



Parish Council Report March 2022

FOPPS (Friends of Pulham Primary School), like many others, were severely affected in 2020/2021 by the Covid 19 pandemic. Many of the FOPPS fundraising activities are in person and therefore we saw a reduction in fundraising opportunities. However, a successful virtual balloon race took place and raised £1,472 (including business donations). FOPPS funded £650 worth of sporting equipment including, footballs, basketballs, hula hoops etc for the school. Each class teacher was also given £100 to spend on resources needed by their class for example art supplies, books etc.

2022 is looking a lot brighter, with several fundraising activities planned to take place: school disco, storyteller & BBQ, quiz & chips evening, bake sales etc. As well as applications for funding / grants from the Parish Council and local businesses. Our key focus for 2022:

1. Garden Project – Move the poly tunnel to the school meadow and create five raised beds, one for each class, to aid outdoor and practical learning for all year groups.
2. Storage shed / unit and racks – to house and protect existing sporting equipment and allow room for further sporting equipment to be purchased.
3. Support a school trip for each class, to reduce costs to parents and ensure inclusivity of the educational trip. E.g., Victorian school trip.

The FOPPS committee looks forward to working with the Parish Council and continuing to support Pulham Primary, with the resources they need to develop further the school and the children's educational experience.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sally Lucas', written in a cursive style.

Sally Lucas

FOPPS Secretary