

WELCOME TO ALL NEW PARENTS! On behalf of Bournemouth School Parents' Association (BSPA) we welcome you all to Bournemouth School and hope that you will support us by attending events, and offering us your help and/or submitting ideas. We'll be in touch soon with more details about how Yr 7 parents can get involved.

THE SUMMER BBQ & AUCTION MADE A VERY HEALTHY AMOUNT - £1,777.00. THANK YOU SO VERY, VERY MUCH TO EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTED US. It really was a great evening; we raised a *substantial* amount of funds for school. The success of the evening was further enhanced by the professionalism of the sixth form students for assisting with sound, lighting, and keeping tabs on the many auction bids. Well done lads!

During the b-b-q, we said farewell to John Granger and he was truly delighted with his gift from parents. We managed to purchase vouchers for an overnight stay at The Christchurch Harbour Hotel plus dinner for two at Rhodes South Restaurant. Many thanks again to parents for their generosity.

Jonathan Gibson, former Treasurer, also left us after many years of valuable support to both school and the PA. Jonathan will be very much missed.

The Used Uniform sale raised £479 and continues to be well supported. Thanks to everyone who helped with this ever popular sale.

Our thanks, also, to the many parents who gave their time and support to the auction & b-b-q. We had more support than ever before and it really did make a difference. From donating a salad or promise to helping decorate the hall – EVERYONE had a big part to play in ensuring the overall success. It is very much appreciated and the committee recognise parental support is key to the success of events & fundraising. So, on behalf of the committee, THANK YOU.

Sarah Howard – Chairperson

Committee members:

Jeff Sadd – Vice Chair & Lottery Co-ordinator
Mary Ahearne – Secretary
Sally Cass – Co-ordinator
Yolanda Smith - Treasurer

Want to contact us? Email:
pa@bournemouth-school.org

APPOINTMENT OF NEW TREASURER

We are delighted to announce that Yolanda Smith has agreed to take-over this vital role from Jonathan Gibson. We are certain Yolanda will prove an asset to the team and look forward to welcoming her on board officially at the AGM next week.

STAGE LIGHTING – the committee have agreed to fund much needed improvements to the stage lighting in the main hall. **NEW FURNITURE** was supplied to the library last term and the boys inform us it's really made a difference to them. Improving the school for the boys is what it's all about so many, many thanks. We'll keep you updated regarding any future funding plans.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

WEDNESDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 7.30pm - AGM

Come along and meet the committee, find out who we are, what we've achieved so far, what we hope to achieve and how you might help. (Refreshments provided).

Location: Bournemouth School (committee room).
Time: 7.30pm. **ALL WELCOME – RSVP to:**
pa@bournemouth-school.org

FRIDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER, 7.00pm
ANNUAL QUIZ – not to be missed! Start thinking about putting together your winning team..... (max. 8). This is a popular event with bar, meal, adults & youngsters' quiz, plus raffle draw. Tickets on sale soon.

FRIDAY, 12TH MARCH - SPRING EVENT (t.b.a.)

All ideas on a postcard please to.....
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ARE YOU A SUPPORTER OF OUR LOTTERY?

If not, you could be missing out on an opportunity to win a cash prize whilst generating extra income for your son's school.

- Monthly draw – prizes £85-£90 average

Need to know more? Want to sign up? Contact:

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