

FODS Newsletter

JANUARY - MARCH 2026

2025/2026

Thanks to your generosity, we are able to continue supporting activities & resources that directly benefit our children, from enriching classroom experiences to memorable school events. This year, we have lots of exciting plans already in the pipeline and plenty of opportunities for everyone to get involved.

WHAT HAVE WE BEEN UP TO?

December was a busy & successful month for FODS!

Our **Christmas Fair** raised a fantastic £980.00 & we were delighted to see the return of **Elfridges**.

Although Elfridges was run at cost & did not make a profit, the children absolutely loved having the opportunity to buy gifts for their loved ones.

Our school **lottery** raised an amazing £630.00 over the last term – an incredible achievement, thank you to everyone who takes part. For £2.50 per ticket (per month) you have the chance to win £50.00.

Please scan our QR code.



scan to apply for FODS lottery tickets

Pre-loved uniform sales raised £115.00; please don't forget to email us if you have any pre-loved uniform needs.

WHAT'S ON

20th March - Easter Fair

Non uniform day

23rd March - FODS Social.

A chance to meet our team & find out more about FODS

18th April - Bingo. Our sell out event returns for another year - get your dabbers ready!

13th June - Sponsored Walk. Colourful outfits, happy steps. More information to follow.

17th July - Summer Sizzle 2026.

Food, Friends & Memories.

Please keep an eye on our website (QR code below)



LOOKING AHEAD

At our AGM in September 2026, a large part of the FODS committee will be stepping down. We'll be saying goodbye to 6 of our 8 team, including our two Co-Chairs (Angharad & Jen), Secretary (Naomi), Treasurer (Nicola C) & the Pre-loved Uniform team (Alie & Nicola P).

While this marks a natural transition, it does mean we'll be looking for new volunteers to step in & help keep FODS going.

FODS is a fun, rewarding way to get involved in school life, meet other parents & make a real difference for our children. The roles are far less time-consuming than you might think - over the past few years we've worked together to streamlined roles & introduce handy tools such as our website & ticket scanning, all designed to reduce workload & make things easy to manage as a team. You won't be thrown in at the deep end. We promise full handovers, opportunities to shadow current committee members & ongoing support every step of the way. No experience is needed - just a willingness to get involved. Without a new committee, FODS unfortunately won't be able to continue running, so if you've ever enjoyed a FODS event or wondered about helping out, now is the perfect time to get involved.

Even taking on a small role makes a huge difference - it really is good fun!