

What is the VSA?

The Vallis First School Association consists of Parents, Guardians, Grandparents, Teachers and School Staff. Every Parent/Guardian automatically becomes a member of the VSA when their children join the school. Anyone is welcome to join the VSA committee, or to support our work in other ways. We'd love to hear your ideas!

What is our aim?

The main aim of the VSA is fundraising, but to do this through enhancing school life with social events and supporting the work of the school staff.

How can you help????

Regular events:

There are a wide variety of fundraising events that the VSA have found to be successful. Some are more profitable than others, but raising money is not always the only objective. Improving partnerships between parents and teachers and between home and school plays a vital part in these events too.

- Class Cakes Sales - most Friday afternoons
- Second Hand Uniform Shop - first Friday afternoon of every month
- Summer Fair
- Christmas Family Bingo
- School Discos
- Hundred Club
- Leavers' Party
- World Book Day Book Sale

The Committee:

We usually meet on a Wednesday after school once or twice a term. A crèche is provided. If you are unable to make meetings, we still welcome your input - please leave any comments for the VSA with the school office or speak to:

- Helen Loughlin - Chair (parent)
- Alex Kershaw-Moore - Treasurer (parent)
- Ali Plumridge - Teacher representative

Where possible, we like to have a parent representative from each class. VSA updates are on the Thursday note and you can follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/groups/VallisVSA

We welcome any help you can offer; be it ideas or practical help. Even if you don't have the time available to help with running events, did you know you can still help raise funds for the school?

Order 'Stikins' name labels and raise money for the school - we receive commission on orders placed using our fundraising number 24296: www.stikins.co.uk

The Giving Machine - if you are shopping online from hundreds of well-known brands you can use The Giving Machine to raise money for our school. Sign up, choose Vallis First School as your cause and a percentage of your total spend is paid to the school as commission.

Thank you for your support.