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To all Parents and Carers

Dear All

The Priory Association (PTA) – Appeal for new members

The Priory Association is the Parent-Teacher Association of the Priory Academy LSST. We work with parents, teachers and students in social events at the Academy, and raise money for extra-curricular activities.

In 2017/18 we had a record-breaking year for fund-raising – culminating in our inaugural Summer Ball at the Hilton in July (to be repeated next July). We had a blast – and along the way found support, donations and sponsorships from a wide range of local people and businesses. This year we have even bigger plans and we're going to have a lot of fun as we go.

The work that we do has contributed a huge amount to academy life, and has benefited many hundreds of students – likely including your own children. We have always relied on a small group of willing volunteers, but over recent years several members have left as their children have grown up, to the point where it's not unusual for there to be fewer than five people involved at any time.

I'd like to ask for your support. Please, if you can, find the time to come along and learn a bit more about what we do. Pick one event during the year to get involved with, or come up with your own ideas and pitch them to us – we'd love to support you! Feel free to bring a friend or relative.

Our meeting dates for this academic year are below. Put them in your diary, write them on your calendar, create a reminder for yourself in Outlook or Facebook. There is no obligation to come along to all meetings, all events, or contribute to all plans (unless you want to) – we'd simply appreciate your occasional input.

- 15th October 2018 – AGM and October meeting
- 5th November 2018 – November meeting, final plan for quiz night
- 21st January 2019 – January meeting, planning school musical production
- 11th March 2019 – March meeting, summer activity planning
- 29th April 2019 – April meeting, finalising Summer Ball plans
- 3rd June 2019 – June meeting, finalising summer fundraising

All meetings are held in room L15, opposite the Old Hall, at 7.15pm.

Please remember, the things we do benefit your child directly.

If you have any questions please feel free to call or email me.

Yours faithfully

Chris Bain

Chair
The Priory Association