

SHS Spring Fayre Saturday 11th May 2019 11am- 2pm

We are now just three school weeks away from our Spring Fayre!

Students and staff across the school have been busy planning events, stalls and activities and I know that the School Council are very keen to spend the money raised on even more school projects! After the Easter holiday we will write and give you a list of all of the activities and events that we have arranged but today we are focusing on the main event which is our cake and plant sale. A final programme will be available on the day of the fayre with a prize draw for one lucky programme owner.

On **Friday 20th** we are having our pre-Fayre non-uniform day to support the event and we are very keen to receive as many **donations of the following items** for the stalls and sale as possible:

- Homemade cakes or scones
- Homemade biscuits
- Shop bought cakes, scones, biscuits – all of which should be in date.
- Packs of unopened seeds (in date)
- Plants – named so we know what we are selling
- Seedlings – named so we know what we are selling
- Cuttings – named so we know what we are selling
- Chocolate bars or chocolate items (in date) for the chocolate tombola
- Soft toys for the teddy tombola
- A rather large softie or two for the “name the softie” tombola
- Books
- Unwanted DVDs (please be aware of content and age rating – we cannot sell age rated DVDs to anyone below the age classification for the DVD)
- Unwanted computer, Wii, X Box, Play Station games etc although the age related point above counts here too.
- Items and prizes for the raffle.
- Bottles of wine for the bottle tombola (please bring these to reception rather than to school via your child!)

Non-perishable items:

Students can bring a lot of these items into school during the week beginning Tuesday 7th May. There will be boxes in form rooms to collect the items.

Perishable items:

Cakes, plants, perishable items etc should all be brought in on Friday 10th May and brought straight to the School Hall.

If parents/carers are able to help on Friday 10th or Saturday 11th, please contact Mrs Knight ahead of the day.

This year we are also keen to further develop our craft stall area of the Spring Fayre. Many parents will be keen crafters or perhaps know relatives and friends who are too. We are happy to hire a table (in the sixth form

common room or outside if you wish) for £10 per table. Items to be sold must be appropriate for sale at a school fayre. If you would like to hire a table please contact the school reception with your contact details.

Our community calendar is not just about fundraising. It is also about having fun and bringing the students, staff, parents and the school community together. Over the last three years, our Spring Fayre raised more than £10,000 and attended by over 1000 people. We hope to welcome even more people to this year's event and all very much hope to see you on Saturday 11th May either as a volunteer or visitor buying items, having fun and raising funds! As always parking will be difficult on site and so please park with consideration to our neighbours or use the Vista or town car parks. However, our Duke Of Edinburgh Team are running a car wash on the day so if you would like priority parking on site and your car washed as well please contact school and speak to Mr Smith! Please see our website for further updates and information. We will also send In-Touch alerts as the fayre draws closer.