



Bournes Green Infants Friends Newsletter Autumn 2018

Welcome back to the new school year. We hope everyone enjoyed the summer holidays.

We are a friendly group of volunteer parents, who help to raise additional money for our school by holding fundraising events for the children and their families.

We are only able to run these events with the help of parents and we would love for more of you to get involved. You do not need to commit to regular meetings or have lots of spare time. There are many ways you can help, which is all very much appreciated.

We have a Facebook group called "Friends of Bournes Green Infant School", if you haven't already done so please join the group. On this page you will find information on upcoming events,

We hold a meeting at the beginning of each term. Our next meeting is Monday 24th September at 9.00am in Cheeky Monkey's (please sign in at the office and you will be shown where to go). Everyone is welcome, so please come along.

Fundraising Update

Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising events held in the last academic year and helped to make them such a success.

We raised almost **£11,000** from these events, the second hand uniform sales and ticket sales.

These funds were used to purchase, along with other things, a new climbing frame for the playground, NOW PRESS PLAY interactive headphones, reading book gifts for the new reception children, green screening, den building and outdoor learning equipment.

Dates For Your Diary

Christmas Fayre – Friday 7th December 2018

Other ways you can help!

Are you moving house?

Essex Countryside Estate Agents of Thorpe Bay will donate £100 to Bournes Green Infants School upon completion of sale should you use them as your Estate Agent!



Buy Fireworks Tickets

Here!

Bournes Green Infant School will receive £1 For every ticket purchased via this link

www.tickettailor.com/events/southendro

Hair Hair Hair

HNDMD are a local company that make hand made hair accessories and other items that match our school uniform. They will donate 5% of all Bournes Green orders to our School. More information can be found on their Facebook Page - HNDMD






Easyfundraising

This is a free service that can help us to raise additional funds for the school when you shop online. Simply register and use this website to make your online purchases from groceries to holidays and the school will receive donations at no additional cost to yourself.

So please help to support us and register today!



Simply...

-  **1. Join**
Head to [easyfundraising](http://easyfundraising.org.uk), search for us to start raising.
-  **2. Shop**
There are nearly 3,000 retailers on board, so pick the one you want and start shopping.
-  **3. Raise**
After you've made your purchase, the retailer will make a donation to us at no extra cost whatsoever!

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Nearly New Uniform

The Friends of Bournes Green sell second hand uniform, and all proceeds go to the school. There is a price list and ordering service on the Friend's Facebook page, along with various opportunities to buy at events throughout the year. Should you have any good condition uniform that you no longer need, please bring this in to the