

September 2018  
St Peter's Church in Wales Primary School, Rossett  
Annual General Meeting of the PTA  
President's Report



The contribution the PTA makes to the school cannot be adequately described in words. In order to fully appreciate the PTA's contribution to school life you need to be inside the school with the children. The children's skill and confidence with IT, for example, has improved and widened so much in recent years. As you look around the school and see all the IT equipment, which we largely take for granted, the interactive whiteboards and projectors, the trolleys of netbooks and ipads, the wireless technology and the efficient server; this has all been provided by the PTA.

PTA Money has also funded some more traditional resources, for example their financial contribution to the reading scheme, enabling us to buy everything in one go, has been a major factor in its' success. The look on the children's faces when they are using these resources is when you fully appreciate the PTA's contribution to our school. We **would not have** these things in school without the hard work of the committee and the willingness of parents, friends and staff to come along and support their events.

Equally appreciative of your hard work are our parents; it's lovely to be able to say to them 'we've got the theatre group coming into school, but don't worry about sending in individual payments, the PTA are covering the cost.' Keeping weekly swim/gym transport costs down to only £1 continues to be well received by the parents too.

The PTA is not just about fundraising, wonderful as that is! The teachers and teaching assistants in our school rely on you for support. We know that if we need extra help for a particular activity we will get it from you. We enjoy working alongside you to make the discos, bingo nights, film nights and so on, really enjoyable events for our children.

Thank you all for your commitment and hard work; on behalf of all the staff and the children in school, we see the difference you all make.