

# CHAIR'S REPORT FOR WYBUNBURY DELVES PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA AGM

WEDNESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2023

One year since the last AGM and nine months since the appointment of myself, Sophie and Lindsey as Co-chairs and Vice-Chair at the EGM, it has been a challenging but successful year. I'd like the focus today to be on what we have achieved so far and what we hope to achieve over the next year.

I don't wish to repeat in detail the contents of the constitution, we'll come to that later, but fundamentally, this PTA exists to support the education and wellbeing of the children at Wybunbury Delves.

Last year literally started with a bang with the fantastic fireworks display. This was followed, in December, by a magical visit from Santa and a lovely evening of carols at the amphitheatre. As winter turned into spring, we turned our attention to summer events. We are thrilled to have hosted Mr Dale's Marathon Madness, raising funds for PE equipment as well as Team Lewis Trust, and we loved meeting lots of the local community at the Fig Pie Wakes. The finale of the year was the Summer Lights Festival which provided an evening of fun, food and music. The events have received some exceptional feedback and we hope to continue to provide a variety of events and activities for the school and wider community over the next year.

Since the last AGM we have purchased new PE equipment and contributed towards coaches for trips to Young Voices and Primary College. We have completed the provision of the sensory shed and repaired and painted the reception garden shed. Plans to donate £150 to each subject area for the purchase of additional resources are well underway, and have completed the sensory shed and

The PTA continues to evolve, and it would be amazing to see more new people attending meetings and events as new children join the school and others move on. This brings fresh ideas and provides an important new perspective.

The idea of the PTA comes with a stereotypical image, which I like to think we don't fit. For me, it has been a great way to get to know more people within the school community, learn more about what is going on in school and make some great friends.

As I approach the end of my relatively short time as part of the Wybunbury Delves family and the end of my time as co-chair, I'd like to say thank you the bottom of my heart. The endless support and teamwork are what make it all possible!