

AGENDA

Christmas Cocktail and AGM - December 8th from 7pm to 10pm



CFBL Parents would like to invite all of you to its Annual General Meeting which will be held on <u>Tuesday</u>, 8th of <u>December from 7pm to 10pm</u> in the school lunchroom. The meeting is a great opportunity for you to find out about what CFBL Parents does throughout the year. We will present your our financial results, tell you about our fundraising events, and explain how we spend the money we raise.

We will discuss the new projects for the year ahead and about ways in which CFBL Parents supports the children within the school. New members of the Parents Association board will also be elected at that moment. We will follow the meeting with a Christmas cocktail party, an opportunity to have a chat with your old friends and meet new parents. There is no commitment to join CFBL Parents but we would love to see new members!

We hope you can join us! Please register before the 4th of December at http://doodle.com/ChristmasCocktailCFBLParents2015

GRADUATION DINER PARTY @ DNB event A great night for the lovely class of 2015





On October 9th, CFBL has invited its class of 2015 students (first class of CFBL to graduate from college!) so that they could receive their **Brevet National Diploma**. CFBL Parents association has funded the event with a £1800 budget and greatly contributed in organizing the event by preparing and decorating the lunchroom and offering welcome cocktails to parents and students for a great celebration night and diner party.

The graduation was celebrated with great speeches from Mr. Gabet and teachers and had extremely happy moments with students so enthusiastic to see their friends, teachers and to share unforgettable moments. A big thank you to our volunteer parents Catherine, Rachel, June, Virginie, Asmaa, Lamia, Bertha, Stéphanie, Nihel..!

CO-FUNDING OF SECONDARY CLASSES FIELD TRIPS Pedagogy on the field





Thanks to the different fundraising events supported by CFBL Parents, all the field trips offered to secondary classes are half-funded by the parents' association. For this year, approximately £2600 have been allocated to these field trips. **Few**

examples for this year are:

« The woman in black » workshop for all 3^e classes with Mrs. Welby, the venue at the Chelsea Theater for the representation of « l'entrevue de Saint Cloud » with Mrs. Hilal, the workshop and the representation « as you like it » at the National Theater for 5^e classes with Mrs. Watts and of course the immersion week for 6e classes on the Isle of Wight...

SCHOOL TEA TOWELS ARE BACK

A great gift for every member in the family (primary school only)





This year again, tea towels are back by popular demand and CFBL will be selling them to raise money for school projects.

All the pupils from primary school have drawn a lovely portrait of themselves, which are printed, on the tea towel along with the school name and logo; the towel will be printed Orange for GSM-CP-CE1 and red for CE2-CM1-CM2, they are selling for \pounds 4 each.

They are a great souvenir and would make fantastic gifts for the holiday's season for family members.

You can directly buy them on Fridays (start Friday December 27th) at the same time than the viennoiseries sale at both Cathcart Street and Willes road gates in the upcoming weeks. In case you cannot make it, you can always purchase during the Christmas cocktail event or just by ordering them through your child. For that, just fill an envelop labeled CFBL Parents / Torchon with your child's name, class and the number of required towels and the exact change for the amount purchased. Envelops will be picked up from the CFBL Parents mailbox (entrance Mrs. Boachie) and tea towels will be given to pupils in class by their teachers on Fridays.

Please be aware that tea towels are subject to availability and strictly **limited** on a **first come first serve** basis while **stocks** last. We would like to thank Sophie Araud-Sheldon for her contribution on this subject.

SEASON'S GREETINGS BESPOKE CARDS

A must have for the holiday season



Your kids are amazing artists! They have brought back to school the amazing designs they have created last week for the new fundraising project CFBL Parents is participating in. CFBL Parents is partnering with IQ Cards which will print their unique designs onto very high quality Season's Greetings Cards, Thank You Postcards, Gift Wrap and Sticky Gift Labels ... Your child's name will even be printed onto the products for that personal touch!

The quality and price of these products is fantastic (£ 10 for the package) and they are perfect to send to friends and family for the holiday's season. All the funds that we raise through your support (20% of the sales) will be used to fund different school projects. Your orders will be delivered beginning of December in school. A big thank you to Quitterie Jarrosson for her contribution to this project.

LA BELLE EPOQUE'S VIENNOISERIES SALE

For everybody's pleasure and to help finance school projects



Every Friday, between 2: 30 and 4pm, CFBL Parents holds viennoiseries sales in the Secondary courtyard on Willes Road and at 3: 45 on Cathcart Street for the primary school.

Pupils are able to purchase viennoiseries during recess time in the afternoon and during pick up by parents. A great assortment of viennoiseries is offered, baguettes and brioches all baked in the heart of London with French natural products at La Belle Époque bakery.

Prices vary from £1 for viennoiseries to £5 for brioche from Vendee. Both stands are managed by 2 volunteer parents: a big thank you to Frédérique Renon and

Marine who are committed each week on Willes Road side and the volunteers on Cathcart street. All profits go entirely to CFBL Parents to fund various school projects. Then, do not forget to give few coins to your child on Friday morning...they love buying and sharing a viennoiserie with friends on Friday! .

CLASS PHOTOS Unforgettable school memories



We would like to thank the volunteer parents in charge of the school photos project, Anne Gauvrit, Stéphanie Crémieux et Elise Boirel for the implementation and the follow up on that project for which all profits go also towards CFBL Parents to fund different school projects. Class photos should be handed to pupils in the upcoming weeks.

DO YOU KNOW EASYFUNDRAISING?

More ways to raise funds for CFBL Parents - no extra cost!



By clicking on http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/cfbl, you can help raise funds for the school, at no extra cost to you! Just signup for free by supporting a good cause (CFBL Parents) and whenever you buy anything online from your weekly shop to your annual holiday - you could be raising a free donation for CFBL Parents. There are nearly 3,000 retailers including Amazon, John Lewis, Aviva, the train line and Sainsbury's, who will donate a percentage of the amount you spend to CFBL Parents to say thank you for shopping with them. There are no catches or hidden charges. CFBL Parents is very grateful for all donations raised so far since our existence, around £ 2900. Thanks for those who are

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The School Restaurant Committee will hold a meeting on December 2nd 2015. Members will include: a parent representative, students, school representatives and restaurant representatives. If you have any questions or comments regarding this matter, please not hesitate to contact Delphine Ingelaere, dephinelondon5@gmail.com