the FOH chat or you can message me privately.

Any Tips?

- Remote Working
- Keeping the kids entertained
- Combating social isolation
- Easy recipes that can be batch cooked and frozen
- Any other ideas?



Easyfundraising can still help

At a time when most of us will be doing an increased amount of shopping online you can still use easyfundraising to help raise funds for our school at this time:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fohpri/payments/59

For purchases on Amazon please go to www.smile.amazon.co.uk log in and search for Highfield Winchmore Hill

Summer Fete-Thank you ALL

Thank you very much to all members of the committee and the FOH who put in so much time and effort these last few months in preparation for our Summer Fete. We are still working to ensure that all booked services are cancelled and every effort is being made to ensure that we can continue to receive the continued support of our sponsors for future events.

Easter Egg Hunt

Again, thank you to all the Committee and members of FOH who helped to organise the Easter Egg Hunt. We had already purchased 140 Easter eggs and these have all been donated to a local food bank



FUNDRAISING UPDATE

This month the Friends of Highfield paid for:

- £50 donation towards books as gifts on World Book Day.
- £890 purchase of de-fibrillator.

Helping Highfield Families

We understand that the coming weeks may pose some great difficulties for some families.

If you feel that you may struggle over the coming weeks and may need some additional support for food supplies, please do get in touch with the Friends of Highfield at:

frindsofhighfield@hotmail.com

We have assigned some funding for this cause and we will try and do our best to help support our most vulnerable families at this difficult time.



JOIN US AT OUR NEXT MEETING
NO MEETINGS UNTIL THE SCHOOL
RE-OPENS

Thought of the month.....

‘Let us stand in solidarity.
Not to a specific country, race or
religion but rather to humanity’
David Vox

parentkind.org.uk

is brimming with articles for parents, to help you support your child's school life and learning, and it's open to everyone!



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