



TGAS PTA – Improving our Children’s Educational Experience

WELCOME to Tudor Grange Academy Solihull PTA

The Tudor Grange Academy Solihull Parent & Teacher Association (PTA), registered charity number 1171246, unites parents, staff, students and supporters of TGAS in raising money to pay for additional activities and resources or improve the school’s facilities. The PTA is coordinated by parents whose children attend the academy, supported by academy staff. All profits are promptly spent on projects that will benefit as many students as possible. We run events and the 333 club (lottery) to raise funds, accept donations (and can gift aid them) and encourage matched funding from your employer.

There are 3 main ways in which we hope you may feel able to support the TG PTA:

1. **JOIN THE 333 CLUB** (details included with this letter) – an option that gives you the chance to win prizes
2. **Make a small standing order to the PTA** – this provides an important fixed income that we can then allocate to larger projects - £10 a year per family, or a couple of pounds a month would be amazing and most gratefully received
3. **Support our events with friends and family or buy a “token ticket” if you cannot attend, raise money for free when you shop online via our easyfundraising account, or by nominating us as your chosen charity on Amazon Smile, approach your employer for match funding, contribute a raffle prize, or purchase some uniform.**

All contributions to the PTA soon add up and make a difference to what the school can provide to our children.

We are always keen to welcome new members to the group, so please seek us out (details on the web site) if you have ideas for new events, would like to help run an activity or come to a meeting. You are bound to have contacts, skills, knowledge and ideas we will value!

The money raised in recent years has been used to purchase high quality durable plastic picnic benches in the playground for students to utilise during breaks, laptop computers to help disadvantaged students during lockdown (now available for regular use at school), 2 visualisers for RE live lessons, a circuit maker and a strip heater for D and T, class books, food mixers and baking trays, sets of A level text books, GCSE text books and class texts, an extended 3 year D and T 2D design licence and English set texts for all Year 9 students .

We run social events which are great fun and a good opportunity to meet other parents: for instance, the Year 7 Disco, Quiz Nights, Bingo and refreshments at school concerts.

Whether you would prefer to support the PTA financially only, help occasionally or become a committee member, we would love to hear from you via our email address - pta@solihull.tgacademy.org.uk

If you only do one thing, please consider making a small standing order – it will only take a minute, all your donations help your children at school, and details of how money is spent are regularly published on the school website.

THANK YOU!