# Friends of Greenleas Autumn/Winter Newsletter 2022



## Welcome to the Autumn/Winter edition of the FOGHorn!

Friends of Greenleas is the school association that aims to raise additional funds to enrich experiences for our children. As a parent/carer/family member of a child within the school you are automatically a member of FOG and to find out more about upcoming fundraising events please follow the Facebook page — Friends of Greenleas (FOG).

#### **FOG AGM 2022**

The FOG AGM took place on 13<sup>th</sup> October, and it was positive that this could return to a face-to-face meeting. The committee members for the coming year are:

Chair – Mrs Jenny Kelly (child in Y5 and Y6)

Vice Chair – Mrs Michelle Allen (child in Y4)

Treasurer – Mr Ryan Davies (child in Y3)

Secretary – Miss Helen Fleming-Scott (F2)

#### **Christmas Fair 2022**

This year the Christmas Fair will be held on **Friday 2**<sup>nd</sup> **December** with a start time of 3.30pm.

Planning for the fair is in full swing and updates will be posted on the Facebook page over the coming weeks. We want to make this an event to remember for the children and to do this we will need your support. We will be asking for:

- Volunteers to run stalls
- Volunteers to run games stalls
- Christmas baking donations
- Raffle prize donations



Further information on how you can get involved will be shared in the coming weeks – look out for updates!

### **Next FOG Meetings**

The next FOG meeting will take place in school on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November** at 4.30pm.

Meetings are open to all parents - drop us a message via Facebook, or contact the school office, should you wish to be involved.

# **Dates for your diary**

**Non-Uniform Days:** the Christmas Fair relies heavily on your generosity, and we are requesting donations of specific items in exchange for the children enjoying a day in their own clothes.

On **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2022** the children can attend in their own clothes for a donation of sweets to be used as raffle prizes.

On **Friday 25**<sup>th</sup> **November 2022** children can attend in their own clothes for a donation of a bottle (wine, spirits, bubble bath, sauce etc – anything that can be used as a raffle prize).

Donations are of course voluntary, but greatly appreciated, as they are what contribute to the success of fundraising events.

Christmas Disco: it has not been possible to hold a Christmas disco in recent years but good news — this year the disco is back - so dust of your children's dancing shoes!

The Christmas discos will take place on **Thursday 15**<sup>th</sup> **December 2022** (times to be announced) and we are looking forward to seeing the children have fun and burn off lots of Christmas energy! Volunteers will be needed so drop us a message via the Facebook page, or contact the school office, should you wish to help.

**FOG School Lottery:** another great way to raise money for the school, and potentially win a great prize, is via the FOG school lottery! Details can be found at:

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/greanleas-primary-school