



# School Friends

## Spring 2023 Newsletter



### Stikins

Thank you to all those parents who entered our code (35313) into the Stikin website when ordering name labels. We have made £172 in commission.

### Christmas Cards

From the children's brilliant Christmas card designs, we raised £512 in commission! Thank you for all your orders.

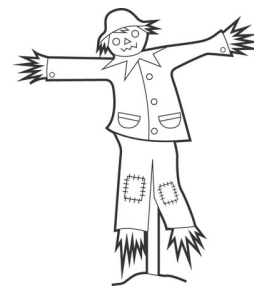


### Disco

The October disco raised an incredible £740!

### Scarecrow Trail

We really hope you got the opportunity to find all the scarecrows that were hidden around Welton. The map sales raised £389!



### Bags2School

Your donations helped us raise £92 - thank you!

### Christmas Shop

Our much-loved annual Christmas Shop raised £177. We hope you enjoyed your surprise on Christmas Day! Thank you to everyone who helped wrap and with the running of the shop on the day.



### Wreath Making & Christmas Carols on the Playground

Thank you to everyone who came along to our first wreath making session. Your donations helped us raise £138 - thank you!

Our refreshment sales at Carols on the Playground made £126.



## Dates for your diary

### **Feb 10th School Friends Coffee Morning 9-10am**

*A chance to meet some of the team and learn more about how we raise funds for Welton St Mary's C.E. Primary Academy. This event is at school.*

### **March Tea Towels**

Children will be drawing their self portraits which will then be printed onto tea towels. These are a lovely keepsake and make wonderful gifts.

### **March 3rd Disco**

6:00 - 7:00pm (Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2)

7:15pm - 8:30pm (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6)

### **March 24th Family Bingo 6.30pm**

### **Wed 26th Apr Bags2School collection**

Your chance to donate any unwanted clothes, shoes and bedding and help raise funds.

### **Fri 23rd Jun Summer Fayre 3.30pm**

### **Fri 14th Jul Disco**

6:00 - 7:00pm (Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2)

7:15pm - 8:30pm (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6)

**If you have any questions about our upcoming events or any fundraising suggestions please do speak to a member of the team or email [WSMschoolfriends@gmail.com](mailto:WSMschoolfriends@gmail.com)**

**We are currently fundraising for a log cabin  
/ outdoor classroom.**

**Please add us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/groups/SFWSMA](http://www.facebook.com/groups/SFWSMA)**



**The School Friends Team are currently made up of 13 volunteers, half of which are year 5 parents who are due to step down from the committee within the next 18 months.**

**To continue to run events that the children and local community thoroughly enjoy we will need new volunteers. We are recruiting now so you can experience a full school year before half of us step away.**

**Without new members, events will be limited.**

**If you would like to be involved, whether it be a few hours at an event or more involved in the decisions, we would love to hear from you.**

**School Friends will be holding a coffee morning at school on Friday, February 10th just after 9am for anyone that would like to chat about volunteering, meet some of the team, or to discuss any of our events.**

**Please do come along and help us raise funds for our school.**

