

## St Peter's School PSA

## April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

The PSA has been an integral part of St Peter's school life for many years. Without the guidance of the many volunteers who have undertaken key roles in the Committee, it would not have been possible to hold key school events as wide ranging as Summer and Winter Fairs, bake sales, school camp nights, sponsored bounces, fancy dress days, Quiz nights, fundraising Balls and Auctions, amongst many others.

Not only are these events part of the fabric of school life and childhood memories for the children, they also bring in much needed additional funds for the school. We are all aware of the ongoing squeeze on education funding by successive governments, and without this function, the school would not be able to provide as many resources as they do. Over the years, the PSA has raised, with the support of the whole school body, funds to pay for iPads and computers, the activity studio, interactive whiteboards, charging trolleys, playground equipment, educational events such as History off the page, dining room equipment and so on.

The school is growing, and in a few short years it will be double the size, with more demands on funds. There are currently only 3 members of the PSA, and if we are to continue to help St Peter's be the wonderful school it is, we urgently need more volunteers.

There are a number of different roles within the committee and the more people we have, the easier, more fun and more efficient it will be! We would love more people to join as Trustees for key roles, however there are also part-time roles. It is key for the PSA to have new ideas and viewpoints to reflect the growing and changing school body. Time spent on the roles can vary hugely and is always adaptable.

Two current Committee members will be stepping down/moving into support roles at the end of this school year, so until the roles are filled, we will unfortunately be unable to continue supporting the school as we have until now.

Please do have a look at the attached roles, and if you'd like to get more involved in school and community life, please get in touch with us for a chat via your class reps or email us at psa@stpeters.herts.sch.uk

With thanks and best wishes Rebecca, Richard, Ruth