

Tritlington Friends Newsletter Summer 2020



**We hope you are all keeping safe
and well.**



Congratulations!

**To Mrs Stephenson and Mrs O'Dell for their new joint Head Teacher appointments!
We wish them both the very best for the future and look forward to working together!**

Thank You!

To all the teachers and staff at Tritlington School & the Church for their dedication and support through this challenging time. Life has been particularly challenging for all of us over the last few months and the support we have had from the school has been gratefully received.

Update

We have managed to secure a grant of £2602.00 from Ventient Sisters North Steads Farm Community Benefit, which is to be used to explore the Northumberland Heritage over the next school year. We are hopeful that the government restrictions will still allow us the opportunity to use this grant.

One of our goals set out earlier this school year was to invest in books for the school. After working closely with the teachers, the PTA have invested £531 for Read Write Inc books for phonics and reading for all year groups, as well as £61 on additional resource books.

We are delighted to say that we are once again providing a meal for the Year 4 leavers. This year, instead of the usual meal out, the children will be having their meal at school in the form of a pizza picnic. We wish the Year 4's all the very best for their new ventures at Morpeth Chantry Middle School next year!

Behind the Scene

Even though we have not been able to continue with our usual calendar of events and fundraising opportunities during this pandemic, we have been working with the staff at the school to help tidy up and clear the grounds. As part of this, repairs are being made to some of the raised beds and play area e.g. Re-barking, edging the play area and removing old play equipment. As a result of this, we are looking to install a new section to the play area and are currently exploring opportunities to get something in place over the next few months and will be looking into funding opportunities for this.

Going Forward

We are very much looking forward to seeing you all again in September. As always, we would like to take this opportunity to welcome all new parents to join our thriving PTA. Currently, we are planning virtual meetings via Google Meet, which will be arranged by Mrs Gray. Dates will be announced in September. In the meantime, keep an eye on the Tritlington Together Facebook page for updates. Your input is always welcome and so we would love to hear from you regarding ideas and help you can provide throughout the year (please see contact details below).

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Get in Touch

We have a new e-mail address, please get in touch with us for feedback or suggestions.

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We hope you manage to have a well-deserved break over the school holidays and look forward to working together and seeing you in September 2020!



In the meantime, any support you can provide with online purchases made through either the Easy Fundraising App or AmazonSmile (Charity to support is Tritlington Friends) would be greatly appreciated. Please get in touch if you need help setting these up!



Thank you for your support!