

16th June 2026



Dear Parents and Carers,

It is with great sadness that the PTA has made the difficult decision to **cancel** the School Fayre planned for **Friday 19th June**.

Despite our best efforts and the generous offers from parents who volunteered to help with setting up, we have unfortunately not received enough volunteers to safely and effectively run the stalls during the event. Even after exploring options to scale the fayre down, we simply do not have sufficient support to cover the number of stalls required. At present, four parent helpers is not enough to enable the event to go ahead.

We would like to sincerely thank everyone who offered their time and support. Your willingness to help is greatly appreciated.

The PTA exists to support the school by raising valuable funds and organising events that children and families can enjoy throughout the year. However, these events can only take place with the support of volunteers. Even small commitments can make a big difference, for example, helping to run a stall for an hour before swapping with another volunteer who has had time to enjoy the fayre.

While some of our fundraising activities require very little assistance and can largely run themselves, school fayres are volunteer-intensive events that rely heavily on parent and community support. Unfortunately, on this occasion, even with the additional support offered by school staff, we are unable to proceed.

We are extremely sorry to disappoint the children and families who were looking forward to the event, and we share in that disappointment. We hope that by highlighting the importance of volunteer support, we can work together to ensure future events are able to go ahead successfully.

We are currently working with school to have the Tombola go ahead after school. Details of this will be sent out once a date has been arranged.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Kind regards

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