

As you may or may not be aware all members of the current Friends of Tickford Park Primary School (FOTPPS) are planning to step down at the next AGM in September this year. This will mean that unless parents come forward then the PTA will fold and there will be no additional funds raised for the school, so we are asking once again if there are any parents who will be willing to join the FOTPPS? The roles that will need filling are Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary, Treasurer and Vice Treasurer.

We have had a fantastic time being part of FOTPPS and have really enjoyed organising fun events such as cake sales, discos, film night, Summer and Christmas Fairs and many more. These have raised substantial amounts of money that we have in turn spent on improving and enhancing the children's learning experience at school. In the 2018/19 school year we raised an amazing £7,780 which has contributed towards, library books, class Christmas presents, year 6 leavers party, hoodies and a theatre company experience. We were also really pleased to allocate funds raised by the previous committee to purchase new computers for the ICT suite. Without the FOTPP this money would not have been available and the school and children would have missed out.

In joining the FOTPPS there really are no expectations on what should or should not be done and therefore it means that new members would have the flexibility to do as much or a little as they have time for but hopefully you will all agree that it would be very sad if the school and children lose this beneficial asset.

Finally we would like to thank everyone who has helped us over the past 2 years; sourcing or donating prizes, helped at/attended our events, liked and shared our Facebook posts and gave whatever they could to make our events a success. Thank you also to all the teachers and staff for the time you have given to FOTPPS, without your support we would have been unable to run the events that we did.

The date of the AGM will be posted in September and this is when the new committee will be elected, so if this is something you would like to be involved in then please come along. In the meantime if you have any questions or would like to show your interest then please email us at [fotpps@gmail.com](mailto:fotpps@gmail.com)

Have a fantastic summer everyone.

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