



Friends of  
Barningham School  
Registered Charity No. 1030812



## A message from the Friends

No.13 / March 2024

### EASTER EVENT – Request for Donations of Easter Eggs

On **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March from 2.30 pm til 4pm** please do join us at our **Easter event** which includes refreshments and an Easter egg tombola. We will also have a book/puzzle stall and pre-loved uniform on display. Start the weekend with a relaxing cuppa and cake before picking up your children.

In order to make this a success we ask **if you are able to donate an egg** to this event for our tombola. The donations box will be in the Reception area for you to place your donations. We also ask for donations of cake on the day to aid our refreshment stall. We thank you for your anticipated support.

### DISCO

Thank you to everyone who supported our disco on Friday night, we hope the children had lots of fun. You helped us raise £121 for the school. Our next disco is on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July.

### Tesco Blue Token Scheme – Thetford Store

The Tesco Stronger Starts blue token scheme have selected us as a charity to support and runs until the end of March. Please collect a blue token each time you shop at Tesco (Thetford) and place it in the slot under our name. If we have the most tokens of the three charities selected, we could be **awarded up to £1,500** towards our fundraising.

We are facing tough competition from the other charities they are supporting so your support is really valuable. Please tell your friends and family so they can support us too.

**COMPETITION TIME.....** take a pic of your child(ren) dropping a token in the box at Tesco and post it on our Facebook page – when the scheme closes we will randomly select a name from the entrants and award the child a little prize, the more entries you post, the higher your chances of winning.



Get in touch with us via Facebook messenger:

<https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool>

We regularly update our Facebook page with details of all our fundraising activities. A list of current members is shown at the bottom of this newsletter, please find us in the playground to find out more.

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### Pre-Loved School Uniform – Online shop

[#recycle](#) [#re-wear](#) [#savetheplanet](#) [#savemoney](#) [#pre-loved](#)

We have re-organised our stock of pre-loved uniform and created an “online shop” on our Facebook page. This is updated each time we sell items, or receive new donations. If your little one has had a growth spurt and you need uniform in a hurry, head over to the page and see if we have what you need. All our items are quality checked before posting.

Find our Pre-Loved Uniform shop here: [\(6\) WELCOME TO THE PRE... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook](#)

### Gifts – Online Shop

We have some brand new or nearly new /good quality items that have been donated to us. Please take a look at our gift shop, lots of items at bargain prices.

[\(6\) Gift Shop Sale of... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook](#)

### Wellies

We have received a generous donation of lots of brand new unbranded wellies, in various colours, in child’s sizes 10, 12 and 13. Perfect for your little one splashing in puddles, only £2 per pair. For details see our Facebook page:

[\(6\) WELLY SHOP We have... - Friends Of Barningham CEVC Primary School | Facebook](#)

**To pay by bank transfer:**

**The Friends of Barningham School**

**Account - 30884219**

**Sort Code - 20-85-93**



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### Fundraising focus this year:

**Interactive whiteboard** – Rabbit class

*(Whiteboard for Owl class was funded in year ending July 2022 and whiteboards for Badger and Squirrel classes were funded last year).*

**Loudspeaker** – for use at outdoor events (sports days/fayres)

### Dates for the diary:

**Easter Event** – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2.30 til 4pm

**Afternoon Tea** – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2.30 til 4pm

**Summer Fayre** – Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 1 – 3pm

**Disco** – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July – after school, timings to follow

### Help us raise funds for free

Sign up to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fobcevcps> and make Friends of Barningham School your chosen charity and they will donate a small percentage of your purchase cost to us (at no cost to you). Just use the app or website every time you shop online. Hundreds of retailers have signed up including Amazon, Argos, Next, Ebay, John Lewis, M&S, Just Eat, TUI, Trainline and many, many more..... They also give a lump sum to us if accessed to compare and change insurance or utility providers.

**Update:** February 2024 – we received **£25.28** in donations because you purchased online via [easyfundraising.com](https://www.easyfundraising.com) – **THANK YOU**

### Social Media

Support our social media presence on Instagram, Facebook and Twitter by taking pictures at our events and tag them with **#friendsofbarninghamschool #fobs** so we can all enjoy your photos and memories

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/FriendsBarninghamSchool/>

**Twitter:** @BarninghamPTA

**Instagram:** @friendsofbarninghamschool

We thank you for your continued support.

The Friends of Barningham School

*Julie Surridge (parent Y4/Treasurer), Fran Kurtz (parent Y3/Secretary), Sheree Morris (parent Y4), April King (parent Y3), Marie Ruck (parent Y6 & Y3), Harriet Leeks (parent Y6 & Y2), Amy Allen (parent Y3), Naomi Shotbolt (parent Y3), Lisa Shelley (parent Y5), Helen Shelley (parent Y4).  
Former pupil parent friends: Nikki Cameron*

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