

AUTUMN TERM 2022

Hello from all the Friends of Tunstead School Committee.

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome back all pupils and their families to Tunstead School and wish them a great year ahead. We also want to welcome and greet all new parents, carers and children who have joined in September 2022.

Our Friends Committee runs fun and social events throughout the school year to enrich the children's school life, help raise money and support the school. We are a registered charity (Charity Number - 103981) and assist with activities like funding school trips, buying equipment and subsidising events. Our aim is also to bring everyone together for a shared sense of School Community.



Our Friends Committee for 2022 consists of: Catherine Rose (Chair), Lisa Bidwell (Treasurer), Alice Yergol, (Secretary), Em Johns & Lisa Coston (Friends Committee Members).

We are supported by Friends Volunteers.

Photo from left to right - Em, Alice, Catherine & Lisa B.

AUTUMN EVENTS

We have lots of exciting events coming up this Autumn Term including a Spooky Halloween Disco and Pumpkin Carving Competition with prizes. We are also introducing a Friends Coffee and Cake Meet Up for all parents and carers at the local pub.

There will be a **School Uniform Sale** in the playground on 13 & 14th October. If you are able to donate any uniform or shoes, that your children have outgrown, please leave items in the donations box in the school playground the week commencing 10th October. All donations will be greatly received.

GET INVOLVED

Our group has a Facebook page where we have links to all our events. Please search for **FRIENDS OF TUNSTEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL** to join our page.

We are currently looking for more **Friends Volunteers** to help us on an ad-hoc basis at events. Typically we need extra help with tasks, for an hour or two, like manning a stall or serving drinks etc..

Volunteering as a Friends Volunteer is a great way to get to know the other parents and families and to enhance your child's time at Tunstead School. There is no commitment and you are not required to go to Committee meetings.

If you would like any more information about our events or how to become a Friends Volunteer please contact any of the Friends Committee Members or send our Chair Catherine an email on: <u>tfriends5wra@nsix.org.uk</u>

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

FRI 30 [™] SEPT FRIENDS Coffee & Cake, 2- 3pm,	Why not pop along for a quick cuppa, meet a few more parents and some of the Friends Committee, everyone is welcome.
Horse & Groom Pub, Tunstead.	
MON 10 TH - FRI 14 TH OCT School Uniform	Please bring any uniform that your children have outgrown and
Donation Week	donate to the Friends for resale.
THU 13 TH - FRI 14 ST School Uniform	Suggested donation 20p per item clothing, £1 for shoes. Please
Playground Sale	leave money in box. Otherwise, please take what you need.
Thursday PM & Friday AM.	
WED 19 TH OCT SCHOOL Pumpkin Carving	Details below.
Competition	
THU 20 TH Oct SCHOOL Halloween Party	Details below



We look forward to seeing you at one of our events.

Catherine, Lisa B, Alice, Em, & Lisa C.

Friends of Tunstead School Committee. UK Registered Charity Number (1039818)

