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HGSA Fundraising Plan 2022/23

Here's an overview of what we've got planned, the school projects we would like to support and how you can get involved.

DATES FOR THE DIARY!

CERTEMBER	
SEPTEMBER	
MUFTI Day (in return for sweets)	Friday 16 September
Hurst Green Fair	Saturday 17 September
OCTOBER	
Second Hand Uniform Sale	Thursday 6 October
Halloween Disco	Thursday 20 October
NOVEMBER	
MUFTI Day (Children in Need)	Friday 18 November
DECEMBER	
Christmas Jumper Day (Save the Children)	Thursday 8 December
Christmas Shop	Friday 9 December
FEBRUARY	
Valentine's Disco	Thursday 9 February
MARCH	
MUFTI Day (World Book Day)	Thursday 2 March
Mother's Day Shop	Friday 17 March
Sponsored Pancake Flip	Tuesday 21 March

Secondhand Uniform Sale	Date TBC
APRIL	
Easter Egg Hunt	Friday 7 April
MAY	
Sponsored Book-a-thon	May half term (29 May - 2 June)
JUNE	
Father's Day Shop (FUDGE)	Friday 16 June
JULY	
Summer Disco	Thursday 20 July

As well as the above, we are also considering other events, including a Parents' Bingo Night and Pizza Evenings!

What are we fundraising for?

We have two big fundraising projects proposed for 22/23 that we'd really love to try and fund:

School Pond: Having a wildlife pond in our own school grounds would be an incredible resource for current and future children. A pond would tie in to so many areas of the curriculum and would really help boost children's learning in a fun and practical way.

Trim Trail: A path around the school playing field would provide an all-weather surface so children can take part in the daily mile, as well as have access to scooters and bikes to help boost their physical and mental wellbeing. It would make our fantastic outside space much more usable all-year-round.

Our other potential fundraising targets are (depending on money raised):

- Science resources
- Revamp classroom book corners
- Pantomime and end of year Circus Day
- Nursery Listening Post
- Portable oven
- Life Bus
- Hatching Eggs
- Sound system
- To help subsidise school trips and visits throughout the year

How will the HGSA pay for all of this?

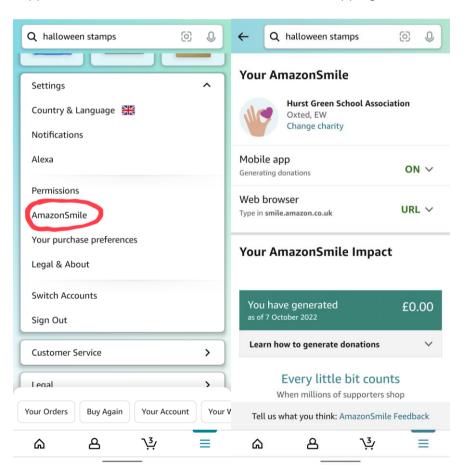
Through a combination of fundraising through our events (as listed above) but also working with local businesses and groups to help with donations and fundraising. This year, we are also going to try and secure grants and funding for the bigger projects like the pond and trim trail. It goes without saying that the help of parents is really invaluable and we value any time and donations you are able to give.

How can I help?

All money raised will go towards your child's education and to help make their school experience the best it can be. Please support the HGSA in any way you can, whether it's helping out at events or by supporting our activities throughout the year.

Other ways you can help are:

AmazonSmile: AmazonSmile is operated by Amazon and features all the same products at the same prices. When you shop on Amazon Smile 0.5% of the cost of eligible products will be donated to our school! Go to settings, select AmazonSmile and add Hurst Green School Association. It's a really easy way to give - please do encourage everyone you know to support Hurst Green School Association when shopping on Amazon!



Gift Aid: Donating through Gift Aid means charities like us can claim an extra 25p for every £1 you give. It will not cost you any extra. Simply fill out a form (attached to this email) and return it to the HGSA/School Office.

Match Funding/Employer Contribution: Did you know that many employers will contribute to charities (the HGSA is a charity) through Employer Contributions and Match Funding? Please ask your company / employer if they take part in this scheme and let the HGSA know if they do.

Contacts: Do you know anyone who could help with any of the above? If so please contact the HGSA. We'd love to hear from you!

How to get in touch with HGSA: Please speak to one of the HGSA Committee Members in the playground or drop us an email at hgsa@hurstgreenschool.org