

# Who are the HTSA?

#### **Quite simply- it's you!**

All parents and guardians of children at the school are automatically members of the HTSA. Our purpose is to benefit the children of the school through a variety of fundraising activities involving both the school staff and the parents.

# How can you help?

We all have something to offer the HTSA, whatever our skills or available time. Although we'd love more active members in our core meetings, we appreciate it's not for everyone. However, there are many other ways you can help...

**HTSA meetings...** The HTSA has an official meeting once a month, either in person at a local establishment or via zoom.



**Sub-groups...** Subgroups are created to organise a particular event or initiative, and are headed up by different people. Sub-groups meet to bounce ideas, organise and deliver an event/initiative. If you are interested in helping out with an event let your class rep know and we can get you added. It maybe that you're the ideas person, the practical person, the creative, the social media guru or an organiser; whoever you are, you'll be of help!





#### Happy to help out on the day...

To run our events we always need help on the day, even if its just running a stall for an hour, setting up, or packing away. An ask out will be made on the run up to an event via your class reps, so please let them know if you're able to help.

#### Attend our events...

If you're unable to help deliver an event, please try to come along to support us on the day and encourage friends and family to come along too.



**Second hand uniform...** our second hand uniform stalls are a win! win! Not only do you get bargain uniform for £1, but you're also helping the school

The second hand uniform shop is located in the HTSA shed on the playground. It is open once every 2 months from 3.15 pm to 3.30 pm, but the HTSA team are happy to take orders in between opening times.



If you have any uniform requests, please e-mail them to school@htp.tamat.org.uk (subject: HTSA Uniform Shop). Please make sure you state your child's name and year group/class, what you need and the size you would like. All items for sale in the shop are £1 each.



#### Weekly lottery...

Tickets cost just £1 per week, and the more entries we have the bigger the weekly guaranteed prize. There is also a chance to win the big national cash prize of £25,000. Also, once every half term there is a special prize draw. It's easy to sign up and most of the money comes straight to the school, helping us to support the school even more. Just visit:



#### www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/holytrinity-cofe-primary-school

**Party pack hire...** planning a party or picnic?! The HTSA has a reusable party pack for hire! This eco-initiative cuts down on waste and helps make money for the school.

The rental fee is £5 plus a £5 deposit and contains:

- 30 cups
- 30 plates
- 30 bowls
- 3 juice jugs
- 3 platters



To hire the party pack contact Verity Wasserberg on 07794 436195. Please return washed and ready for the next person.

**Amazon smile...** Holy Trinity School Association is an Amazon Smile charity! If you would like to support HTSA whilst you shop, please visit

https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/278625-0 to set us as your smile charity.
It won't cost you anything extra on top of your normal purchase, and it's a great way to support the school. Amazon will donate a small amount with every eligible purchase.
To donate, register HTSA as your chosen charity and always start at smile.amazon.co.uk. If you usually shop on your mobile, please search Amazon Smile in the Amazon app to activate smile - it's not automatic.





#### Check you companies charitable schemes...

Many companies throughout the UK offer employees the chance to boost their fundraising efforts by 'matching' the money they raise. Usually, a company pledges to match a sum of money relating to the amount the employee has either raised or donated to a charity. So please check your company benefits and see if you're eligible.

#### By making purchases

Throughout the year there are many initiatives to help raise money. So please support us by purchasing Christmas cards and gifts with you children's design, Christmas hampers, cakes donuts and ice pops.



#### Let us know your ideas

If you have any ideas or initiatives to help our HTSA raise money for the school that we have not mentioned here, please let us know either by attending one of our HTSA meetings or by emailing us. We're always welcoming new ideas.





## **How much** have we raised?

#### Over the last 5 years the HTSA has raised an amazing: £77,730

#### Thank you to all who have supported us the past few years!

Annual breakdown of money raised over the past 5 years: 22/23 - £19,700 19/20-£21,080

21/22 - £14,670 20/21 - £10,880 18/19 - £11,400



## How have we helped the school?

The big ones... **EY1 playground EY2 playground** 

EY1 playground markings EY2 playground markings- £35,000 Obstacle course New IPADs for the classrooms Maths resources- £1,620.05 Giant touchscreen for ICT suite- £2,431 Books for library- £2,035.28 Overhead Projectors and Screens- £930 Contribution to Refurbishment of Toilets- £5,000 New Buildings- £19,000

Covid/Cleaning stuff Books Cornerstones scheme- £5,155 New Inspire maths scheme- £7,388.37 New Playhouse- £800 New PE Shed- £1,200 Reception Playground- £12,000 Stationery Outdoor Education Facilities- £17,000 End of year gifts for the children





### Who's who?

Although all parents and guardians of children at the school are automatically members of the HTSA. There are some official positions on the HTSA...

Richard Claridge - HTSA Chairperson **Available position - HTSA Vice-Chairperson** Emma Allen - HTSA Treasurer Jo Double - HTSA Secretary Gemma Wardell - Communications Lead Hayley Blackwell/Hannah Ludlow - Events Leads Nicola Hodder - Refreshments Lead

### **Contact Us**

Interested in joining our team? Contact us by emailing: holytrinityschoolassociation@gmail.com

To join our meetings, simply turn up to the in person meetings or log in to our zoom meeting, no notice is required. To join an event sub-group, please either email us or ask one of your class reps to pass on your details and someone will be in contact. For any other details regarding the HTSA and our work please email us at the above address.

