



FOBS stands for
Friends of Bradfield School.



We fundraise on behalf of the children so that we can organise and pay for extra-curricular activities that create fun, lasting memories.



Everyone with a child at the school is a member of FOBS. There's a committee of volunteers who help plan and run the events and activities we organise.



You can come along to any our meetings, and you don't have to be a volunteer on the committee to help out at event or to give us your ideas!



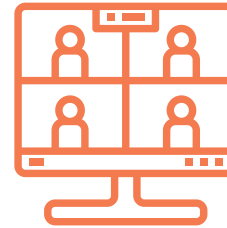
Our AGM was on October 22nd at 11:30 (on zoom). Minutes can be found on the school web-site:

<https://www.bradfieldprimary.co.uk/friends-of-bradfield-school-fobs/>



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 OF FOBS**



We started last year with our AGM... online for the first time! Our next AGM will be on Friday October 22nd at 11:30am on zoom.



At the meeting we usually review the year that's just gone by and plan out the calendar of activities for next year as well as voting on new members.

Everyone is invited to come along. We really want to hear what you and your children enjoyed over the past year And, more importantly we'd love to hear any new ideas that we could try.



We'd love to hear your **feedback**... what your children really enjoyed last year and any fundraising or activity ideas you have that we should think about. There's a gold box in the school reception that you can pop your comments into anonymously, or you can email fobsatheathroad@hotmail.co.uk, or you can message any of the committee members on What's App.



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Our ongoing fundraising kept things ticking over...



Terracycle and Fabric recycling

Bake Raffle



£64

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Over the **autumn term** we had our first Pumpkin Trail around the village.



Christmas fund-raising included a Bradfield Calendar, Children's Christmas Card, our mega hamper raffle and the Christmas Cake Raffle. We raised...

£938



In the summer our **Sponsored Obstacle Course and Loose Change Challenge** raised an incredible....

£1286 + £331

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In the Autumn term we ...

- Created **craft bags** and gave a **book** to each child.
- Sent off **letters to Father Christmas** and helped the elves get the replies back to the children.

- Paid for a screening of the Mercury Theatre's **Snow White Panto** and provided popcorn and ice cream.
- Bought rainy day **games**.
- Supplied snaps and jokes and cut up kitchen rolls to make 120 inners for **crackers** for Christmas Lunch.

In the Spring term... well there was another lockdown! So, just before Easter each class had a special treat to celebrate being back at school. Bramley had fun role playing with Little City, Pippin had an Art workshop with artists from First Site and Discovery and Blenheim had a virtual reality tour of the night sky.

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And finally the summer term...

As we said goodbye to our fabulous Year 6's we sent them off with a Bradfield Leavers Hoodie and a day of adventure at Birch Hall. Meanwhile, everyone enjoyed an ice cream from Marios Ice Cream Van on the last day!

In other news... we became a **charity** and set ourselves up for **Gift Aid**. That means when you make a donation we can now claim an extra 25% from the government!



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

YOUR FOBS TEAM FOR 2021/ 2020



Following the AGM on October 22nd. We are pleased to introduce the FOBS team for this academic year.

 <p>Kath Chair Mum to Sid (Blenheim)</p>	 <p>Cristina Vice Chair Mum to Jennifer (Discovery) & Margarida (Bramley)</p>	 <p>Jenny Secretary Mum to Emilia (Blenheim), Martha (Discovery) & Hattie (Bramley)</p>
 <p>Hannah Treasurer Mum to Nyah & Paige (Blenheim) & Eddie (Discovery)</p>	 <p>Jo Mum to Olivia (Blenheim)</p>	 <p>Lou Mum to Gracie & Samuel (Blenheim)</p>
 <p>Kerry Mum to Alice (Blenheim)</p>	 <p>Charlotte Mum to Joshua (Blenheim)</p>	 <p>Claire Mum to Sienna (Blenheim) & Freddie (Pippin)</p>
 <p>Nicola Mum to Ava (Blenheim) & Ruby (Discovery)</p>	 <p>Rachel Mum to Ryan (Pippin)</p>	

CLASS REPS

Bramley - Cristina & Jenny
Pippin - Rachel & Claire
Discovery - Cristina
Blenheim - Kerry & Jo

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2021/ 2022

FOBS - THE YEAR AHEAD



Key priorities for this year:

- Replace the bunker benches with Harry's bench
- Get the covered outdoor learning space built
- Establish FOBS class representatives

<p>Ongoing fundraising</p> <p>Cristina to take over responsibility for recycling Jenny will run the Bake raffle Easyfundraising and new... Amazon Smile and Your School Lottery</p>	<p>Events and Activities</p> <p>Autumn term - Christmas cards; Crafternoon; Calendars; Hamper raffle Spring term - Loose Change Challenge; Bingo at the Village Hall; Pub Quiz Night Summer term - Summer fete; obstacle course</p>
<p>Fun Memories</p> <p>Autumn term - Pumpkin carving; Foodbank collection; Panto; Crackers Crafternoon; Letters to Father Christmas; A visit from FC Spring term - Easter and Mother's Day Summer term - Father's Day; Summer Fete</p>	<p>What else?</p> <p>Family rounders match at village hall? Y6 raising money for their activities (including residential?) Class representatives</p>