

June 2020

The Priory Association

Hello!

I trust you're safe and well. Crazy times.

As the PTA for the Priory LSST we have had fantastic support over recent years, supporting extra-curricular activities through our fundraising from bar sales, lotteries, tickets and raffles. This has been used to help a wide range of activities within the school – but we anticipate there being even greater need for assistance once school returns to something like normality.

Where we previously provided funds for shared equipment, we may need in future to make sure there's enough for all involved. When we've been asked to help with transportation, we may need more vehicles to maintain social distancing. And where we've paid for experts to visit and speak to large groups of children, we may need to have them visit multiple times so that groups can be smaller and more widely dispersed in a room.

We are, as always, incredibly grateful to all the parents who support us through organizing, helping on stalls and turning up to our events. In 20/21 academic year we will continue to support the school – although all meetings will be virtual and take place using video conferencing. We have 7 meetings planned for the year, each of which will take place on a Monday evening starting at 7.15pm and will last no more than 1 hour. Nobody is expected to turn-up to all meetings, and if you can just manage one that's fine. We'd really welcome all attendees.

Dates for 20/21

- 21st September 2020
- 5th October 2020 (also AGM)
- 2nd November 2020
- 11th January 2021
- 8th March 2021
- 26th April 2021
- 7th June 2021

Here is the link to the meeting

Join with Google Meet on 21st September from 19:15-20:15 (meeting will open 10 minutes before):

<https://meet.google.com/nnn-mwjn-zer>

All parents, carers and immediate relatives of LSST pupils are welcome to attend. If you would like to be added to the invitations please just email chris@cjbain.com.

We're also looking for people to apply for office roles of Chair, Treasurer, Secretary and Deputy, as well as people to devise and lead on fund-raising initiative projects.

Many thanks,

Chris Bain

Chair

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