

Friends of Errington AGM Chair report

January 2024 Hannah Gildroy

Thank you for attending The Friends of Errington AGM. On behalf of the children, staff, families and community we thank you for your continued loyal support, commitment and enthusiasm in fundraising to enhance the education and provide opportunities for the children of Errington Primary School.

2023-2024 has been a great year. We have purchased lots of items from the schools wish list and organised so many opportunities for children and their families. There have been several learning curves along the way but on the whole it has been really successful.

We have hosted Bingo, discos, film clubs, tuck shops, refreshments at events, Mothers Day, Fathers Day and Christmas drawings for mugs etc, Coronation tea towel, Fathers Day shop & Elfridges, Wonka & Santa bars, Wine & cheese evening, Quiz at the ship, Break the Rules, 100 club, NERF Party, Uniform event, pocket money shop, summer fayre stalls, Christmas craft night and more.

We've used the money fundraised to purchase our annual insurance, an abundance of DT equipment, stocked the new kitchen areas with catering equipment, Pantomime, Y6 Leavers trip and event, ice pops on sports day, Disco equipment, Disney+, wooden equipment for nursery.

I truly appreciate everyone's support and dedication here at the PTA and the whole school community but I would like to give special thanks to Janette and Dorinda for their continued enthusiasm and support, Mrs Rule for supporting us and being a wonderful head teacher, Mrs Poulter for the never ending trips to the bank and always being on the end of a message and Sharon for carrying us supporting us despite Noah moving on to Bydales.

I look forward to another exciting year ahead with new events to plan to provide our children with new experiences whilst raising vital funds for school.

Best wishes

Hannah