

CALOW CHURCH OF ENGLAND (VC) PRIMARY SCHOOL
Parents, Teachers and Friends Association
NEWSLETTER – March 2015

What is the PTFA?

A charity made up of a group of parents, staff and friends of Calow Primary School who get together to support the School. We arrange fun events for the children e.g. Easter disco, raise funds via organising school fairs or bingo nights, etc. and use the monies raised to fund additional equipment in school or to subsidise educational visits. Please come and join us on 22nd April 2015 at 7pm in the school hall, new members are always welcome.

EASTER DISCO – Friday 27th March 2015 (School Hall)

Children are invited to come along to the school disco and enjoy dancing and games. You are reminded that all children attending the Key Stage 1 disco must be accompanied by an adult. Key Stage 2 children are required to be dropped off and picked up by an adult at the main school entrance.



KS1 (nursery to year 2) 4.30pm – 5.45pm

KS2 (years 3 to 6) 6.00pm – 7.30pm

Admission £1.50

Tuck shop available plus an Easter egg raffle.

SCHOOL CALENDARS - A great gift for a loved one!

The calendar will have your child's photograph on and be for the academic year (2015-2016). Each month has its own page with space to diarise notes, alongside pre-inserted important school events e.g. term and holiday dates, class assemblies, parent consultation dates, church events, etc. Local businesses are able to advertise on the calendar for the whole academic year for a small fee (if you know anyone who would wish to do so, please let us know via school reception). The cost per calendar will be £6.00 and we will need to take orders in advance. A separate letter is to follow shortly with further details.



NON-UNIFORM DAY – Friday 05th June 2015

All pupils are invited to attend school in their choice of clothes. In return, the PTFA ask that parents donate something for the school summer fair, this might be something for the tombola stalls (adult or child tombola stall, e.g. books, unwanted gifts, chocolate, wine, etc.). Please give donations to the class teacher at the start of the day.

SUMMER FAIR – Saturday 13th June 2015 (2-4pm) at Calow Primary School



This year the summer fair will be opened by the High Sheriff of Derbyshire and music will be provided by the Hallamshire Military Concert Band. There will be a variety of stalls, entertainment, refreshments, etc. and the event will be outdoors on school premises, weather permitting. All funds raised will benefit the school and its pupils. As well as donations of goods to sell at the summer fair, volunteers are always needed and more than welcome – please see a member of the PTFA or the school secretary for details of how you can help out. Look out for future updates

regarding this upcoming event.

FUTURE EVENT – BINGO NIGHT

Back by popular demand is Bingo Night, a fun evening for the whole family. Look out for further information regarding this event which will take place during the summer term.

Above are just some of the activities that the PTFA are involved with, please come and join us to make these and future events a huge success too.

We look forward to seeing you at the next PTFA meeting on Wednesday 22nd April 2015 at 7pm.