



**Dussindale Primary School Parent Teacher & Friends Association**  
Registered Charity No: 1140469



**AUTUMN NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2016**

Chair – Sarah Walton

Secretary – TBC

Treasurer – Helen Bailey

Welcome back after what I hope has been a relaxing and enjoyable summer break!

And so a new school year begins! Old faces have left and new faces have joined, and the PTFA start kicking off their events for the year. Before the Christmas break, we hope you and your children will have taken part in, and enjoyed, Quiz & Chips, a charity coffee afternoon, Secret Santa, school disco and a new Christmas event (details to be confirmed...)

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for supporting the events that have taken place in my first year as Chair, and I'm looking forward to seeing what the new school year will bring!



**QUIZ &  
CHIPS**

Last year for our awesome quiz night, we decided to mix it up and try Quiz & Curry – it was a successful evening but feedback that we were given showed that parents preferred the take away chip option... and so this year we're going back to basics and holding Quiz & Chips – an evening when you bring your own drinks (alcohol allowed), condiments and cutlery and we provide take away from the local chippy & a fun quiz evening... more details to follow!!!



**AGM  
MEETING**

The AGM meeting this year is to be held before our first PTFA meeting on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September in the school hall at 3:30pm – the AGM is open to all parents and it covers our last year of fundraising. Children are welcome – we'll try to make it as quick as possible so they don't get too restless!

**MACMILLAN COFFEE  
AFTERNOON & SECOND HAND  
UNIFORM SALE**

This year will be held in the hall on **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September** from 3pm until after school pick up – there will be hot drinks and a selection of cakes to choose from. There aren't any prices but all we ask for is donations for Macmillan Cancer Support, whatever you can afford.



**DATES FOR DIARY**

Important dates for your diary....

- Macmillan Coffee Afternoon – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September 3pm
- Quiz & Chips – Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October
- Secret Santa – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December
- School Disco & Reception Party - Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December
- Christmas Event - TBC