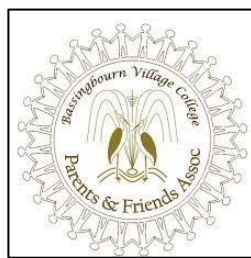


Parents & Friends of Bassingbourn Village College



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Our latest newsletter covers a big summer term of fundraising plus how we've been spending the funds raised!

Thank you for helping make the summer term a bumper one for fundraising

Whether that be through buying raffle tickets in our Summer Raffle, (£1,200 raised), donating uniform to sell at the new year 7 Transition Evening (£675), filling up on doughnuts and treats after school at Fun Food Fridays (£450) or buying a drink from our bar at the Arts Shows (£525). Together, along with the £1,000 corporate donation, we raised approximately **£4,000!**

Keep an eye out on the Facebook group for fundraisers this term.

PFA funds new equipment for BVC's students

During the summer, the PFA funded equipment purchases totalling **£4,200** spanning 3D Design and Design Technology, Textiles, Hospitality, Science, Sports and the SEND and Pastoral Teams. These items included microscope slides and light gates, a die printer, knives and chopping boards, light pads, headphones, visual timers and workbooks, and a korfbal set. Hopefully we'll get some photos of the items in action to share soon...

SAVE THE DATE: Monday 18th November, AGM

We'll meet at 7.30pm at BVC and summarise a year's worth of fundraising in an hour. All are welcome; come along and find out what we do, and how we improve the experience of students at BVC. Don't worry; first-timers will not take away any jobs 😊

Second-hand School Uniform

Selling pre-loved school uniform is one of the PFA's largest income streams. If you have uniform you no longer need, please consider donating it for re-sell. If you're buying, check out our [FAQ](#) on Facebook to find out how.

Email: pfa@bassingbournvc.org

Facebook: [facebook.com/groups/ParentsandFriendsofBVC](https://www.facebook.com/groups/ParentsandFriendsofBVC)

Web: www.bassingbournvc.net/parents/pfa/

Contact: Tom Lock, Chair

Fundraising to support students' education at BVC.

Here are 5 quick ways you can help support BVC:

1) When shopping online, visit [Easy Fundraising](#) first before going direct to your shop, supermarket or even booking your next holiday! It's a simple way to raise £££ for BVC.

2) Set up a monthly Standing Order for £2, £3, £5 or £10. See our [website](#) for details & gift aid form.

3) Follow the PFA at our Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/parentsandfriendsofbvc>

4) Can you spare an hour or two once a term? Volunteer at our next event.

5) Does your employer do corporate giving, payment-in-kind or match donations of its employees? The PFA are registered on [Benevity](#) and [Charitable Giving](#) – used by employers for corporate giving.