

Tuesday 21 May 2024

Dear Parents

RE. Crucial call for volunteers for the GPPSA!

I am writing to you today with an important message regarding the Grange Park Primary School Association (GPPSA) and a crucial call for volunteers.

The GPPSA is a registered charity dedicated to fostering a strong partnership between home and school. It plays a vital role in bringing together parents, families, friends, staff, and the local community to support our school socially and financially. Every family with a child enrolled at Grange Park Primary School is automatically a member of the GPPSA.

The GPPSA is instrumental in organising a variety of social events that build our school community and raise much-needed funds. These events include our much-loved Summer and Christmas Fayres, discos, Bag2School collections, and more. Through these activities, the GPPSA has funded significant projects such as:

- The pond
- The creation of a forest school area
- Resurfacing the playground surfaces
- The fire pit
- A sound system for the hall
- Refurb of our reading hub
- Sound panels in the dining hall
- Our chicken coop
- PA system for inside and outside
- Additional playground equipment including loose parts
- Replacement of our fixed playground equipment

Unfortunately, several key members of the GPPSA, including our Co-Chairs Alexia Edwards and Sarah Revell, will be stepping down at the end of this year. Many have served for a long time and are now facing increasing work commitments or their children are leaving the school. This leaves us in desperate need of new volunteers to take on these roles. Without your support, we will not be able to continue organising vital events, which are essential for both community building and fundraising.

We urgently need parents to step forward to take on the following roles:

- Chair (this could be two parents as co-chairs)
- Designer for all GPPSA promotional material/flyers
- General Committee members to support with events across the year

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We welcome any and all individuals who are willing to contribute their time and energy. Also a group of parents who are friends or have children in the same class might consider taking on some of these roles together. Commitments include monthly meetings at the school on Fridays at 2pm and supporting the organisation of events. You won't be on your own—many hands make light work!

If you are interested in becoming a member of the GPPSA, please [click here](#). There will be a meeting on **Tuesday 18 June at 6:30pm at the school** to meet with the current committee and discuss what the roles involve and key information.

Thank you for considering this important request. Together, we can ensure that the GPPSA continues to thrive and support our wonderful school.

Warm regards

Tijen Hassan

Headteacher