



Eccleston Lane Ends  
Primary School



### PTA 2020/2021

A new school year begins and along with it another fun packed year of events are planned to raise much needed funds for our school to enable our children's experience and memories of ELE to be the best they can be.

Can you spare an hour a month to help?

Have you any ideas or suggestions for new events or ways to improve past events?

### Zoom Meeting:

Due to the current Covid-19 restrictions, we are holding our first ever zoom PTA meeting on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2020 @ 6:30pm to enable us to have a virtual AGM. The purpose of the AGM is to appoint the above positions and find alternative ways to fund raise during the current pandemic. If you wish to be involved please contact Elaine Cass @ [Elaine.Cammack-Cass@sthelens.org.uk](mailto:Elaine.Cammack-Cass@sthelens.org.uk)

## We have some shoes to fill...

Eccleston Lane Ends Parent Teacher Association (PTA) strives to provide our students, staff and families with valuable resources, activities and events that help them succeed at Eccleston Lane Ends Primary School. Our goal is to bring families together in support of our children, school and community.

Funds raised by the PTA provide extra resources for the school outside of what the local authority pays for, such as travelling theatre companies (known as the Enrichment Programme). In the past ELE PTA funds have been used to purchase sets of class I-pads, chairs for classrooms, playground equipment, books and new intake reception children's book bags and water bottles.

As you may be aware, school budgets are under a massive squeeze and the work that the PTA does is now more vital than ever to ensure an enriched curriculum for our children during this period of austerity.

Without our PTA none of these activities and events could be possible.

We are seeking candidates for the following 2020 – 2021 ELE PTA officer positions:

### Chair (Leader of the pack)

We want YOU to be our next Chair. Our fearless leader's term ends at the end of the school year. We are looking for a creative problem -solver who is comfortable delegating, organizing events and working closely with teachers and staff to get things done.

### Vice Chair (Partner in crime)

So, you would like to get more involved with PTA but you are not sure you are ready to take the lead role. Our Vice Chair position has your name written all over it. You will learn behind the scenes intel and be part of the decision making on important issues throughout the year. You will help the Chair get things done.

### Treasurer (Number cruncher)

We have big plans to raise money and fund important projects for our school. If you are good with numbers, with an eye for detail, like to count the pennies, categorize expenses and keep track of the budget, this is the position for you.

### Secretary (Fact finder)

If you are the kind of person who documents everything, we have the perfect role for you. You will get to use your stellar record keeping computer skills to good use as secretary by taking notes (minutes) at our PTA meetings.

### Volunteers (Everyone!)

We really could not do any of these activities without the support of our PTA volunteers so please join with us to make a difference in the education, health, and welfare of our children.