### **AGSB PFA CHRISTMAS FAIR 2024**



It's that time of the year again when the AGSB PFA are delighted to invite you to our annual Christmas Fair on Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024 12noon - 3pm at AGSB

There will be the usual mix of local small businesses, AGSB PFA, teachers and pupils selling a variety of Christmas gift ideas, fun activities and delicious food.

There will also be gastronomic home-cooked delights again from the amazing AGSB Asian Food Stall, cakes, locally sourced festival sausage rolls and brewed beer from multi-award winning traditional Real Ale suppliers - Dunham Massey Brewing Company ..... and of course, our fabulous Chocolate and Bottle Tombola.

The AGSB PFA is really hoping that with everyone's help we can, once again raise over £6,000 at the Fair this year. Last year the money raised funds for vital resources for the students such as mental health talks to all years, as required, and age appropriate.

There are numerous ways as a parent, carer or pupil that you can support us to help reach our target, as follows:

### Tombola:

On Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> November it is 'Own Clothes Day'.

In exchange we are requesting every pupil and teacher to bring in each of the following please:

A bottle of drink: these are for our Christmas Fair alcoholic and non-alcoholic Bottle Tombola. We also make up gift hampers, beautifully wrapped, that make excellent Christmas/thank-you presents which we can sell at the Christmas Fair.

#### **PLUS**

A Box of Chocolates or Sweets: Lindt, Jelly Beans, Heroes, Green & Blacks, Hotel Chocolat, Hershey Bars, Milk Tray, After 8's etc ... these are for our very popular Chocolate Tombola stall – you never know you may even win back your donated chocolates!!

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## Bake-off Competition

This year, to raise funds for the School, we will be hosting our very first ever AGSB Christmas Fair Bake-off!!

There are just 10 places available!

The Bake-off will be held in the Food Tech kitchen during the Christmas Fair on 17<sup>th</sup> November 12noon to 3pm.

Entry to the competition is £10 which will include your entry ticket to the Christmas Fair.

Boys can enter either alone or with another person (family or friend) and bake a Christmasthemed cake which will be judged and a prize awarded to our very first

AGSB PFA 2024 Star Baker!! 💯

To enter, please email <a href="mailto:pfaagsb@gmail.com">pfaagsb@gmail.com</a> with your name, if you're entering with someone else (can be parent, sibling who must be of secondary school age and over, grandparent, relative or friend), plus your son's class and description of what you want to bake. You will need to provide your own ingredients and baking tins, other equipment will be provided.

We look forward to receiving your entries which should be creative and as imaginative as possible!! Closing date for entries is 5pm on Thursday,7th November.

The 10 selected entries will be notified by email on Friday 8th November.

We look forward to hearing from you!!

# Made at Home (or if too busy brought from home!):

Always an incredibly popular stall, so please give generously, cakes, tray bakes, biscuits, jam, Christmas pudding, Christmas wreaths, Christmas decorations, flower arrangements, Christmas Gifts, the possibilities are endless!

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Hand Uniform

Please send your boys into school with any uniform that no longer fits. We are especially keen to receive games kits, jumpers, blazers base layers, jackets and salopettes, etc. Please can you ensure everything is clean! Thank you.

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Hand Books

This year we'd love to re-home your unwanted children/teens books and revision guides. Any books suitable for ages 7-15 would be greatly received to sell at our second-hand book stall! All books must be note free, suitable for the boys and their families and in good condition. Any books that the stall does not sell will be donated to charity. Please bring donations in before Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

## Please come and have fun, meet new people and volunteer!

We are setting up most of the Fair on Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> November and help is required to collate and label all the tombola items from 8-11am, as well as make up gift hampers.

Then from 2.30pm - 5.30pm we need more help to set out the tombola's ready for Sunday.

On Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November, every stall will need helpers, so please fill in the <u>VOLUNTEERS online form</u> and let us know your availability!

Please support our AGSB PFA charity by coming along with friends & family, doing some Christmas shopping and simply enjoying the afternoon on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November 12noon - 3pm.

Your support is always appreciated.

Please remember you can also support AGSB PFA by simply giving a donation via ParentPay.

You can contact the PFA by emailing us at pfaagsb@gmail.com

Many thanks!

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