

# P.T.A.

# ALUN SCHOOL



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Dear Parents

Early into the new academic year I am writing to you on behalf of the Alun School P.T.A. to seek your support for the coming twelve months.

This year, rather than trying to raise money via a series of events, we have decided to focus upon one single activity, a **Grand Raffle**. The school will be managing the distribution of tickets on our behalf and the money raised will be used to make a significant donation to Hope House Hospice, with the remainder shared between the school and the P.T.A. to support activities beyond the scope of normal school funding.

We appreciate that many parents would like to support the school and the P.T.A. but that other commitments often make this difficult to do. Purchasing raffle tickets will hopefully provide you with a simple and effective way of doing this.

Initially, each pupil will be bringing home two books of tickets worth a total of £10. We hope that you and your family will be able to purchase these tickets and, as well as helping the P.T.A., you will be in with a chance of winning one of **five prizes that include a digital 37" widescreen LCD television**.

The **Grand Raffle Draw** will take place on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November at the PTA Murder Mystery Evening. A letter giving details of this will be coming home soon and we hope that many of you will decide to come along and join us for what promises to be a very enjoyable evening.

Finally, may I give you advance notice and invite you to the P.T.A. Annual General Meeting on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September, at 7pm. We would be delighted to welcome you to a friendly and informal meeting that will review the past few months and plan ahead for the remainder of the year. Please complete the attached form and return to school with regard to the AGM.

Also attached is an application form for the 'Alun Lottery'. If you are not already members please help us and support the school by completing the form and return it direct to the school office.

We look forward to seeing you at the meeting or the Murder Mystery Evening and hope that, in the meantime, you will be able to support our Grand Raffle. If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact us via the school office.

Yours sincerely

Mrs T Gilliland