# Gellionnen PTA

# Newsletter - Autumn 2022

### A note from the chair

What a year we have had so far.
Thanks to all the PTA members for all their hard work and dedication.
Thanks to them we have begun to make a real difference to our beloved school.

And boy 'o' boy is there more to come. Thank you to all the parents and children that join in the fun and support our causes.

If anyone wishes to join us please leave your name and number with Mrs Foligno.

Please keep your eye out for any new events and come join the fun. The more fun we have the more our school will benefit.

Rebecca PTA Chair

# Save the date!

### October

14<sup>th</sup> - First 200 club draw 27<sup>th</sup> - Bright Lights Disco 27<sup>th</sup> - PTA AGM

### November

18<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Jumper Swap Shop 26<sup>th</sup> - Race Night

### December

2<sup>nd</sup> - Christmas wreath workshop 3<sup>rd</sup> - Trip to Bath Christmas Market 16<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Fayre

# Why do we have a PTA?

The PTA is a (soon to be) registered charity whose aim is to raise money in a fun and sociable way.

The money is then used to support the school to fund equipment, resources and opportunities for pupils.

Our aims for this year including starting the development of the sensory garden, and giving the school a lick of paint!

### **Events**

Details for each event are sent out in the school newsletter and posted to the YGG Gellionnen Parents Facebook page.

So keep your eyes peeled!

# New members

# Would you like to join our PTA?

Currently we are a small (but keen) group of parents and we would love to welcome some new members.

Some of us have time to spare, some have good ideas, some offer encouragement and enthusiasm.

Whatever you have to offer would be greatly appreciated.

You don't have to be a supermum or a superdad to join us. We are very flexible and there is no obligation to attend every meeting or event - we all have other commitments too. We mostly chat and arrange things whilst waiting outside the school gates or via WhatsApp! ©

# Fundraising last year

Uniform swap £104 End of year concert £246

Disco and cinema £100

Selection boxes £207 Total raised
£630

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Towards food for Ystradgynlais camp £40

Towards the minibus £1500 Year 6 leavers t-shirts £79

# 200 Club winners

Next draw 15<sup>th</sup> of November
You have to be in it to win it!

For more information email gellionnenpta200club@gmail.com

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