

NOVEMBER 2018 - BONFIRE UPDATE



# South Cave School

## PTA News

**BONFIRE NIGHT  
EXTRAVAGANZA**

**PROFIT**

**£4,560.03**

## **BONFIRE NIGHT EXTRAVAGANZA...**

### **We did it with a bang!**

Last Saturday (3 Nov) certainly went off with a BANG! and it is so wonderful that the buzz and excitement at the *Bonfire Night Extravaganza* has continued throughout this week. We welcomed 1,300 people to our event and everyone seemed to have a fantastic time. We enjoyed a terrific bonfire and 20 minute firework display, tasty food and drinks, fun rides and giant inflatable for the children and not forgetting the

wonderful 40ft steam organ that everyone agreed helped create a wonderful atmosphere. We sold out of flashing wands, mulled wine, pizza bases, red wine, hot chocolate and almost beer!

Well done and thank you to our 'Let's Go Big & Bonfire' team who organised the event and all the PTA helpers who gave a lending hand so willingly on the night. There were parents who really did go beyond the call of duty to help pull off such a great night - BBQs on car roofs was just the tip of the iceberg! There was a great sense of fun, teamwork and community spirit and that showed on the night. We have received great feedback from parents and the children all week, as well as from other local residents without children at the school, who came and really enjoyed the night out in South Cave.

We are amazed and delighted to announce that we raised a staggering **£4,560.03 profit** on the night which will add to the already terrific total the PTA has raised for our children this year. This event in particular really demonstrated the wonderful goodwill, enthusiasm and friendly spirit of our parents and we really do consider ourselves lucky at this school to have such a fantastic school community.

We have ideas for all sorts of events, both big and small, that we'd like to see in 2019 and we hope the Bonfire Night success will encourage more of you to get involved and help make these fun events happen. There is so much more we can do together and we'd love for you to come on board. You don't have to come to lots of meetings, you don't have to lead an event but if you have any fundraising ideas you think would work, have time to lend a hand at any event organised or indeed, have a skill or talent that you could offer, we really would love to hear from you.

The PTA would particularly like to thank Mrs Newby and Mr Whitehead at school for the practical and advisory support in organising the event and ensuring it was a success on the night. They were at school throughout the day on Saturday helping us set up and stayed well into the night - thank you.

Thank you again to everyone who came, enjoyed and supported us - we loved it! Remember Remember, 2019 November!

**PTA Committee**



## DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

**PTA AGM**  
**Mon 26 Nov 7pm**  
**School Hall**

We'll be electing the PTA committee for 2018/19, talking about plans for 2019 including what we'll be raising money for.

Come along for a slice of cake and to hear what we'll be doing and how you can get involved.

## GET IN TOUCH, STAY INFORMED

IF YOU HAVE ANY IDEAS ABOUT WHAT WE SHOULD RAISE FUNDS FOR OR WHAT EVENTS WE SHOULD ORGANISE THIS YEAR - WE'D LOVE TO KNOW! FOR MORE INFORMATION, FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK, EMAIL [FRIENDS@SOUTHCAVEPRIMARY.CO.UK](mailto:friends@southcaveprimary.co.uk) OR SPEAK TO ONE OF US IN THE PLAYGROUND.

**Facebook:** Friends of South Cave School