



PTA Newsletter – June 2016

****The SUMMER FETE is on SATURDAY 9TH JULY****



THE THEME IS **'RIO'** – *COLOURFUL, CARNIVAL, SPORTY AND FUN!*

Saturday 9th July

St Peter's School

**Gates open at
2pm**



**Entrance free for
children and
50p/adult**

**Finish around
5pm**

*Great news, **Brass Fusion** is back again to provide musical entertainment*

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A Fete is not a Fete.... without **Class Stalls** ..Prize for **Best Dressed Class Stall!**



Please Sign up to Help Your Child on their Class Stall, Thanks.

There's a fantastic selection of **games** and **crafts** for everyone:

**Hook-a-Duck, Tombolas, Sweets-in-a-cup, Jazzy Jars, Lucky Shells, Nerf Gun
Olympic Hoops, Face-painting, Coloured Hair Spray, Beat-the-Goalie,
Teacher-in-the-Stocks, Higher-Lower, Pringle Challenge, Carnival Mask
Making, Sand Art, Bead Creations, Books and Toys and Second Hand
Uniform and more!**

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In the **central arena**, **demonstrations** and **competitions** galore including:
**Karate and Dance demos, Hula Hooping, Limbo, Obstacle Course and Most
Creative Carnival Mask competitions**

Special guest appearance by our very own

'Os Carrinhos de Mão Vermelhos'!



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Other Attractions include:

**Pony Rides, Bouncy Castles, Sumo Wrestling, Bungee Run, Bouncy Boxing,
Plant Stall, Welly Wanging, Fire Engine, Basket Ball Hoop Challenge, HLC
Challenge!**

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Refreshments, some with Brazilian inspiration, maybe!
**BBQ, Food Hall for soft drinks, Ts and Cs, Cakes, Smoothies and Snacks,
'Beer Tent', Ice-creams, Candy Floss and Popcorn**

Top Raffle Prize £100 cash

plus other cash prizes and donated prizes from local businesses and
attractions.

Tickets in bookbags this week, check drawer in class just in case!

Request for Donations for the Stalls	<p>To help make the fete a success and profitable we ask for donations from all children and their families:</p> <p>We need bottles – wine, soft drinks, bubble bath etc, spare gifts, chocolates, and other items for the tombola, pre-loved and clean soft toys for the soft toy tombola, other toys, party-bag toys, books, DVDs, CDs, second hand school uniform and Cakes, bags of sweets. We will also be requesting Jazzy Jars filled with small toys and other items and Sweets-in-a-Cup (Full of Beans coffee cups to be distributed in the next week or so) so please start collecting wrapped sweets, jars and small toys. Keep a look out for flyers in book bags for further details and collection dates.</p>
Dates for Donations	<p>As a guide we would like Jazzy Jars, Sweets in a Cup and Plants donations in on Friday 8th July. All other donations gratefully received in the two week run up to the Fete, from Monday 27th June to Friday 8th July. Thank You.</p>
Helping on a Class Stall	<p>Each class runs a stall. This involves parents, children and teachers coming together to support the Class Rep who may be asking them to sign up to a rota for the day of the Fete. It's only 20-30 minutes of your time so please give it freely, especially if you are going to be at the Fete anyway. Children really do enjoy helping on their stall, they learn people skills and it's fun! Your Class Rep will tell you what's involved and for those classes without a Rep then the Class Teacher will be making contact with you about the Class Stall. There's a prize for best dressed Class Stall to share amongst the children!!</p> <p>As you can see from overleaf there are additional attractions that may need your help too, particularly if you are not helping on a Class Stall. So, if you are approached to lend a hand with things such as setting up in the morning, pulling-pints or pouring Pimms at the bar, helping out with Teas, Coffees and Cakes, Candy Floss, Popcorn or grilling on the BBQ, helping pack up at the end please try and be there if you can. I can't emphasis it enough.....many hands.....</p>
PTA Fundraising	<p>Just to reiterate, you can now make on-line donations to the PTA to be spent on the Wish List. It's quick, it's easy and convenient and means that if you are unable to come along and support an event in the run up or on the day you can still make a contribution to the cause. Presently our on-line facility is focused on raising funds to upgrade essential IT equipment for all children – Lenovo Laptops for each class. Please visit https://stpetersptawishlist.wordpress.com/ to find out more and to make donations. There is also a link on the front page of the school website.</p> <p>We have Sports Day on 1st July and hope to provide you with delicious Bacon Butties for your breakfast along with Teas and Coffees, soft drinks and other snacks and 2nd hand uniform.</p> <p>All our events are on Facebook so please take a look to keep informed of what's going on.</p>
Recent Purchases on Wish List	<p>CD players for each class, physical outside play resources for YR, Maths equipment for Year 1, construction equipment (lego for each class in Key stage 2), Glazes and clay for the school, and 6 Ipads for use in classes.</p>
Next Year's PTA Committee - Changes	<p>In order for the PTA to continue next year we will need a new Chairperson at the next AGM in September. No dramas, just a change in circumstances. Although we have managed this year without these posts ideally it would be beneficial to have a Secretary and a Vice-Chair too. Please contact the current chair, Caitlin King, or Treasurer, Tim Furber, directly or through the office for further details or speak to any committee member.</p>

Thank You for Your Continued Support,



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