



## PTA Spring Newsletter 2020

**Hello, and welcome to the Spring 2020 newsletter! First, thank you for all your support over the last few months.**



**Enough money has been raised to buy new digital cameras to help with class projects.**

**Please** put your blue tokens into our box in any of the Tesco stores across Leighton Buzzard. The boxes will be there until 31st March. We are hoping to get additional fitness equipment for use at school with the running track.

**We** have just picked up a £250 cheque from the Rotary Club for supporting Santa's sleigh around Leighton Buzzard at Christmas. Thank you to all who carried buckets or contributed.



### Playground

You can usually find our members on the playground at school drop-off and pick-up times - we are a friendly bunch so do not be afraid to approach us. We hope to get some aprons soon to make it easier to identify us!

### 14 February - Class 2 Cake Bake

*Start baking those Valentine Day's cakes!*

### 15 February - First Draw for the School Lottery

*There is still time to win in the first draw. Go to [www.yourschoollottery/play](http://www.yourschoollottery/play) - and enter Heathwood School. See page 2 for more details - including how to win a Fitbit in the second draw. You win, the school wins!*

### 3.30pm, Tuesday 17 March - Family BINGO Night

*More details in book bags from 24 February.*

### 7.00pm, Friday 27 March - Quiz Night



*Quiz Night at the School - more details will come soon in book bags, but start planning now who will be on your team of up to six people (adults only) - family and friends welcome.*

### 7.00pm, Friday 15 May - Clairvoyance Evening with Graham Whitfield

*From 24 February, tickets costing £12 will be available from the Office - which now has a card machine to process PTA payments..*

More events	
Mother's Day Secret Room	Lunchtime, Wednesday 18 March
Class 1 cake sale	3.30pm, Friday 27 March
Easter Egg Hunt	2.30pm, Friday 3 April
Car boot sale	10am to 12pm Saturday 2 May

### Stampastic

You NEED one of these!

A personalised stamp usable on most fabrics, metal, wood & some plastics. No more sewing or ironing on labels. Now you can just stamp everything! Buy your 'stampastic' stamp quoting our affiliate number and the PTA get a donation. Go to [https://stampastic.co.uk/pages/school-welcome#a\\_aid=5b191b86e8240](https://stampastic.co.uk/pages/school-welcome#a_aid=5b191b86e8240)



Our affiliate number is: 5b191b86e8240

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## FUNDRAISING FOR THE PTA

There are many ways in which you can help to fundraise for your PTA. All funds raised are put back into the school for funding school trips, equipment for the classrooms, games for the playground and events such as the annual pantomime. Please help in any way you can.



Raise **free funds** every time you **shop online**



### Easy Fundraising

We've registered with easyfundraising and we need your help!

Easyfundraising is a great website! Simply by doing your everyday online shopping with over 3,300 big name retailers like Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com, eBay, Boden and M&S, you can help us raise funds.

Every time you shop, we receive a small donation to say 'thank you' and it's completely free too! Please sign up and help us at

[www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/heathwoodlowerpta](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/heathwoodlowerpta)



**WE'VE LAUNCHED A LOTTERY**

**Buy Your Tickets Today To Help Our School**

- Heathwood School Parents Association has launched a lottery!
- Tickets cost just £1 per ticket, per week and 40% of all ticket sales are donated to our school.
- A GUARANTEED cash prize to someone on our supporter list every week.
- A further chance of winning £25,000 in a separate draw EVERY WEEK!
- Draws are every Saturday at 8pm and results are posted online.

To start supporting, Visit:  
[www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play)

And Search For:  
**Heathwood**



Supporters must be 16 years of age or older.



# SHAPE UP YOUR FAMILY!



Buy A Lottery Ticket This Half-Term & WIN A Family FITBIT BUNDLE

- WIN a FITBIT Bundle (FITBIT Inspire HR + Ace 2 Kid's Fitness Tracker)
- Support your local school
- Play for £1 per week
- Win up to £25,000

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Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. Sign up before 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2020  
Terms and conditions apply - see website.



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With a simple one-step application process, Stikins® are multipurpose name labels that can be used to label all of a child's belongings safely and securely in minutes, saving busy families plenty of time to get on with the more important things in life.

Place your order quoting the schools unique reference number and the PTA will receive 30% commission. Links are on our Facebook page and the PTA page of the school website.



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Search on Facebook for our page 'Heathwood Lower School PTA', this is a closed group for parents, grandparents and guardians. Alternatively, type this link into your browser:

[www.facebook.com/groups/HeathwoodPTA](http://www.facebook.com/groups/HeathwoodPTA)



[Email](#) - The PTA email address is:  
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