



Friends of
Barningham School
Registered Charity No. 1030812



A message from the Friends

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Latest News

Thank you again to The Royal George for their generosity. Their 3rd Quiz Night and Raffle held to raise funds for the school raised £125; overall they have raised £500 for the school and we are very grateful. Their next Quiz Night is to raise funds for The Alzheimer's Society; please continue to give them your full support.

The closing date for our **School Pudding raffle** is this Friday 29th November. The winner will receive everyone's favourite, **Chocolate Crunch**, made by our very own school cook, Mrs Chapman. For a chance to win please purchase a virtual raffle ticket (£1 each) from the school office. A random number generator will be used to select a winner.

Mrs Chapman is planning on making **Flapjack** for the next School Pudding raffle in January.

We have also signed up to **MyChildsArt** this year; the children have designed Christmas themed pictures that have been uploaded to a portal and you can purchase Christmas cards and gifts in your child's unique design. Find your child's design at www.mychildsart.co.uk/order

For an **early bird discount of 10%**, order before **3rd December** – code is **BarninghamX24**

Please remember to use easyfundraising.org.uk (details at the end of this newsletter) when **shopping Black Friday deals**; every transaction results in small donation for the school.

Christmas Fayre – appeal for volunteers

We are now preparing for one of our busiest events of the year – our Christmas Fayre which is on **Saturday 30th November from 1 til 3 pm.**

We still need a few volunteers to help us with the raffle stall and to run a few games in the 2-3pm slot. Please take a look at the signup sheet and help if you can:

<https://signup.com/go/LJSncct>



Get in touch with us via Facebook messenger:

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

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Christmas Fayre – appeal for donations

As always, in order to make this a successful event we are asking for donations that we can use to raise funds for the school. Thank you to everybody who has already made donations. We have also received some fantastic prizes for our raffle and we are grateful to those local businesses that have donated.

If you cannot attend the fayre but would like to purchase tickets for the raffle or class boxes raffle please contact the school office or the Friends via our Facebook page.

Tombola: if you have any items that are suitable for a tombola that you are able to donate can you please place them in the box that is in Reception at school

Toy tombola: we are looking for donations of good quality unwanted toys

Class boxes:

Rabbits – Red / Squirrels – Silver/White / Badgers – Green / Owls – Gold

We love the very popular class box raffle; for those who have not experienced this before, we ask each child to donate something to their class box in that colour. Examples include, candle, chocolate, soap, ornament, the possibilities are truly endless. The result is a unique and lovely box of wonderful goodies that we raffle at the school fayre.

Cake: we would welcome donations of cake for our Refreshment stall.

Fundraising focus this year:

New reading corner/library resources and books for each classroom
Outdoor play equipment

Dates for the diary:

School Pudding Raffle draw – Friday 29th November
Christmas Fayre – Saturday 30th November 2024 1 – 3 pm
Disco – Friday 28th February 2025
Easter Event – Friday 28th March 2025
Summer Fayre – Saturday 28th June 2025
Disco – Friday 11th July 2025

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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.

In November we received **£24.98** from Easyfundraising.org.uk – thank you to everyone who supports this.

If you shop at **Asda** and have an Asda Rewards App, please consider linking up to the Cashpot for Schools scheme and selecting Barningham CEVC Primary School as your chosen school. With every purchase where you scan the Rewards App, Asda will make a small donation to our school at no extra cost to 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

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