

CRESCENT COMMUNITY

News from Friends of the Crescent PTA



Upcoming Events

Mark these dates in your diary!

- Friday 11 September
Fruity Friday Sale
- Friday 18 September
PTA Meeting
during Coffee Morning
- Friday 25 September
Back to School Film Night
- Friday 2 October
Year 1 Cake Sale
- Thursday 22 October
Spooky Disco
- Friday 4 December
Year 2 Cake Sale
- Saturday 12 December
Christmas Fair
- Thursday 17 December
Christmas Film Night

**And more to come in
2016!**

If you'd like more information about us, our events or to volunteer, please contact us at friendsofthecrescent@gmail.com or speak to us on the playground!

WELCOME BACK!

Hello again! Hard to believe that another summer is gone, but here we are, the 2015/2016 school year! We hope you've had a great summer and all the students are feeling refreshed and ready to learn!

Friends of the Crescent members have been busy this summer building a wonderful new run and coop for the Crescent Chickens! We will be having 4 chickens this year and the Friends have been working hard to make sure we are ready for their imminent arrival! The new spacious run will boast amenities such as a large coop, multi-level perch, dirt bath and mirrors to admire themselves (which chickens LOVE to do!). We hope our feathered friends are happy in their new home and we can't wait to meet them!



JOIN US!

Our first meeting of the 2015/2016 school year will be on **Friday 18 Sept at 9 am in the Dining Hall**. This meeting is open to all parents and carers of Crescent Students and we would love to meet you! If you'd like to be involved with Friends of the Crescent, please come along and register your details with us and we will add you to our mailing list! We have loads of great events planned for this coming year, but we can't be successful without your help!

Christmas Fair Stalls

We will soon be taking bookings for stalls at our Christmas Fair on Saturday 12th December from 12-3 pm. Pitch fee will be £20 per table and power can be provided. Forms and more information will be available in the office in the coming weeks.



Used Uniforms

We had great success last year with our used uniform sales and plan to continue with them! We will hold regular table sales throughout the year, as well as regular collection drives to re-stock, so keep an eye out for posters around the school. Prices are more than 50% off the original Hewitts price and everything we sell is in good used condition or better!

If at any point during the year you find yourself in need of an item, please do not hesitate to contact us, as we may well have what you need! Our stock is kept in the school and very accessible so we can easily and quickly find you the bits and pieces you're missing!

NEW FOR THIS YEAR!

As Friends of the Crescent grows, so do our events! We have lots of great activities planned for this year, including some old favourites like Family Film Night and the Summer Picnic and welcome additions like a Spooky Disco and Christmas Festivities! We are also introducing two new regular fundraisers: Class Bake Sales and Fruity Friday.

Class Bake Sales

This year we have decided to sponsor an event that will directly benefit all the classes here at The Crescent. Over the course of the school year, each class year will be asked, in turn, to donate cakes for a bake sale. The cakes will then be sold on the playground for the whole school to purchase.

100% of the money made from each sale will go right back to the year group teachers to spend on a special treat for the students!

Year One will be the first class to have their sale on Friday 2 October and we will be sending out regular reminders as the day nears. See all the scheduled dates below.

2015/2016 Cake Sale Dates

Year 1- Friday 2 October 2015

Year 2- Friday 4 December 2015

Reception - Friday 5 February 2016

Year 3- Friday 4 March 2016

Year 4- Friday 10 June 2016

Fruity Friday

Another regular fundraiser we are introducing this year is both healthy and fun! On regular Friday's throughout the year, we will be selling some fantastic fruity treats for an after school snack. Juice boxes, yoghurt, bananas, granola bars, fresh fruit cups and more are on the menu for our first week and we plan to offer a different selection every time! Items will be priced at 50p each or 3 for £1. A great value and great for our kids!

We hope to see you at an event soon!