

Friends of St Charles (FOSC)
Newsletter – Spring Term 2018



Welcome to the first edition of the FOSC newsletter, we have decided to produce a termly newsletter to raise the profile of FOSC and hopefully get more parents/carers involved with the rewarding work that we do.

What is FOSC ?

Friends of St Charles (FOSC) is a group of parents and staff who get together to organise fundraising events to raise money for some of the little extras for our children at school. The meetings strengthen the links between home and school and are a useful social function too.

Each meeting we discuss and agree events for the benefit of the children and always welcome any new ideas for raising vital funds.

Benefits for your child(ren):

All monies raised by FOSC goes directly to the children at St Charles, in the past year we have given money towards the new screen in the hall, leavers books, new reading books for the children, the school garden and treats for the school pantomime, Christmas and Easter. We are currently fundraising for a new outdoor trim trail.

Our last event, the Mothers day cake sale raised a brilliant £80.30, thank you for the generous donations of cakes and the money sent in to buy them.

Help needed:

We appreciate that everyday life is incredibly busy but if you are free to come along to the meetings or help out at the events then please do let the school office know,

Our next FOSC meeting will be held on **Wednesday 11th April at 3.30pm**, the meeting will last no longer than an hour and children are welcome to come along, snacks and refreshments will be served.

If you are not able to attend the meetings but would still like to offer your help at events then please do inform the school office:

Upcoming Events for the Summer Term:

Non uniform day – Chocolate donations	Friday 13 th April
Chocolate bingo 3.30pm-5.00pm - HELP NEEDED	Friday 20 th April
Non uniform Day - £1 donation (money for raffle prizes)	Friday 25 th May
Non uniform day – Bottle donations for the Summer Fayre	Friday 8 th June
Father's day Cake sale – HELP NEEDED	Friday 18 th June
Summer Fayre – HELP NEEDED	Friday 22 nd June

Thank you for your continued support and we hope to see some new faces at the next meeting, please follow Friends of St Charles @friendsstcharle for ongoing updates and information



Kind regards,

Friends of St Charles x