

Friends of Broad Chalke School News

Many businesses are opting to make charitable contributions as part of 'social responsibilities', thereby showcasing their genuine commitment to making a positive impact on society. This week we thought we would take a closer look at 3 different corporate charitable contribution opportunities for FOBS

Corporate Charity Donations: employee opportunities and a success story!

One of our parents has recently highlighted and acted upon a charitable grant available to employees within her company. We are so incredibly grateful to 'Super Mumma' Helen Rudolf-Saeed who, over the summer, implemented the initiative to both investigate and apply for funding from these contributions available to her. The PIB Community Trust was set up in 2021, to boost the fundraising efforts of its company's employees. Since starting, the trust has donated to over 400 charities and causes, ranging from the bigger appeals such as for Ukrainian refugees and Alzheimer's etc, right down to individual applications requesting support for schools and other personal fundraising. By applying for an 'Individual Grant', Helen requested a contribution to something that is personal to her and, last week, we received the *official* news that the Trust have awarded the Friends of Broad Chalke School with a phenomenal **£600 donation!!!!** This is the maximum amount available. We cannot thank you enough, Helen, for not only thinking of us but also in taking the time to complete the application. Helen is keen to help raise awareness of these opportunities and has really kindly offered to speak with or help any other parents who may find themselves in similar positions, should they wish. If you would like to know more or get in touch with Helen then we can happily link you together through our class reps network. Well done Helen for your initiative and, once again, we are so thankful for your support.

NEW ASDA Rewards: Cashpot for Schools

Parentkind (a charity which supports PTAs) has recently teamed up with ASDA to give away *millions* of pounds to primary schools through their 'cashpot for schools' initiative. It's as simple as signing up for ASDA Rewards and opting into the scheme and shopping either online or in store between now and 30th November '24. Every school receives £50 to start with, followed by an additional £1 every time someone simply opts into the scheme through the Rewards app. On shopping through the app, ASDA will furthermore donate 0.5% of your spend to your chosen school. Even if only to sign up and add an extra pound to the pot, please follow the 3 simple instructions below;

- 1) Download the ASDA Rewards App and sign up
- 2) Select our primary school – Broad Chalke C.E. Primary School
- 3) Shop instore or online

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Easyfundraising is such an easy and simple way in which we can keep building cash in the bank to support our children. Every time you shop online, over 7,000 supporting brands are prepared to donate to us, including all the big names like eBay, John Lewis, Argos, ASOS, M&S, Expedia and many many more! No matter what you're buying, these supporting brands donate a % of your spend, all for *Free* to both you and us. We've been registered with the scheme for a couple of years now and have raised over £2850 total..... with only 7 supporters signed up! Imagine the impact 70 supporters could have!!! If you're not yet signed up, it would be great if you could take a moment to get started. Please feel free to also share far and wide between family and friends...

- 1) Visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk
- 2) Sign up and search for us – Friends of Broad Chalke School
- 3) Follow the set-up instructions carefully and all your favourite brands start donating to us every time you shop!



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- 1** Download the Asda Rewards app and opt-in to Cashpot for Schools.
- 2** Choose your primary school
- 3** Shop in-store across Asda & George, and scan your Asda Rewards app at the checkout.
- 4** Shopping online? Simply log in to Asda.com using the same details as your Asda Rewards account.
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