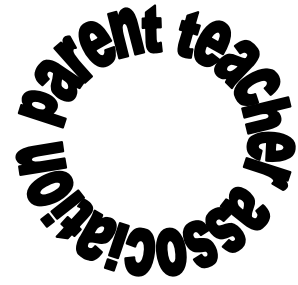


Greatham Primary School



PTA Newsletter February 2010

I hope everyone had a good half term. Our last meeting was just before half term and the minutes of the meeting will go up on the PTA page of the school website shortly.

The quiz night was a great success, raising more than £600. Thanks so much to GVEC for all their hard work and to everyone who came along. I'm sorry to anyone who was unable to get tickets – it was a sell out!

E-MAIL COMMUNICATION

The class reps have been doing a great job of keeping people up-to-date with events where they have e-mail addresses for people in their class. If you'd like to get occasional messages from the PTA about PTA events then please give your address to your class rep, or e-mail me on the address below.

UPCOMING EVENTS

On **Thursday 11th March** there will be a "Wear your Pyjamas to School" day to raise money for the PTA. A leaflet will be going out in book bags this week. We also have Hedgehogs' and Badgers' **cake sales** to look forward to. Next term cake sales will continue, we'll be involved in the GVEC Fun Day and we'll be repeating last year's summer party.

SPENDING THE MONEY

You'll be pleased to know that we've been busy spending the money you've raised. The PTA has bought sports kits to fit the smaller children in the school so they have proper kit when they play other schools (the school already has kit for the older children). We have also funded the purchase of new percussion instruments for use by the whole school. Finally each class teacher was given £50 to spend on behalf of the class and they have brought some great new kit for the children including lots of wet play equipment, creative activity equipment and motivational stickers and stampers.

These small things make a big difference to the school, and without your help would not be possible – so thanks again for all your support for the PTA and the school.

The next PTA Meeting is on **Wednesday 28th April at 7.30pm**. I hope to see lots of you there.

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