

Cleves School PTA

Working to raise funds for Cleves School

As we approach the end of term, we'd like to reflect on a number of successful events and thank the key people who made them happen. In October Amy Scott and Adele Ogilvie organised a quiz night which raised over **£1000** for the school. More importantly, it gave parents a wonderful opportunity to socialise and get to know each other better. Just last week, and with the help of Emily Stratton, Amy and Adele gave parents and staff another opportunity to come together at their hugely popular wreath making evening. Again, the event raised over **£1000** and was enjoyed by all.



Thank You!

October also saw the much loved Spooky Discos, seamlessly run by Jess Forster and Robyn McCallum. The children had a blast, and the 4 discos raised around **£2500**.

We kicked off November with another successful fireworks night. We had a lot of feedback that it was the best one yet, despite the wind forcing us to move the firing location at the eleventh hour. We knew we probably wouldn't raise as much money as last year as we were competing with a number of local displays, and all costs had increased. We chose to keep ticket prices the same and were delighted to still raise over **£17500**.

Finally, we want to say a massive thank you to Mel Bradley and Trilby Fox-Rumley who pulled off a brilliant Christmas Fair. The fair and the raffle combined raised over **£4800** but again, while the money is important, it's about more than that. These events really bring the school community together, and without the amazing people who step forward, they simply wouldn't happen.

To have raised over **£26000** at this point in the school year is incredible, and at a time where additional school funds have never been needed more.

A huge thank you to everyone who has helped in any way; we really hope to see lots more people volunteering in 2025. The first PTA meeting of the year will be towards the end of January so please keep an eye out for the date.

Wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas,

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