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Dear families,

Re: PAWHS Events Spring Term

We are thrilled to announce further PAWHS (Pals At William Harding School) events for the spring term. These events are run to help raise funds for us to purchase additional resources for the pupils. We are buying playground equipment for the children with the proceeds from last term's events. Please see below our list of upcoming events:

Coronation merchandise – A separate letter will be coming out shortly. Pupils will design a coronation image which can be put on to coronation souvenirs. Parents will then have the opportunity to order the design on a tea towel or cushion or other items as a memento of this once in a lifetime occasion.

Movie nights – KS1 Tuesday 14th March / KS2 Tuesday 21st March

We will be running two movie nights in the spring term, one for each key stage. The KS1 night will be Tuesday 14th March and KS2 will be Tuesday 21st March. We are offering the children the opportunity to stay after school in the Key Stage 2 Hall and enjoy a film. The ticket covers the cost of a bag of popcorn and a drink. Collection will be from the KS2 hall at 5:30. Tickets cost £3.50 and can be purchased through the School Gateway. To adhere to Health and Safety regulations, there will only be 220 places available on each occasion. KS1 will be watching 'Minions: The Rise of Gru'. KS2 will be watching 'Sonic the Hedgehog'.

PAWHS Easter Crafts Afternoon – 31st March

To enjoy the last day of term, each class will have an Easter Crafts Afternoon where the children will be taking part in a fun Art or DT themed craft activity that they will be able to bring home at the end of the day. Parents are welcome to join their children to do the crafts. Parents need to arrive at the main entrance at 2pm.

Parents will be unable to collect multiple children together for this event as classes will be doing different activities and need different resources. However, parents can visit multiple rooms to see multiple children.

Parents can take their children with them at the end of the day rather than collect at the gate once they have signed out with the class teacher. We would also ask for a voluntary donation for the craft activities.

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We will be selling refreshments at this event. We are planning to get a card machine; however we may not have it set up in time for the earlier events so please bring some cash just in case.

Refreshments at all events – We will be selling refreshments at all parent events this term including Come and Read, class assemblies, SATs meetings and the Easter Craft Afternoon. We are planning to get a card machine, however we may not have it set up in time for the earlier events so please bring some cash just in case.

Discos – 3rd March

We will be running discos during the spring term. We know it is difficult for some families to get back over to the school if discos are after the end of the day so we are trialling discos during the day instead. The discos will be in the main hall.

Reception	9:00 – 9:30
Y1 and 2	9:35 – 10:20
Y3 and 4	10:20 – 11:20
Y5 and 6	2:00 - 3:15

Tickets cost £2 and can be purchased through the School Gateway. You will be able to purchase tickets from 20th February.

Children do not have to attend the disco – we know that some may not want to. Those pupils who do not wish to attend the disco will be in their classrooms doing an activity.

Reception pupils should arrive in disco clothes and change back afterwards into school uniform.

Years 1-4 pupils should come to school in uniform. They can change into disco clothes and will change back into uniform.

Year 5 and 6 pupils should come into school in uniform and can change into disco clothes. They will not get changed back into uniform at the end of the day.

Pupils will be able to get a drink during the disco and will be given a small packet of sweets to take home as well. This is included in the price of the ticket; the children do not need to bring in any money.

Pennies in a coke bottle – From the 21st February to 31st March we will be collecting 1ps and 5ps in 2l drinks bottles. Children bring in the money to their classroom – each class has their own bottle. There will be a prize for the class that raises the most money through these donations. The prize will be revealed at the end of the term.

Kind regards

Mrs Skinner

Inclusion, Pastoral and Safeguarding Lead

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