



Welcome back to all our ESJ families,

With your support we had a super end to our financial year topping up the fundraising pot with the following; Christmas Fayre £3300, Christmas Carol Refreshments £100, Orchestra coffee morning £40 in donations and My Child's Art commission £176.



Our last newsletter highlighted all the things which were made possible in 2017 from funds raised, in addiction we have allocated £2000 for workshops/performance art productions in 2018. The Friends will work with the school to decide what projects we can look to fundraise for in 2018, watch this space.



AGM, Mon 5th Feb 7.30pm-8.30pm Ely St John's School. Drinks and nibbles, all welcome. Committee members are needed, if you would

like to join our friendly team and be involved in

running fun events for our pupils please pop along.

The Friends are already busy planning this year's events, we would love to lay on a new event perhaps a Quiz night, Family Bingo or Ceilidh and will need parent helpers to be able to do this. If this is something you would like to help get off the ground please email thefriendsofesj@hotmail.co.uk.

Does your employer offer **Match Funding**? What a fab way to help raise funds for our school, please get in touch if you would like to discuss further.

Thank you for all the kind uniform donations, we are always in need of jumpers and cardigans. Any donations can be taken to the school office.

Thank you for your continued support,

The Friends Team.

Please like our Facebook page to receive reminders and keep up to date with what events are happening. Search @ESJ Friends.

easyfundraising.org.uk feel good shopping

You can raise money for our school when doing your shopping online! It's simple, follow the link https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/foesj/

Dates for your Diary...

Mon 5th Feb –7.30-8.30pm AGM, all welcome.

Tues 27th Feb – Second hand book and uniform sale after school.

Fri 16th Mar – Scholastic Book **Order Deadline.**

Fri 16th Mar – Film Night, all years.

Mon 26th Mar – Bag2School collection.

Sat 9th Jun - Summer Fete and Car Boot 12-3pm.

Fri 6th Jul - Disco, all years.

Fri 13th Jul - School picnic.

