



Newsletter Spring 2018



Friends of the **Blake School Association**

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Message from the Chair

As we face yet more cold weather it is easy to wish the last of winter away and hope for spring to bring some sunshine. But whilst I am wishing away those days, I am also clinging on to the last few days of term, as next term will be my last as chair of the Friends, and indeed my son's last term at Primary school. It is a huge transition for me, as The Blake has become a big part of my life, and for any of you yet to join us in our endeavours, I would strongly urge you to join in with a team that has given me friends, a new set of skills and enabled me to become part of the wonderful community that is The Blake.

I am enormously proud of the achievements of the Friends over the past few years and if any of you are deliberating whether the role of PTA member is for you, then please come along to our Quiz Night, where you will get a feel for the warm welcome, fun and laughter you could share in, whilst raising much needed funds and giving so much to a school who do everything they can for our children. I hope to see you there!

Charlie Edwards, Chair of the Friends of the Blake School Association

Upcoming Events



Quiz Night 27th April

7:30pm - 10:30pm

Teams of 4-6, £5 per person
Bar ~ Cheese & Biscuits ~ Raffle

School Discos 15th June

6.00pm-7.00pm Recep, Yr 1 & Yr 2

7:30pm - 8:30pm Yr 3-Yr 6

£2:50 on the door



Summer Fete 30th June

12pm - 3pm, 50p, < 12's free!

BBQ ~ Pimms bar ~ rides ~ stalls
raffle ~ strawberries ~ games
2nd-hand uniform ~ coconut shy
and much, much more!

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Help us raise more funds for Blake School by using these websites:

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