

Hunts Grove

Parent Teacher Association

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What we do

We work with the school and you, our members, to not only enhance educational experiences for all pupils, but to ensure the school becomes a central part of the wider Hunts Grove Community.

How we do it

We organise fun fundraising activities to pay for equipment/experiences for the children to enhance the education. Example events are:

- Spooky Disco
- Christmas Film night
- Non-Uniform days
- Christmas Market
- Spring Fete and Hare Hunt
- Pre-loved Uniform sales
- Raffles
- Sponsored fun runs

From these we have paid for:

- A fence for the new Forest School
- A Willow tunnel for the children to build and play in on the field
- Picnic benches
- A Reading chair for the Forest School
- Authors visits on World Book Day

We need you!

To be able to keep the PTA going we need volunteers. We currently run on a committee of 7, including the Chair, Treasurer and Secretary. To support the committee we also have our class representatives, with each class having a volunteer rep, who help the committee to organise and run events.

If you would like to know more about the PTA please email huntsgrovepta@yahoo.com or join our Facebook Group www.facebook.com/hunts-grove-pta, where you will find information on up and coming events and be part of the parent community. If you are unsure and have heard various myths about PTA's here are some of your potential questions answered.



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PTA Mythbusters

Myth: The PTA is just for stay at home mums

FACT: The PTA is for everyone! Our volunteers are mothers and fathers. We have a wide range of volunteers who work part-time to full-time or look after little ones at home.

Myth: The PTA has all the help they need

FACT: The PTA welcomes everyone and continues to need volunteers for various events, all year round. We need you!

Myth: Volunteering for the PTA takes too much time

FACT: Only you can decide how much time you can give. Even if you help at just one event or handle one task per year, it is all greatly appreciated.

Myth: PTA volunteers need to be at the school during the day

FACT: Much of the work can be done on your own schedule, or at events after school or at the weekends. Yes, there is volunteering during the end of the school day, if you are able to do so. But no one does it all, so choose what works best for you.

Myth: The PTA has the same volunteers year after year and everyone knows each other

FACT: While we are fortunate enough to have dedicated volunteers who return, we need and welcome new ones every year. We are a small school and a PTA who have only been running for 4 years, the volunteers who originally set up the PTA now have children moving on to secondary schools, so new volunteers are needed to ensure we can keep the committee running. It is a great way to get to know other parents and make new friends.

