



FRIENDS OF NORTH DOWNS (FONDS) WELCOMES YOU

WHO ARE FONDS?

The PTA (Parent Teacher Association) is an open community of volunteers, working alongside the school/teachers and other 'friends' to benefit the school. Our fundraising efforts enhance the education and experience of all the students at the school and will continue to do so with your much-needed support.

WHAT DO FONDS DO?

Fonds is in place to support the school and make sure that all our children have the best possible experience during their time at North Downs. FONDS is not just about raising money however, it is about becoming part of the school community and feeling involved which to us it just as important.

FONDS runs various events throughout the year to raise the money needed. We try to organise things for not just the children but parents/carers as well.

Recent fundraising events have included:

- Christmas Online Raffle
- Personalised Christmas Cards & Gifts
- Sponsored Reindeer Run
- Bags to School
- New Online Uniform Exchange Site
- Books 4 Books Sales
- Teas on the Green
- Family Bingo

We are absolutely over the moon that in the last two years we have raised over £18,000 for the school.

PLEASE JOIN US.....

Fonds Fest will be on Saturday 21st June between 12-4pm and we would love you to join us. It will be held at the school fields in Brockham and it will include entertainment stalls, bouncy castle, second hand uniform sale, bar and bbq.... lots of fun for the whole family and a great way to start your child's North Downs journey.

GET INVOLVED WITH FONDS?

We believe that many hands make light work and we really do need your support! We understand that everyone is busy; however would love you to join our fundraising fun! There are so many ways you can get involved; perhaps you would like to be part of the committee, act as a class rep, or have a special skill (carpentry, design, communication, gardening, computer, anything!) you could bring to the table! We love hearing new ideas and welcoming new members. FONDS is a great way to meet other parents and have fun at the same time.

If you would like to find out more or are keen to get involved, please drop us an email: fonds@northdowns.surrey.sch.uk

In the meantime, we would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and your little ones to North Downs Primary School and look forward to meeting you.

Best Wishes

Kate Glanville (Chair), Dan Fisher (Treasurer) and all the team at FONDS