



# Friends of Shirley Infant School (FOSIS) News



## Upcoming Events



**FOSIS AGM -  
Thursday 12  
October @ 7.30pm**  
in the Infant School  
Hall

Come and join us, meet fellow parents and find out more about FOSIS. We'll share all the good stuff we did last year to raise much needed funds for the school and what we have planned for this year.

The current co-chairs, treasurer and secretary will be stepping down at the end of this school year so now is the perfect time to get involved, learn as you go and let us dispel all those PTA myths!

Oh did we mention coffee / tea and sweet baked treats will be available....if you needed a little extra persuasion.

**FIREWORKS - FRI 3 NOV 5PM - 7PM**  
**EARLY BIRD TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR  
VOLUNTEERS**



We are running our fantastic fireworks event again BUT we need your help to make it happen. For volunteering your time at the event we'll give you early access to tickets for you and your immediate family. Simply complete this form to let us know you can help - <https://forms.gle/fGPnH6DoxcVNHQEe6>

You'll receive an email with a link to purchase your tickets in advance of the general sale. Tickets are £5 per adult, £3.50 per child (3-18yrs) and under 3s go free but will still need a ticket for entry so we can keep track on numbers.

Tickets go on general sale on **Sunday 22 October at 6pm** and will be available via [this link](#)

**We expect the event to sell out quickly so don't wait,  
VOLUNTEER TODAY!**

### CRAZY HAIR DAY - FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER

This is your chance to give your kids the craziest, wackiest and most colourful hairstyle for school all in the aid of the PTFA/FOSIS, so dig out that hair chalk, dust off that coloured hairspray and go wild!

Suggested donation £1 - donate online via this [PayPal link](#) and we'll have buckets at the school entrances for cash donations on the day.



## Diary Dates



6 Oct - Infant Cake Sale

12 Oct - FOSIS AGM (7.30pm Infant Hall)

20 Oct – Crazy Hair Day

3 Nov – Fireworks Event

See last page for dates for the year!

September 2023



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## Thank you...

To everyone who supported FOSIS over the last few years by coming to events, offering time and donating spare pennies for all our other fundraising events. Without you it would not have been possible for FOSIS to be able to 100% fund the cost of Acorn Class, the new outdoor classroom that you can see over by the Astro pitch.



## Stay in touch

FOSIS manage private Facebook groups for each year group, where you can keep up to date on what's going on. Please join by searching for the following:

Year R@ SIS 2023/24

Year 1 @ SIS 2023/24

Year 2@ SIS 2023/24

There's also lots of info on the school website:

[Friends of Shirley Infant School - Shirley Infant School](#)



A **HUGE** thank you to our local estate agents Pearsons who have kindly agreed to sponsor our fireworks display, donating £500 towards the cost of the event!



Thank you to everyone who had a good clear out, your donations helped us raise **£129!**

## Raise whilst you shop!

Easy fundraising, sign up today and raise money for FOSIS on your every day shopping:  
[Infants – Friends of Shirley Infants – Southampton](#)



# PTFA/ FOSIS

## MONTHLY EVENTS

2023/2024

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### OCTOBER

- 6 Infant Cake Sale
- 12 Infant AGM
- 19 Junior AGM
- 20 Crazy Hair Day
- 20 Junior Cake Sale



### NOVEMBER

- 3 Fireworks
- 24 Family Xmas Disco



### DECEMBER

- 1 Xmas Wreath Making
- 13 & 14 Junior Elfridges



### JANUARY

- 24 Bag2School



### FEBRUARY

- 9 Junior Cake Sale
- 23 PTFA Quiz



### MARCH

- 1 Junior Disco
- 8 World Book Day
- 22 Infant Cake Sale
- 28 Non-Uniform Day
- 29 Easter Scarecrow Trail Begins



### APRIL

- 8 Scarecrow Trail Ends
- 20 Tidy Up Day 1
- 27 Colour Run



### JULY

- 12 Infant Cake Sale



### MAY

- 10 Family Bingo
- 11 Tidy Up Day 2
- 24 Break the Rules Day
- 24 Junior Cake Sale



### JUNE

- 12 Bag2School
- 14 FOSIS Quiz
- 29 Summer Fair



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