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Issue 3

Dear Parents, Carers, Students and Staff,

Our Xmas Market is this Friday 6<sup>th</sup> Friday!

Two of our very talented Passmores Crew have designed the posters. Well done Melody and Taliah!

This is our last plea for any tombola donations, we are looking for any small gifts or vouchers that can be won during the tombola at the Market. Every year has been a huge success making a large amount of money for the school but we are lacking in prizes this year and need your help. Please bring these to reception by Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>.

Hope to see you on Friday.



## AGM

A very successful AGM was held on the 6<sup>th</sup> of November. Thank you to those who attended. We are pleased to announce the following members in their new (and old) positions.

Congratulations!

Chair: Emma Cooper  
Vice Chair: Kaisa Kurm  
Secretary: Carly Brace  
Treasurer: Caron Fry

We have also appointed:

Claire to be our raffle lead,  
Russel to be our calendar lead.

These positions were brought in last year and has been a huge achievement in our team being more organised and working efficient.

We have left our publicity position open and will have another meeting in the new year all about this position.

Our profit from last year was £1584 and we attended 14 different school events which included our events and school events, e.g. the production and parent evenings.

Our grants were given to the following departments: Spanish, English, Geography, I Future.

## Easy Fundraising

Last year FOPs signed up to Easy Fundraising, this website is the easiest way to raise money for us. Easy fundraising partners with over 7,500 brands who will donate part of what you spend to a cause of your choice. It won't cost you any extra. The cost is covered by the brand.



If you're shopping the Black Friday and Cyber Monday sales, make sure you use #easyfundraising. Over 8,000 retailers will donate, so you can raise a FREE donation for Friends of Passmores every time you grab a bargain, whether that's gadgets, electricals, games consoles, toys, clothes, gifts or anything else!

We have raised nearly £200 so far but we would love more of you to join. Please follow this link to sign up.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friends-of-passmores> or scan the QR code above.

## How can you help?

We are always looking for more parents/carers to help at events or coming to meetings to brainstorm new ideas. We do not expect you to be at every meeting/event but to know you could be available to help means the world to us. If you can help with the above events, please email the team using the address at the bottom on the newsletter or use this link to fill out the online form so one of the team can contact you:

<https://forms.office.com/e/UQHL7gMVub>

**Thank you for your support we look forward to seeing you at our events.**

**Email: [fop@passmoresacademy.com](mailto:fop@passmoresacademy.com)**

**Instagram: [@passmores\\_community](https://www.instagram.com/passmores_community)**

**Facebook: Friends of Passmores**

Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	Xmas Market – 6:30pm
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