



Friends of St Oswald's

September 2011

'The Friends of St Oswald's' support the school and help raise money for additional resources to enrich the children's education.

Previous projects have included the refurbishment of the library and ICT suite, new playground equipment and seating areas, playground markings, laying Astroturf in the nursery garden and providing a shed and gardening equipment for the gardening club.

The Friends also support cultural activities for the children and funded a school visit from a theatre company who performed and worked with the children.

All parents and carers are welcome to attend meetings and join in our activities. If you are new to the area or to the school it is a great way to meet people and make friends. Even if you are busy and only have an hour to spare, your time will be much appreciated.

Juice in the Park – 14th September

On Wednesday 14th September from 3pm, there'll be juice in the park (the park next to school). It's a good chance to get to know new parents/carers and to find out about the Friends of St Oswald's.

Second hand uniform will also be on sale - £1 per item.

If the weather is poor, we'll meet in the school hall.

Friends Meeting – 21st September

The next Friends Meeting is at 7.30pm on Wednesday 21st September in The Court Inn.

Come along if you can, it's very informal and a chance to meet other parents/carers, find out about some of the activities happening in school and get involved in raising funds for the school.

We are currently raising funds to buy 15 new laptops and a charging station for the school. We'd like to be able to provide a portable station that can be used in classrooms allowing two children to share a laptop during ICT sessions.

If you have any ideas for fundraising, come along to the meeting or drop a note into school.