



Friday 15th December 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

South End Junior School PTA

It is with great sadness and extreme disappointment that we have to advise you the South End Junior School PTA will no longer be continuing to raise funds for the school. We have found it increasingly difficult to run all the events over the last 12 months due to the lack of help and have had to make the really difficult decision to close the PTA. I can assure you this decision has not been made lightly.

Since the current committee has been in place we have raised and spent £18,854.69 on hoodies for year 6 leavers, a new red carpet, flags, books, bookcases, playground enhancements, curtains for the Plaza, kindles, playground activity wall, staging, prizes for competitions and prizes for the merit shop.

To raise all this money we ran Mothers Day sales, Fathers Day sales, Discos, Christmas Cracker Raffles, Cake Sales, supplied refreshments at school productions and parents' evenings.

All these events will now stop and will be sadly missed by the children and parents at school.

A meeting will be called in June 2018 for anyone that may be interested in resurrecting the PTA, please look out for a message via parentmail.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the current PTA members for all their hard work and commitment over the years.

Kind regards,

Tracey Smith
Chair
South End Junior School PTA