

# PTFA News

**Firstly, and most importantly, a big thank YOU to everyone who has supported the PTFA this year.**

All our events have been fun and inclusive, with some old favourites as well as a handful of new starters. If you have an idea for a fundraiser or socialiser, please do get in touch as we would love to hear from you!

## **Norley Show**

The Norley Village Garden Show is to be held on Saturday 1st September from 2pm until 5pm, at the Tiger's head. We are planning on having a nearly new toys stall as well as a game of throw the wet sponge at the parent... any volunteers willing to help out during a portion of the day please contact Kelly White! Can we ask that anyone having a summer sort out of toys and books please think of donating them to us for the stall, again contact Kelly White to arrange drop-off near the date. As this event is before return to school please keep your ears and eyes peeled on facebook for updates.

## **Welcome Picnic**

Starting primary school can be challenging both for the children but perhaps more so for parents. We are hosting our first ever Welcome picnic for new starters on Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup> (time to be confirmed, likely 11am). This will be a nature walk in Delamere Forest with picnic at lunch time. The route will not be overly challenging so that our reception children do not feel too stretched. All families from the school are invited to get to know our new starters and their families. This is a great opportunity to demonstrate what a happy and friendly school and community we are. No charge for this event, but bring your own picnic!

## **Norley Treasure Hunt**

The treasure hunt continues to run until August 14<sup>th</sup>, starting from Tangtree, School Lane, Norley WA6 6PB. All information and entry forms are available at Tangtree 24 hours a day in a purple box. The hunt is donation-driven, suggested donation is £2 per person. Now that the weather is slightly less energy-sapping these cooler evenings are perfect! The hunt takes about 3 hours and can be completed in little sections, so long as the entry form is back by August 14<sup>th</sup> you're entered!

## **Norley PTFA Committee**

Every year the committee is required to gain support from members and must be re-elected. For 2018-2019 the committee would like to continue in their roles, however we are required by law to allow any interested parties a fair chance at election. Therefore should you wish to run for Chair, Secretary or Treasurer, please send your expression of interest to [norleyschoolparents@outlook.com](mailto:norleyschoolparents@outlook.com) and we can provide you with details. The vote will take place at the PTFA AGM.

## **Charity Photo Competition**

Norley and the surrounding area is (in our opinion) one of the most amazingly beautiful rural locations in the UK. To celebrate this, we would like to run a digital photo competition. Please see the additional letter for details.

## **A final word**

The committee would like to wish all the year six leavers the very best in their new adventures in high school. You are all amazing young people and we have no doubt that you will go on to do great things!

To the teachers, thank you all again for another year of excellence in education and dedication to our loved ones.

To all, **ENJOY THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS!**

With best wishes – Cally Littler, Kelly White and Laura Baglole

## **Save The Date**

Some all-important PTFA dates for your diaries:

**Saturday 1st September, Tiger's Head, Norley: Norley Garden Show**

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> September, Whitefield Car Park, Delamere Forest: Welcome Picnic**

**Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September, Norley School Hall, 7pm: PTFA AGM and autumn term meeting.**

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October, Norley School Hall: Spooky Disco**

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November, Norley School Hall: Second Annual PTFA Quiz**