FRIENDS OF HILLSIDE

JOIN OUR FRIENDLY PTA TEAM & BECOME AN ACTIVE HELPER



WHO ARE THE PTA AND WHAT DO WE DO?

As a parent, carer, relative, or friend of Helsby Hillside Primary school YOU are automatically a member of the PTA! We all have a role to play in supporting our school. The PTA plans and delivers activities and events throughout the school year for the children and families of Helsby Hillside.

SAVE OUR PTA - WE NEED TO TAKE ACTION NOW!

Over recent years we've lost our core PTA team as children have moved on to secondary school. The PTA is currently run by a skeleton team of parents and as a result our fundraising efforts have had to be scaled back or cancelled this year. There are 205 children in Helsby Hillside currently, but the PTA has just 10 active regular members. This is not sustainable and in order to continue we need new members.



VOLUNTEER

The most important way to help is by giving an hour or two of your time to ensure our events run smoothly. No skills or experience necessary. If every family had one adult who provided an hour of help at one event per year we'd have 205 hours of help! That would be more than enough help for us to deliver our events successfully.

JOIN OUR COMMITTEE

If you can commit a little more time, have special skills to offer (are you a graphic or Canva designer, copywriter or love the social media life and can help out with our Instagram, facebook and Twitter accounts) or just want to be involved in a particular event, we would welcome you on our committee. Key members are trustees of the charity and collectively oversee the direction and finances. General members support with event planning and special projects. The time and effort involved varies depending on our event schedule. Regular planning meetings are arranged and the times of these are flexible to accommodate members' personal and work commitments.

STAY CONNECTED

Join our Whatsapp group and look out for notices in the school newsletter to keep up to date with what's planned. You can also email us directly or speak to your class representatives.

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Our doors are wide open for new members to join us. Our next planning meeting is for our summer fair which we will notify you in due course. Please come along and say hi.

We hope you can join us on our quest to raise lots of money. If you have any questions at all please reach out and ask.

WHY GET INVOLVED?

- Support your child's education and quality of life at school
- Make new friends
- Gain insight into how the school works and how your child spends their day
- Get to know school staff and facilities
- Get PTA perks i.e. raffle for priority seats at key events i.e. Xmas performances

Thank you

GOT A QUESTION?

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