

PSFA of Ysgol Owen Jones

Dear All,

Welcome back for the Autumn term, apologies for the delay in getting this news letter out to you, due to a newly elected committee things have been a little hectic!!! The new committee members are;

Chair – Rebecca Moore, Vice Chair – Chrisi Lloyd Roberts, Secretary – Viv Blackwell, Treasurer – Rebecca & Chrisi and Staff Representative – Jamie Tennant.

May we take this opportunity to say a big **'THANK YOU'** to Emma & Debbie for all their hard work and efforts and hope that the new committee will be as successful.

The PSFA had a prosperous 12 months last year making a considerable contribution to the 10 I-pads purchased along with many other items. With another busy year ahead we endeavour to continue raising the essential funds needed to purchase more I-pads and trolleys along with drinking fountains for the classrooms.

To achieve this we are putting in place a number of initiatives & events for both Parents and Children, these are;

Easyfundraising.org.uk – this is a very quick & easy way to raise funds for the school! If you shop online all you need to do is go to the easyfundraising website and search for Ysgol Owen Jones, you can then register as a member. Every time you then shop online go into easyfundraising, search for where you want to shop (100's of retailers to chose from) and a percentage of your spend will then be donated to the school.

NEW!!

The Lovely Company – Specialises in beautiful gifts and pretty home accessories. If you are looking for a Christmas, Birthday, wedding or any other gift, with more than 60 items for under £10.00 this web site is a must!! The Lovely Company will donate **5%** of every purchase to the school, we will be receiving flyers directly from them with instructions on how to register – why not have a browse now and get the shopping list ready!!!!

Dates;

Monday 12th November – Meeting at 9.00am to discuss Christmas Fair, everyone welcome!

November 29th - Christmas Shopping Fair 5pm – 7pm (*Lots of new stalls this year, more details to follow*)

December 16th or 22nd – Bag Packing at Tesco Broughton Park - we are awaiting confirmation from the Store Manager for either of these dates, as soon as we have received this we will let you know as we will need as much help as we can get!!!

December 18th – Dress down day - £1.00 per child (this is to replace donations for Christmas hampers and help towards a visit from Father Christmas!!)

In order to maximise contributions would you please put these dates on the calendar and enter them in your diaries, the efforts of everyone is necessary to make this year a success.

Best wishes,

Rebecca, Chrisi & Viv
(On behalf of the PSFA)