



## Brize Norton School Association

## Welcome to the Brize Norton School Association Newsletter 13/11/20

This communication is designed to bring you all the latest news, events and information of all of our fundraising activities throughout the year.

All monies raised helps to buy resources and pay for the extras that the normal school budget cannot cover.

### We are hosting a Virtual Book Fair - Starting from 3pm today until 19th Nov

Come and visit the Virtual Book Fair on our [Facebook page @brizenortonsa](#) [click **events and attend**] where there will be **more information** about what books are available, current offers and **a competition or two!**

The BNSA's aim is be able to **donate free books** to the school.

Each order will be added to a running total throughout the week and if sales exceed £600 then **an amazing £360 worth of free books will be donated to the school.**

On top of this, as the book fair is being run by our very own Chair, **Carole Stevens**, any **commission she would usually make will be donated straight back to the school.**



**Congratulations!** to our School Lottery Winner from Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November.

**Mrs V won £20.00 as a guaranteed prize in our local draw.**

You could be our next lucky winner! Don't forget to purchase your ticket to be in with the chance to win £25,000.

[www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/brize-norton-primary-school](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/brize-norton-primary-school)



#### NEXT MONTHLY MEETING

Date: **Wed 18<sup>th</sup> Nov 2020**

Time: **8pm to 9pm**

Location: **via ZOOM**

Everyone is welcome to attend.  
Please see Facebook for link to join.



[Instagram.com/brizenortonschoolassociation](https://www.instagram.com/brizenortonschoolassociation)

### KEEP INFORMED

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We love to keep all parents updated on what the BNSA is doing, so please **LIKE** us, visit our page regularly for last minute event reminders and information.

Please also **LIKE** the posts when you see them, so that more people will be able to see them too. Also, we now have a **Pre-Loved Shop** - selling uniform items that you may need! Take a look!



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## Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> November is Diwali

Diwali is the celebration of light, making a fresh start and new beginnings. For many Diwali marks the start of the New Year. A five day festival, marked by displays of colourful lights, bright clothes, gift-giving and sweets.

You will have seen that your child has been given a gift from the BNSA. Gifts are a big part of the celebration and we wanted to share this with the children. We have also included a picture that they can colour in. It would be lovely if once completed, you email us at:

[BNSA\\_Fundraising@outlook.com](mailto:BNSA_Fundraising@outlook.com)

We would like to create our own online Festival of Lights with their colourful pictures.

Don't forget to light your candle and join in with the Diwali celebrations!

## Smarties Challenge



We are looking forward to seeing your creations for the **Best Decorated Tube** Competition. What fantastic ideas have you come up with?

**Which class will return the most tubes to claim a Pizza Party for the whole class?**

Make sure your tube is returned to school by **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November**.



**"I don't have any spare time or spare money ... can I still help?"**  
**"Yes of course you can. We appreciate anything you can do to help."**

**Easyfundraising** and **Amazon Smile** both donate cash to us every time you make a purchase. It will cost you nothing. All you need to do is go to their website before visiting a major retailer's website and shop as normal. **FREE cash for the school.** To make it easier, you can download the app and start from there.

[www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk)  
[smile.amazon.co.uk](http://smile.amazon.co.uk)



[The first time you visit the website, you can select **Brize Norton School Association** as your charity to donate to and that's it, start shopping!]

Do you or anyone you know have a business which would be prepared to **donate raffle** or **auction prizes** in exchange for a mention in our newsletter? **Can you make things?** Bake things? Create things? Do you have any ideas to share?



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 13<sup>th</sup> November – Virtual Book Fair [All Week]
- 14<sup>th</sup> November – Diwali Festival of Light
- 16<sup>th</sup> November – Odd Socks Day – For Anti Bullying
- 16<sup>th</sup> November – Return entries for Smarties Challenge

- 18<sup>th</sup> November – BNSA Monthly Meeting
- 25<sup>th</sup> November – Full Governing Body
- 7<sup>th</sup> December – Non-Uniform Day [Donations for Xmas Fair]
- 11<sup>th</sup> December – Virtual Christmas Fair [all weekend]