

# FRIENDS OF CRACOE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term: Spring | January 2018

## CLOTHING COLLECTION

We are having a clothing collection on **Friday 9 February**. All monies raised will go to Cracoe Friends with a donation to the firefighters charity.

All donations should be dropped into the car park at school at drop off on **Friday 9 February**.

What can you donate:

- Adult & children's clothing (not branded uniform)
- Socks
- Coats
- Underwear
- Paired shoes
- Handbags
- Linen

NO bric-a-brac, plastic toys or electric items please.



## COFFEE MORNING

On **Saturday 27 January** from 9.30am - 12pm we will be hosting the coffee morning at Grassington Church House.

We will be running a cake sale, raffle and tombola alongside the cafe.

We would really appreciate any help you can give. We need:

- Helpers on the day
- Bakers (small cakes and cookies sell well)
- Raffle prizes
- Chocolate for the tombola

Please let Sarah Roche know ASAP if you are able to help.

## GYMNASTICS

Due to the short half term there will be no after school club on a Wednesday. After half term Kanga Sports will be running a new gymnastics club for us on a Wednesday from 3.30-4.30pm.

There will be six sessions running on 21/02, 28/02, 07/03, 14/03, 21/03 and 28/03. Sessions are £4.50 each and there will be limited places available so please book your places early to avoid disappointment



## KEY DATES

**Saturday 27 January @ 9.30am -  
Church House Coffee Morning**

*Grassington Church House*

**Monday 29 January @ 8pm - Friends  
of Cracoe School AGM**

*The Devonshire Arms, Cracoe*

**Friday 9 February @ 9am - Clothing  
Collection**

*Cracoe School*

**Thursday 29 March @ 8pm - Auction  
of Promises Dinner**

*The Devonshire Arms, Cracoe TBC*

## AUCTION OF PROMISES

The team at School have done a wonderful job of putting a wish list together for us of all the things that they would like to support and enrich the children's learning. We would obviously like to buy as much of this as possible whilst continuing to support all of our existing commitments at school but we need money to do this!

In March we will be having an online Auction of Promises and we need your help! To ensure maximum variety and value, we need to offer a combination of promises, products and services - this will guarantee that there's something for everyone. Please let us know if there is anything that you or your company can contribute to the auction. It could be anything from a homemade bake to a weekend away in a holiday cottage. Every little helps!



## EASYFUNDRAISING

We launched easyfundraising for Cracoe School just under a year ago. To date we have raised an amazing **£304.49!** Huge thanks to our supporters for all their help. That's a whole coffee morning of fund raising that hasn't taken any effort!



If you haven't already, please join easyfundraising and you can collect free donations for us every time you buy something online. It's free and easy to sign up and it won't cost you a penny extra so please help us to raise funds.

For more information and to sign up go to [www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/cracoeprimary/](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/cracoeprimary/)

## AMAZON WISH LIST

One of the aims for this year is to refresh and update the School's library. The team at School have put together an amazon wish list of books they would like to add to it. You can find the lists at:

<https://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/registry/wishlist/search.html>

The email address is [friendsofcracoeschool@yahoo.com](mailto:friendsofcracoeschool@yahoo.com)

Please share with family and friends. If you shop through [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) we'll get money for your purchase!



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Calling all Friends

Please come along to our Friends AGM on Monday 29 January. Your opinions really do matter and they shape how we fund raise for the year.

### Stay in the loop!

Please make sure to join us on facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/friendsofcracoeschool/> and check out our website at [www.friendsofcracoeschool.com](http://www.friendsofcracoeschool.com)