



## Thank You!

Sorry our thank you shout out is a bit late this time round, however we would like to say a big thank you for all your continued support.

### Movie Night

Thank you to all those who came along to watch Incredible 2. Apologies for the running over time. You helped the PTA raise **£242.62**

### Children in Need

Thank you to all the cake makers and buyers for the CIN Cake tuck shop we made £101 to send on to them.

### Comic Relief

Thank you cake bakers and buyers you helped raise **£154.76**

### Winter Discos

Two busy winter discos, thank you to all those that came along to help and the children for bopping the night away you helped raise **£847.65**

### 100/50 Square

This new fundraising idea went down well, thank you for helping us raise £150 towards the new library. The lucky winners were Gemma Wright for the 100 and Evie Morris for the 50.

### Christmas Fayre

Thank you to all of you that volunteered to help at the Fayre. It did seem a bit quite on the foot fall this year so any top tips on how we could change this please let us know? For those of you that made it big thanks we love seeing the children play the games and visit the best Father Christmas in Baston. With your help we made **£810.10**.

### Christmas Raffle

Thank you to those parents that donated a prize to the raffle and to you all for buying the tickets and selling them to friends and family. We made **£690.02**.

### Christmas Cards

We are booking in early for next year to avoid any last minute panics with the cards arriving late. Thank you to you all for your patients and for ordering this year, you helped raise **£240.87**.

### Christmas 'Elfridges' Gift Stall

We love doing this event and seeing the children come in to choose you a little something. We have had to put our prices up now to £2.50 as it is getting harder to procure items we can make a profit on. The stall was very busy and we made **£438.46** thank you!

### Refreshments at Nativity and Christingle

Thank you for buying a cuppa at these events we made **£87.60**

### Church Christmas Tree

Thank you to all the children for providing decorations for the Tree—did you guess our theme correctly—We three kings travelling on a bus bearing books as gifts! Big thanks to Tallington farm for a beautiful tree and to the Campbell family for taking it down for us at New year.

### Party Day

The children were so good, collecting the food and sitting watching Jason Fenn perform the magic shows. There is always much excitement too when Father Christmas comes along to each class with a little treat for them all.

Phew, I think that is everything! All the money raised last term has helped us increase the PTA spend available for the new library bus so Thank you!

### PTA Dates for The Diary

#### Easter Services KS1 and KS2

The PTA will be selling hot drinks before the services at school and the church so don't forget to bring some change.

#### Cake Raffle

Friday 26th April  
Friday 24th May  
Friday 28th June  
Friday 12th July

#### Disco

**Thursday 16th May**  
Reception to Year 3  
1745hrs till 1845hrs  
Year 4 to Year 6  
1900hrs till 2000hrs

#### Fathers Day Gift Stall Friday 14th June

During school time.

#### Pamper Night

Thursday 6th June  
Evening—Details to follow

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## *What's Coming Up*

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### **Thursday 16th May 2019**

R—YR3 1745HRS till 1845hrs

Y4—Y6 1900HRS till 2000hrs

£2.00 Entrance fee payable on the door.

Don't forget some pocket money in a named purse for sweet treats, finger lights and tattoos.

A few other events we are also working on include

Pamper Night Thursday 6th June to be held in the evening at school

The grand opening of the New School Library this will coincide with the PTA Summer Fayre to be held on a Saturday so friends, family and the local community can come and look around the new library.

Fathers Day Gift Stall—Friday 14th June 2019

Watch this space, emails, posters and social media for updates on these events.

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## *PTA ongoing throughout the year Fundraising*

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### **Cake Raffle**

Thank you Ben Clark, Christina Pitchford and Gemma Wright for December, January and February fabulous cakes. Our total raised to date is **£202.68**. The next cake raffle will take place on Friday 29th March so don't forget those 20ps.

### **Tuck Shop**

Thank you Clare for organising us all with Tuck shop and trying to look into any changes we may be able to make. The new reusable cups have been a great success. So far this school year Tuck Shop has made **£246.13**

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## *Library Bus Update*

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We have jumped into 2019 at full speed regards the Library bus with the hopes to have it set up at school by early

summer. Funding donations have come in from:

Baston Event £6000.00

PMK Recycling £500.00

BGL Group £1000.00

Baston Parish Council £1500

Crowd Funding £705

Warburtons £250

Allchurches Trust £1500

Ballast Phoenix £400

Baston School House Fund £1000

Rotary Club Deeping £360

Porcher Abrasive Coatings Ltd. £250

Corvin Fox £75

BMK Supplies £520

SKDC £2000

The PTA have been able to commit £9000.00 now towards the project thanks to all the fundraising events this year so far.

To date with have raised just over £29000.00!



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## ***Library Bus Update Continued***

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Thank you to the White Horse for not only donating a £1 from every children's meal sold in February but for also hosting a quiz night fundraiser hosted by Richard Hughes for the bus. It was lovely to meet so many of our village community so keen to help us with the library bus fundraising.

Thanks also go to the amazing children at school for their contribution to the new library, they managed to raise via friends and families just over £2000.00 with their different ways of reading, via books, comics or reading eggs.

We loved the bedtime stories celebration evening with the children to say thank you for all their efforts.

We would also like to say thank you for the material donations that have come in for the bus from MQP

Brewers Decorator Centre

E leather

Martyn Industrials

Sophie Allport

Hire station Peterborough

Hilton Transport

ATS Group

A big one for the project is the donation of what is so precious to us all, time!

Thank you to all those below for your help and time...

Antony Squires

Emily Jellis—Lynch

Lucy Hartley

Gemma Wright

Alison Firth

Jordan Hayes

Gary Manna

Jenny Goodridge

Kirsty Sweeney

Jonathan and Dale from Pearce Carpentry and Joinery

Adam Thomas

Trevor Lyons

Simon Wright

AJ from AJ's Glass and Glazing

Andy from Prographics

Amanda Goodbun and Gregg for the outside design

Dale from Richardson Farm

Jonathan Harvey Upholstery



Our biggest thanks though goes to Jo-anne Richardson for allowing us to complete the renovations undercover at the barn, without this we would have been really stuck.

We estimate the cost of the project to be around £30k mark so we are not far off now, however we also hope to fill the bus with exciting new reads. So we will continue to press on with our fundraising efforts to do this.

We are in Tesco stores in Market Deeping, Werrington, Dogsthorpe and Peterborough Chadbrn Express and

Stamford Express stores with the Bags of Help Grant scheme, so don't forget to pop your tokens in the slot until 30th April 2019. If we win we hope to raise £4000.00, so get voting!

If you have not seen the latest bus pictures then please check out our Facebook page @BastonPTALibraryBus for all the latest updates.