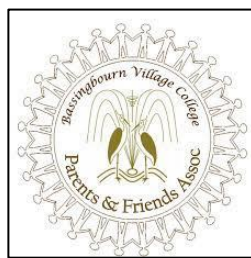


# Parents & Friends of Bassingbourn Village College



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We delivered our Annual General Meeting this term, and in this newsletter we share our total fundraising from 2022 and look ahead to the summer term. Happy Easter! And enjoy the break.

## **Thank you for your donations in 2022!**

2022 was a big year of fundraising for the school – together we raised an incredible **£7,500**. This came from your monthly standing orders, our Easter raffle, the second-hand school uniform sales, corporate giving through Benevity / Charitable Giving, our ASDA win (more below!), school disco, Xmas 50:50 Draw plus all the support at school events.

## **Our giant £500 cheque from ASDA!**



## **Second-hand School Uniform Sale**

You can find the latest available stock on our [Facebook group](#) and access our live Google sheet. Please pay via PayPal to reserve your item(s) and collection from school reception will be 2-3 days later. New donations arrive frequently, so check back if what you want is out of stock.

**How are we spending the funds raised?** BVC are currently finalising costs for the upgrades to the school's production, sound and lighting equipment; we'll soon move on to new fundraising targets.

**Summer Term Fundraising** We'll be looking to have a stall again at Bassingbourn's "Mayhem" event over Spring Bank Holiday, launch our Spring online raffle and bring back "Fun Food Fridays" after school. Please get in touch with any fundraising ideas you have.

Email: [pfa@bassingbournvc.org](mailto:pfa@bassingbournvc.org)

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Contact: Tom Lock, Chair.

What's our purpose? We aim to provide facilities and equipment to support BVC and the student's education.

Not much time?

4 quick ways to help...

1) When buying online, visit [Easy Fundraising](#) first before going direct to your shop, supermarket or even booking your summer holiday!

2) Set up a monthly Standing Order for £2, £3, £5 or £10. See our [website](#) for bank details & gift aid form.

3) Follow the PFA at our Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/parentsandfriendsfbvc>

4) Does your employer do corporate giving, payment-in-kind or match donations of its employees? The PFA are registered on [Benevity](#) and [Charitable Giving](#) – which are used by employers.