

WHAT'S ON NEXT IN THE PTFA?

Here are the details of our events but remember we can only successfully raise money to help your children if we receive sufficient help from you. Do please help if you can, even if it is only an hour or two here and there – many hands make light work and all that!

The new committee will wish to arrange more events – please do come along to a committee meeting and let us hear your ideas (including events suitable for younger children)

Wednesday 14 September 2011

PTFA Annual General Meeting

7.00p.m. prompt in the School Library

You are invited to the Annual General Meeting of the Mount Grace School Parent Teacher and Friends Association which will be held at 7.00p.m. prompt in the School Library. Reports on our work and finances will be given to members and officers will be elected for 2011/2012. At 8.00p.m. we will adjourn to the School Hall where we will join staff and new Year 7 parents for delicious tasters and a glass of wine. Don't forget that you are all members of the PTFA purely by virtue of being parents, carers or friends. Last year we raised over £14,000 to enhance your children's school experience. Why not come along to hear all our news and to find out how much we raised this year and how we did it.

If you intend to join us, it would be helpful, for purposes of catering, if you left your name at Reception for the attention of Jane McMahan.

Sunday 25 September 2011

REFRESHMENTS FOR STAMP FAIR

8.00a.m. – 5.00p.m.

We will be providing and serving refreshments for stamp dealers who are hiring the school hall and will need to be there most of the day. It would therefore be really helpful if lots of people could volunteer an hour or so of their time at some point during the day to lighten the load for the usual stalwarts.

If you can help please telephone Christine on 01707 657 411 / 07771 901 778 or email her on charri5678@yahoo.com

Monday 26 September 2011

PTFA COMMITTEE MEETING

7.00p.m. in the School Library until 9.00p.m. at the latest

All parents, carers, friends are members of the PTFA and all are welcome to attend any committee meeting – it does not mean you are committed to attending every single meeting. Do come along and see what a lovely bunch we are and help to plan our events! If you would like to ask any questions please telephone any of the officers of the committee (listed on the PTFA home page).

Saturday 1 October 2011

PRIMARY SCHOOLS SEVEN A SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Kick-off at 10.00a.m.

This annual tournament was set up by the Mount Grace School PTFA many years ago and has been running successfully ever since. It is currently sponsored by the Rotary Club Brookmans Park. The PTFA is there from 9.00a.m. until about 2.00p.m. selling refreshments, including quality cooked food and our delicious home made cakes. If you are there supporting your primary school, don't bring your own picnic, support your secondary school by buying your late breakfast/early lunch from us. If you don't have to watch the matches perhaps you can offer a little of your time to help us serve food and drink to the spectators and participants.

If you can offer any time at all please telephone Christine on 01707 657 411 / 07771 901 778 or email her at charri5678@yahoo.com

Saturday 15 October 2011
ELM COURT CAR BOOT SALE
From 10.00a.m. until about 5.00p.m.

We prepare and serve refreshments in the hall and out on the field (under a gazebo unless very, very windy). We therefore need help throughout the day. If the weather is good and the field is full we can make a very nice profit (our best to date is £900+) so this is all money to benefit **your** children but it is a long day, so please, please come and help us. You do not need to commit to all day – whatever time you can spare is very gratefully appreciated, so if you can offer any help please telephone Christine on 01707 657 411 / 07771 901 778 or email her at charri5678@yahoo.com

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Saturday 5 November 2011
FAMILY QUIZ EVENING
7.00p.m. for 7.30p.m. start

Please come along and join in a very enjoyable evening. Children of secondary school age welcome. You will find a form to order tickets at the end of this list.

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Friday 18 November 2011
NON-UNIFORM DAY FOR CHRISTMAS FAYRE
Between 8.00a.m. and 9.00p.m.

The “payment” required from students for this non-uniform day is donations we can sell or raffle at the Christmas Fayre. We will need as many willing hands as we can muster to help sort these donations and to help set up the stalls for the Fayre next day. Gentlemen, we especially need you for the shifting of the heavier stuff so don’t leave it all to the ladies! Offers of help as above please.

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Saturday 19 November 2011
MOUNT GRACE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRE
All day until about 5.00p.m.

This is the main fundraising event in our calendar. We will need lots and lots of help to man the stalls and to clear up afterwards - we particularly need men for the strong arm stuff at the end. A rota for manning the stalls will be prepared nearer the time so please note the date in your diaries now. Don’t forget – if commitments, e.g. with younger children, prevent you from covering a stall, you can still come and spend loadsa money to swell our coffers! Offers of help as above please.

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Sunday 4 December 2011
REFRESHMENTS FOR STAMP FAIR
8.00a.m. – 5.00p.m.

Details as 25 September above. Also 5 February, 15 April, 1 July, 16 September and 2 December next year.

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Saturday 4 February 2012
FAMILY QUIZ EVENING
7.00p.m. for 7.30p.m. start

Details as 5 November above (Order form for tickets nearer the date).

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Sunday 17 June 2012
POTTERS BAR CARNIVAL

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**PARENT TEACHER AND FRIENDS ASSOCIATION
MOUNT GRACE SCHOOL**

Charity No.1120903

FAMILY QUIZ EVENING

**Saturday 5 November 2011
In Mount Grace School Hall
7.00p.m. for 7.30p.m.**

Adults £7.50
Sixth Formers £4.00
Accompanied children over 11 £3.50

We provide an excellent Quiz Master, Richard, a platter of cheese, pâté, bread and some surprises. You provide the answers, your own drinks, glasses and bottle openers.

If you have attended before, you know it will be an enjoyable evening! If you have not, why not give it a try! If you cannot make up a whole table of friends we will find you a place on another table.

If you have any queries please telephone Daphne on 01707 653 636.

Quiz Evening 5 November 2011

Please complete this tear-off slip and return to Reception Mount Grace School for the attention of Mrs J McMahon, together with a cheque made out to **“Mount Grace School PTFA”**.

No. of tickets required: Adult.....Child.....

Your name and address.....

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Name and form of student (if applicable).....