



# ***THE PTFA POST***

***Become a  
monthly  
donor!***

***Join  
'Bodsham  
Events Team'***

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

***Bodsham main house building can  
be dated back to Mid 19<sup>TH</sup> Century  
and sits on a 1.3 acre plot.  
Bodsham receives just over £4000  
per annum to maintain this  
building and land!  
It is used daily by 90 people.***

## **Annual AGM**

Earlier this month we held our annual AGM. A vote was taken by everyone in attendance and Mr Newton remains Chair, Nicole Smith remains as Vice Chair, Hannah West stays as Secretary and Nicola Phipps continues her great work as Treasurer for another year. It was really great to see some more people attend this year. It was decided that we should start a Bodsham Events Team to get more ideas and more helping hands! If you would like to get involved or share ideas for fundraising please do contact us at [ptfabodsham@gmail.com](mailto:ptfabodsham@gmail.com).

## **Class Reps Still needed**

Year 3 and Year 6 are still in need of class reps. The role of a class rep is to purely act as a communicator to their year group. This may be via Whatsapp or just approaching people in the class who aren't on social media and email and miss messages.

Other than this communication the class rep will also "manage" the Seasonal hampers for their class. We know everyone is busy with work, and life in general but it really isn't a role that requires a great deal of work and is very useful for ensuring everyone knows what is going on. If you could spare just 2-3 minutes of your time a week it would be greatly appreciated.

## **Monthly Donors**

As a tiny school Bodsham does not receive enough funds from local government to pay for general maintenance as you can see above! The school has been impacted by Covid in many ways but very hard hit by the lack of big fundraising events.

We are reaching out to parents and the community to see if you would like to become one of our **Monthly Donors**. Please do email us at [ptfabodsham@gmail.com](mailto:ptfabodsham@gmail.com) for more information. Monthly donors make a considerable difference to the school.

# BIG WINTER EVENTS

## XMAS HAMPER RAFFLE -

TBC

Christmas edition of the Hamper Raffle. Each year group contributes a luxury hamper to be raffled at the end of term.

## Door Step Carols - World Record - 15th Dec

Bodsham will be joining this nationwide carol singing event on 15th December. Come join us break a world record whilst enjoying mince pies and mulled wine on the playground.

## Sparrows and Robins

## Nativity - 7th Dec

The annual Nativity is back at Evington Hall.

## Christmas Cave - 14TH Dec

The Christmas cave will be back this year in its more familiar format.

## Christmas Jumper Sale

TBC

Buy a preloved Christmas jumper in time for the Christmas party and raise funds for school.

## Christmas Fair - TBC



## FUNDRAISING IDEAS AND PLANS..

In addition to the big events we are also planning mini events throughout the term. Keep an eye out on Facebook and email about;

Bake Sales  
Book Sales  
Non- Uniform Days  
Bags to School



## Thank You

Rachel Palmarini for her book sale.

Dexter and Margot Smith for their "Bodsham Farm School" fund raiser.

Sarah Empett for arranging 'park up and pick a pumpkin' sale.

Rebecca Smith for arranging the pumpkin carving competition 1st November.