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Welcome – how you can help!

Friends of Sprowston Infant School

As your child is a member Sprowston Infant School, you are automatically a member of our Friends. We recognise that family life is extremely busy and there is not always time to attend meetings and participate in every event. However we are asking for you to let us know how you will be able to support us as a school. As a school we organise events to raise money for educational and fun purposes for our children. Helping at events and in school can be rewarding and fun, while at the same time raising vital funds for our children. Helping at events is an opportunity to meet other parents in the same situation as you. There's no better way to know what events are being planned, have your say or make new fundraising suggestions, than by offering your help and support. We're not just for Mums! It's important to our school and our pupils to have all family members represented.

How can I help?

There are a variety of small ways you can help and be involved – from putting up posters, cleaning up after an event, making tea and coffee, baking cakes, helping out on a stall...so many ways. It's totally flexible Giving up just 30 minutes of your time to help at an event is invaluable. If everyone could spare 30 minutes a term to help, just think what we could achieve!

There is no need to attend meetings – you can use our contact details to send in ideas for discussion. We put children's education at the heart of all we do so most social events are outside of the school day but there are learning events that happen and we are always open to new ideas and suggestions. It may be you are unable to spare the time at an event but have a skill/ trade and could help with school projects.

Types of events:

- Disco's
- Reading Cafes
- Summer event
- Coffee mornings
- Stay and Play

Finally our children are only at school for a relatively short time. Friends events such as Disco and other social events will be remembered fondly by our children for a lifetime. The equipment and resources these events helps fund, make learning rich and exciting!

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Please complete the form below and return to the office:

Child name: _____ Class: _____

Who can help? (Please write the names of any adults who can support)

Name of adult	Relationship to child	Contact details

What I can offer:

Please tick the relevant box(es)

<input type="checkbox"/>	I can help organise and at events
<input type="checkbox"/>	I can help at events in the school day
<input type="checkbox"/>	I can help at events after school
<input type="checkbox"/>	I would be happy to attend meetings when necessary
<input type="checkbox"/>	I am unable to help at events
<input type="checkbox"/>	I am happy to offer ideas help organising events but am unable to help at events
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have a skill/ trade/ business and am happy to be contacted and help when I can
	If applicable please detail below:

Thanks in advance

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