

A simple guide to





We'll cover...

- Who we are.
- Why we exist.
- What we do.
- What do the funds go towards
- Fundraising targets & goals for 2021-22.
- Ways you can get involved and contribute.
- Classlist: Our communication platform & PSA hub.
- Q&A Open forum

Who make up the PSA leadership team?

hello



Co-Chair

Nat - Mum of Nayahbelle Y4, full-time Marketing Director @ video games publisher and Manager of GU10 Guildford Hockey Club.

Co-Chair

Hux - Mum of Rafferty Y4, Dylan Y2 and Lola (age 3), ex Business Director @ Advertising Agency, small fledgling enterprise on the side.

Treasurer

Vicky - Mum of Tabatha Y4 and Matilda Y2, full-time Finance Director within Mental Healthcare.

Secretary

Man-Chie - Mum of Alex Y6 and Catherine Y5, full-time Pharmacist working in St Luke's Cancer Centre @ Royal Surrey.

Head Teacher

Mrs Higgins - You all know her!

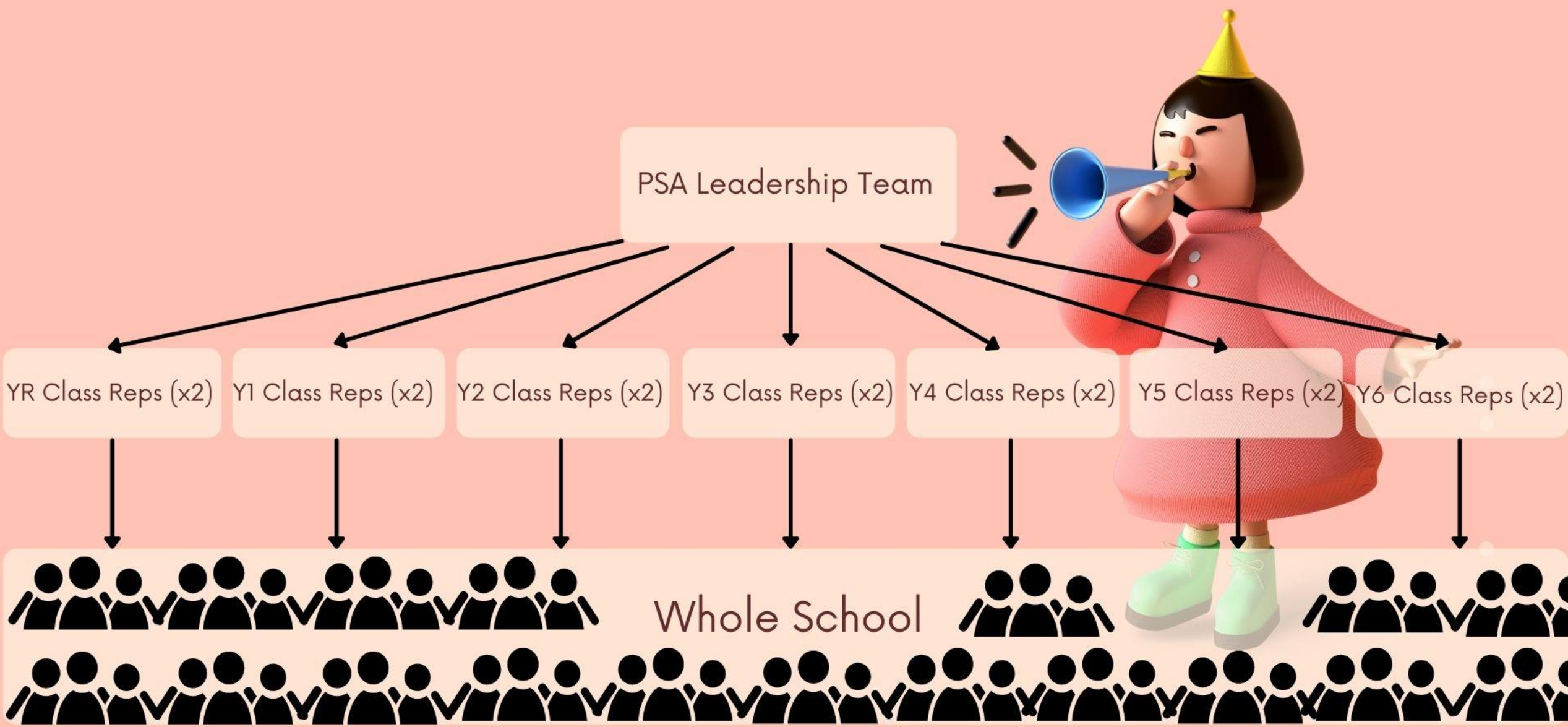
Most Importantly



YOU!



Every parent or carer of a child at St. Edmund's is automatically a PSA member!



What is the role of the PSA?

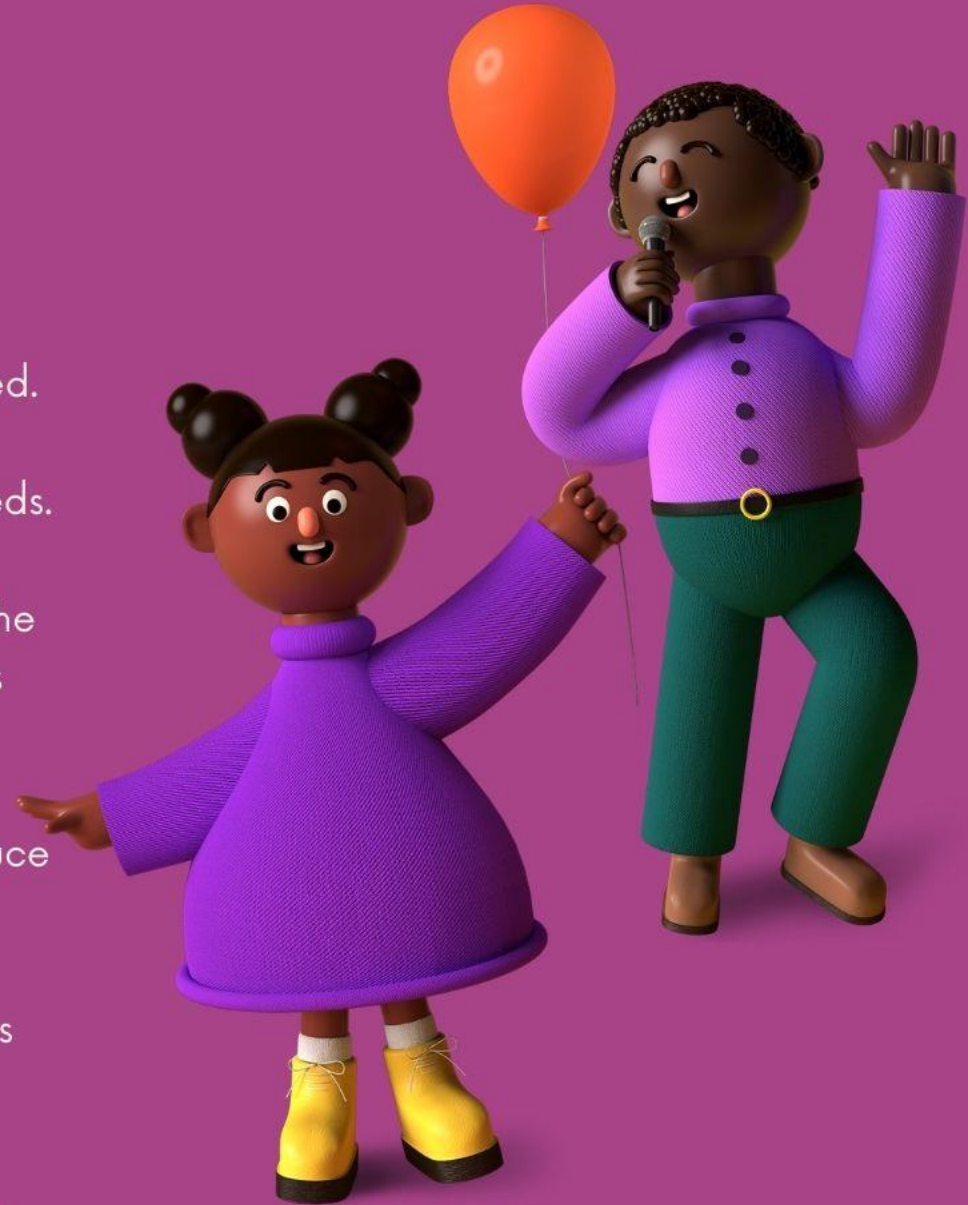


- To strengthen relationships between teachers, parents and children:
- To provide memorable experiences for our children.
- To bring parents and carers together.
- To raise important funds to enrich school facilities and advance pupils' education.



Our PSA values.

- Welcoming.
 - It is important that we are accessible and approachable.
- Inclusive.
 - A place for all to share ideas & activities... & be heard & valued.
- Relevant.
 - Stay connected to our school community & represent their needs.
- Fun.
 - We want to provide experiences where our children create the memories that make their time at the school special & parents connect with each other & build friendships.
- Sustainable.
 - View our activities through a sustainability lens & strive to reduce our impact & improve our role modelling for our children.
- Influential.
 - This is your opportunity to influence the culture of our children's school...
- Charitable & responsible.
 - The PSA is a registered charity & we abide by the constitution.



Typical annual calendar of PSA events and activities

TERM 1

September

Kids: Film Show
Parents: Coffee Morning
Families: Bake Sale (Y2)

October

Kids: Disco
Parents:
Families: Breakfast Sale (Y3)

November

Kids: Film Show, Sweetie & Bottle Mufti Days, £10 Challenge
Parents:
Families: Bake Sale (Y4)

December

Kids: Bauble Competition
Parents:
Families: Christmas Market

TERM 2

January

Kids: Disco, Book Sale
Parents:
Families: Breakfast Sale

February

Kids:
Parents: Quiz Night
Families:

March

Kids: Mufti, Film Show, Egg Decorating Competition
Parents:
Families:

TERM 3

April

Kids: Earth Day Mufti / Community Clean up / Good Deed Day
Parents: Comedy Night
Families: Bake Sale (Y6)

May

Kids: Disco
Parents:
Families: Breakfast Sale (Y5)

June

Kids: £10 Challenge
Parents: Gin Tasting with Auction
Families:

July

Kids: World Record Attempt
Parents:
Families: Summer Fair, Strawberries & Lollies Sale (Y1)

ONGOING FUNDRAISING

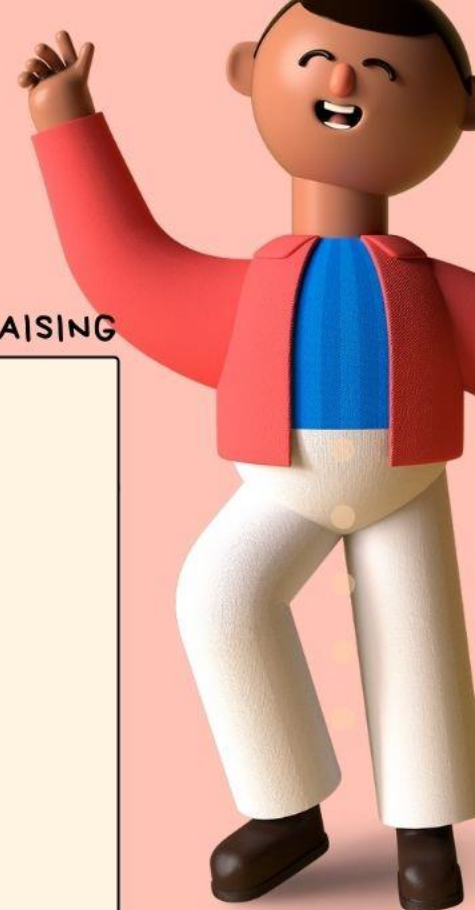
St. Ed's Lottery

Easyfundraising

Amazon Smile

Match Funding

(More on this later)



What do the funds raised go towards?

Anything that directly benefits our children:

Basic necessities include teacher supply funds and field trip supplements.

Key projects funded in the last 4 years:

- KS1 reading scheme - all books replaced
- Learn pads shared across the school
- Laptops and enhanced IT support
- Awning providing shelter for KS1 classroom

Current pot being used for:

- New projector & sound system in the hall
- KS2 Accelerated Reading Scheme Library
- Gardening Club materials





2021-22 Goals

A current focus on rebuilding our school community and giving back, in the form of enhanced events and subsidised activities.

A £10,000 fundraising target will support these initiatives

How can
you be
involved?



PSA Class Reps

Sign up as a PSA Class Rep for your year group (currently seeking 2 for Y1 and 1 for Y3).

The role

Communication - Letting your class know about events / activities / requests, and sending reminders.
Any feedback on PSA events from each class to help shape future initiatives.

Event management - Running one Bake Sale a year and organising your class stall at the Christmas Market. Possibly selling a few lollies at pick up in July.

Whatever else you fancy - If you have time and ideas, then you can make them happen. If you don't, there's zero pressure.



How you can be involved.

- Volunteer as a helper for events.
- Form a sub-team to run an ad hoc event.
- Leverage any contacts for events, fundraising initiatives, equipment and prizes.
- Come to us with any ideas that you have to raise funds or enrich our school community.
- Let us know what's working and what's not.

And if you don't have time for any of that at the moment...

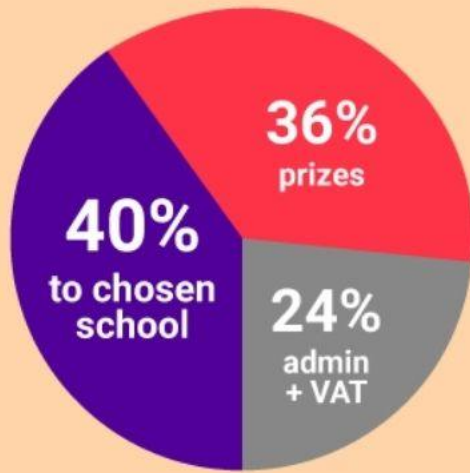




How you can help if you can't get involved.

Easy wins...

- St Edmund's School Lottery
- Easyfundraising
- Amazon Smile
- Match Funding
- Come along and support our events!



Your School Lottery:

www.yourschoollottery.co.uk

£1 per ticket

Thats right, unlike many other lotteries, our lottery tickets are only £1 per week

Help us do more

For every ticket you play, 76% goes to our school and prizes.

£25,000 grand prize

Match 6 numbers and you win the JACKPOT! Guaranteed 1 person in each school will win every week

£353.60 of £1,040.00 target



17 tickets of 50 ticket goal

Easyfundraising.

- Raise free donations when you shop online through #easyfundraising.
- The lead up to Christmas is the best time to support us and, for a limited time only, once you've raised your first £15, easyfundraising will match it!
- Sign up is simple and only takes 2 minutes to join:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk



Amazon Smile.

01

Visit WWW.SMILE.AMAZON.COM

02

Sign in as normal and select charity to support:
St Edmund'S Catholic Primary School
Association
(*note Upper case S not a typo)

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Start shopping and remember to set up
Amazon smile as your default for
checkout WWW.SMILE.AMAZON.COM





Match Funding.

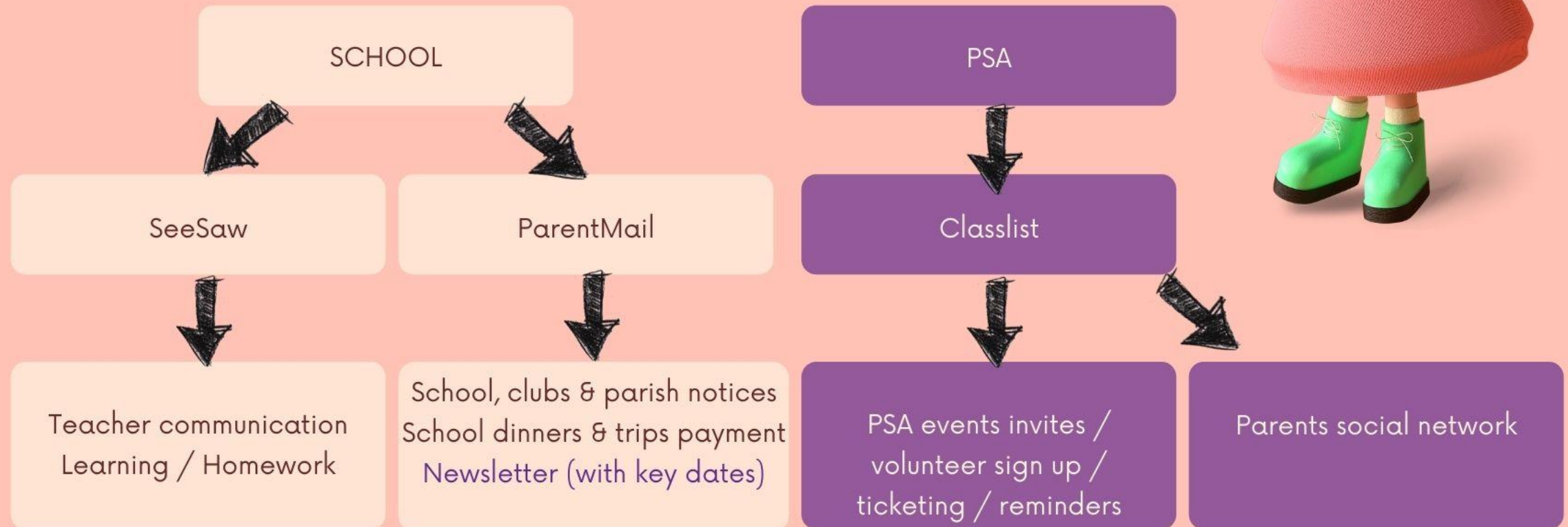
- Many companies offer a benefit of donating a sum of money to a charity when an employee supports an event.
- Please ask your employer if they offer this or another CSR programme from which our PSA (registered charity) could benefit.

And finally..... come along to our events
and join in with activities and
competitions.

**There is no point in
having them without
you!**



Our school communication channels.



A parent's guide to our PSA hub

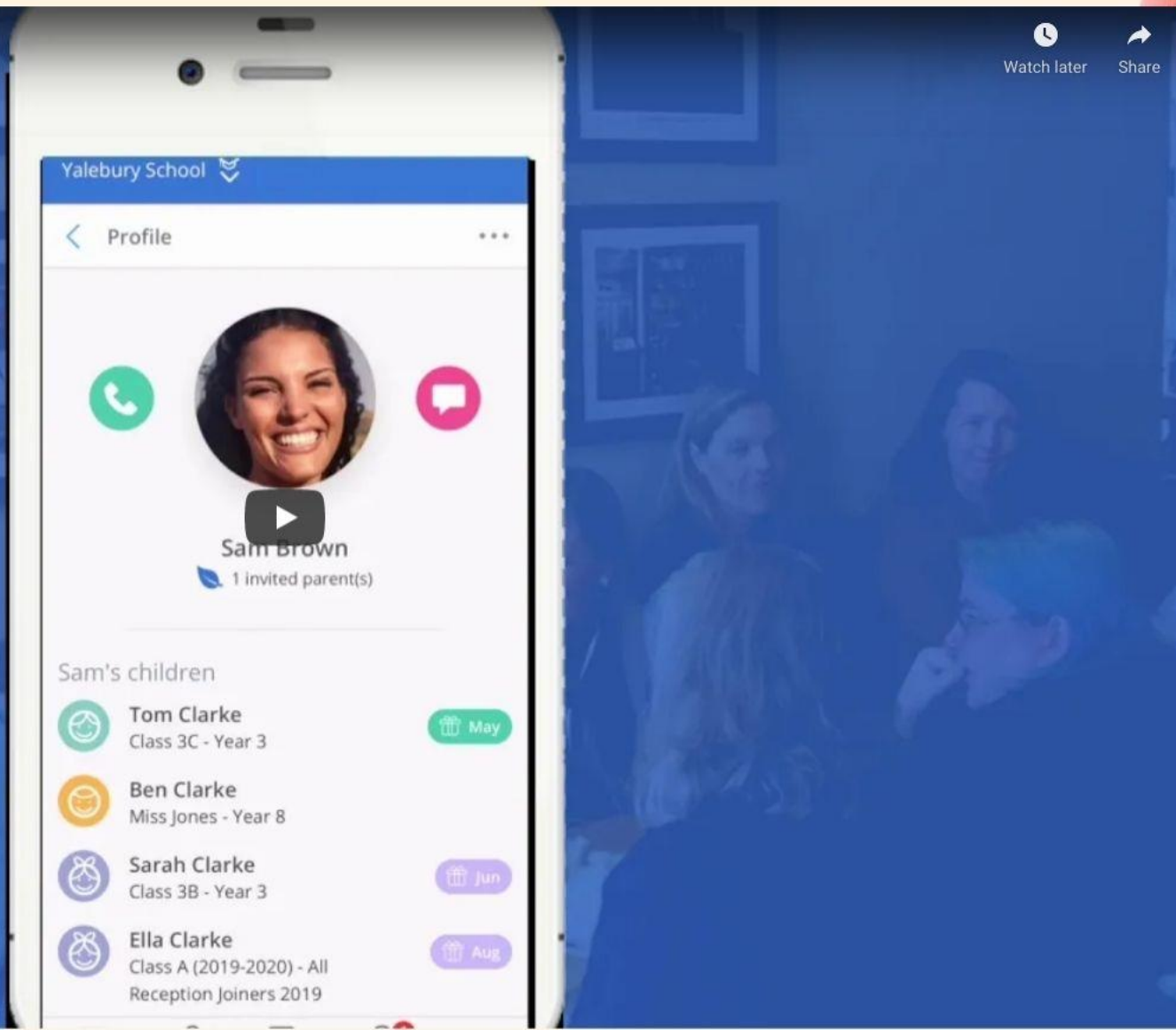
Classlist



Demo of parent features of the Classlist app



And pupil
details



Contact info.

We would love to hear any questions /
feedback / ideas.

Please email Nat and Hux:
stedmundspsachair@gmail.com
or grab us at the school gates any time.

