



Friends of  
Powell Corderoy

# Friends of Powell Corderoy Spring Term Newsletter

Dear All,

2016 started off with a clear out and the table top sale, it was a disappointing turnout despite lots of advertising and lovely things to buy. Post sale thoughts are that we might just be too far out of town for people to make a special trip at the weekend.

The discos soon followed and were a great success as always, with very happy and excited children, exhausted (and slightly deaf) parent helpers and £291.80 raised.

With Love Your Logo still not able to stock Powell branded clothes, the second hand uniform sale was a welcome sight in the playground for many.

The impromptu book sale, although never a huge money spinner did allow us to clear a little space in the ever cramped Friends cupboard and spread the excitement of book week with 105 books being sold.

The quiz fundraiser at Rialto was a great night! It was a sell-out, raising £815, and a really nice opportunity for the parents and (very well represented) teachers to have a fun night out. There have already been calls to have a rematch next year!

The family Easter egg hunt was a bit of fun after school and the surprise guest lambs seemed to be a big hit with both the children and grown-ups!

The Easter raffles at the end of term are sure to be popular-who doesn't like chocolate! A huge thank you to Waitrose, Sainsbury's, The Factory Shop and Mr Butterly for their very generous donations of eggcellent (sorry) eggs!

The fundraising total for the current academic year is a fantastic £5446.42 (this does not include the Easter raffles). This is an amazing total and we are so grateful for every single bit of help, volunteer time and donations.

The video camera, kindly donated by Kuoni, has been purchased and is in use. The money for the first phase of the new sound system is now in the bank account and ready to be spent. Following a meeting with the school council, we are also delighted to be organising the first of their suggestions, new playground equipment should be arriving next term.

Have a lovely Easter holidays!

Dates for your diary:

18th April – Tower of 2p's. Please collect together your 2p's over the Easter holidays. The class who collects the most, wins extra playtime!

24<sup>th</sup> June-Mufti for donations for the Summer Festival.

1<sup>st</sup> July-Summer Festival.