

Chairman – Hannah Strudwick

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Dear Parents & Friends of Cockwood Primary School,

We have sadly had to wave goodbye to our former Chairman, Sally. Sally has graciously given up a lot of her free time to help fundraise for the PFA and we wish her well with her incredibly busy schedule, juggling grandchildren and heading up the Village Hall Committee. Sally has assured us that we will still see her around the village and at school. We are also very grateful that Danielle and Kellie-Jo have agreed to remain on the PFA committee, offering their time to help keep us running like clockwork as they have done for many years.

The PFA would like to thank you all, everyone who has helped support us in fundraising for our Cockwood pupils. So far, this year we have donated substantially towards the development of the school library, swimming lessons for class 1 & 2 as well as school trips and two residentials. We could not fund these fun and exciting experiences for the children without all your support.

We have thoroughly enjoyed holding our various events such as the Valentines Disco, Winter film night, Christmas Wreath making, Village Easter Egg Hunt and a cake sale for the Shanty Festival. We have many more activities in the pipeline to keep you all entertained.

Upcoming Events:

- Cream tea and cake sale for Sports day. We will be in Cockwood Village Hall on Friday 24th May from approximately 12pm until the start of races. You will also be able to collect your pre-ordered sweetie cones from us here.
- Summer Disco at St Mary Hall in Dawlish Warren on Thursday 11th July 2024 from 5-6:30pm.
- Half term walk – Meeting at The Obelisk car park Wednesday 29th May at 10:30am.
- Non-uniform day – 15th July 2024. £1 donation and depending on the weather, we will be doing an ice cream/cake sale after school.
- Sponsored 5km bike ride – sponsorship forms will go home after half term and the 5km bike riding can be completed in your own time at your leisure but some of us will be meeting in Cockwood on Saturday 13th July and riding to Dawlish Warren. Everyone is welcome to join in but children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. We will offer more details after the half term to keep you up to date.

We hope to see many of you at our events in the summer term. We really do hope they sound like a lot of fun and offer a variety of activities so that there is something for every child.

Please don't forget that we now have a Cockwood PFA Facebook page which is a very useful platform for interacting with other Cockwood parents and keeping up to date with events at school.



If you have any fundraising ideas, please do come along to our next meeting on Monday 3rd June 2024 at Cockwood School from 3:35pm. We really do appreciate anything you can offer and if you or a family member are able to offer some time to volunteer at one of our events, we would be incredibly grateful. Please feel free to chat to any one of us at school pick up or email at cockwoodpfa@gmail.com

We would once again, like to thank you all for your continued support.

Warmest of wishes,

Your PFA Committee.