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PTFA NEWS

Parents, Teachers & Friends Association of St Johns School

A massive THANK YOU to everyone who supported the Winter Wonderland event on Saturday.

The aim was to create a successful community event both for school and non-school families alike and we certainly did it!

INCOME: £6,554

(financial donations, ice rink ticket sales, token sales, Christmas tree sales, non school stalls, mufti day)

EXPENSES: £3,915*

(ice rink rental, food supplies, grotto prizes, cleaning, electricity generators, porta-loos, licenses)

PROFIT: £2,639

*some expenses were investments that will benefit future events

COMMUNITY BENEFIT:

A fantastic afternoon out, where families, friends and the local community came together for fun, food and festival cheer.

The Winner of the Treasure Hunt Prize Draw was William A. Y2R.

We hope you enjoy your £40 Voucher from Basilico Pizza

Click this [link](#) to have a look at a little **film** made about the event. This is for school viewing only so please **do not** share or upload to social media.

If you have any concerns and do not want your child to appear please contact ptfastjohns@gmail.com.

What

Do

2,104

Christmas lights,

1 Father Christmas

203 yummy hotdogs,

2502 flyers & posters,

300 cups of hot chocolate,

62 faces painted, 76 volunteers,

128 volunteer hours, 200 amazing

gingerbread biscuits, 205 divine home-

made crepes, 155 creative Christmas crafts,

5 weeks of prep, 1 dedicated and happy team of

school, parent and friend volunteers, one lovely Olaf,

308 Santa's grotto guests, & 391 people ice skating equal?

A magical Winter Wonderland!

Thank you!

We are incredibly grateful for ALL of the items that were donated for free, borrowed for free and for the time gifted for free and wanted to acknowledgement them here:

Donations: 200 gingerbread men and biscuit decorations, 205 crepes, all marquees & gazebos, performance by the Fulham Brass band, cake and popcorn stall supplies, cake stall decorations, cakes, mince pies, cakes and cakes, carol leading, Christmas decorations including stall signs and trees, extra stall prizes, extra trestle tables and sandbags, food stall supplies from Sainsburys, Starbucks and the Coop, greeters Anna and Rudolph, lights, lights and more lights, nearly new clothes, banner and flyer design, sandbags and electrical equipment, story time with a professional storyteller, costumes, hand painted photo box, hand painted signs, handmade wooden Christmas trees, handmade snowflake decorations.

We'd also like to acknowledge the incredible team of volunteers (both who are part of the school community and those who are not) who helped make this event possible. Some worked on preparations, some worked on the day, some worked on clearing up and some worked all of the above: **66** parents and family, **12** staff, **3** governors, **15** friends of St John's and the following **local business**; Starbucks, Douglas & Gordon, Co-op, Sainsburys, Little Voices, Fulham Brass Band, Basilico Pizza - Fulham ... **THANK YOU!**

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