



Thomas Tallis Parent, Teacher & Friend Association

Charity No.1178258

Trustees:

Debbie Joyce - Chair & Yr7/Yr10 Parent
Michelle Springer - Tallis Senior Leadership Team Trustee
Sacha McArdle - Secretary & Yr8/Yr10 Parent
Stuart Popple - Treasurer & Yr9 Parent

@ tallisptfa

✉ ptfa@thomastallis.org.uk

🌐 <https://www.thomastallischool.com/ptfa.html>

Please tap/click on this section of the Newsletter to open it as a separate PDF with active links.

6TH FORM COFFEE SHOP FOR THE OPEN EVENING

WEDNESDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER

5PM-8PM

THE CANTEEN

If you are coming to the Open Evening, don't forget to visit the 6th Form Coffee Shop (cash and card) in the small servery in the Canteen to help them raise funds for the 6th Form Prom. For anyone who hasn't visited the coffee shops recently, they are now selling PTFA stock and we highly recommend arriving early before the candyfloss sells out!



MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

FRIDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER

9AM-11AM

THE GALLERY



Join us for a cuppa, a coffee or something chilled and meet other parents, carers and friends while raising money for this amazing Charity. The money you donate will help many living with cancer to live life as fully as they can.

4 THINGS TO DO TODAY

...AND A HUGE THANK YOU TO THOSE THAT ALREADY HAVE!

1 Join our Cost-of-a-Coffee supporters

Imagine if every student at Tallis was supported by the price of a £2.50 take-away coffee every month. In just 1 year, we would raise £60,000!

Monthly Giving, whether £1 or £100 is the life-blood of every Charity, enabling confident budgeting, planning and approval of School's funding requests. If you are able to do so, please consider joining our monthly 'Cost-of-a-Coffee' supporters

<https://donorbox.org/tallisptfa>

2 Signup to our mailing list

And be the first to know about new events and opportunities.

We promise not to bombard you and if you would rather take part in events than set them up, that's absolutely fine! <https://mailchi.mp/915533122d4a/signup>

3 Select 'Thomas Tallis PTFA' as your PayPal Giving Charity

Every time you checkout with PayPal, you can add a small donation to PTFA as your chosen Charity

There is even a reminder widget to help you remember to shop through the EasyFundraising website when you visit a participating online shop. So far, 200 supporters have raised over £4000 for our School! <https://www.paypal.com/GB/fundraiser/charity/3622317>

4 Sign-up for EasyFundraising and collect free donations while shopping online

Easyfundraising allows you to collect free donations while shopping online with over 7000 brands including Sainsbury's, Aldi, John Lewis, Tui, Apple, Vodafone, Just Eat and CompareTheMarket. <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/thomastallisptfa>



TECH FOR TALLIS 2023 NEWS

Tech for Tallis 2023 aims to address the ongoing need for laptops to ensure that students who are unable to access technology away from School are not disadvantaged. This year, we have been asked to find 84 laptops for yr7 alone. This is an unprecedented demand and we are very grateful to CompterAid for helping us achieve it.

Last week we received the fantastic news that ComputerAid are able to donate 10 free reconditioned laptops and also offer us additional machines at the huge reduction of £103.80 each (including VAT and delivery) !!

If you are able to, please consider making a donation towards the cost of a laptop for a student who is unable to access their work outside of school or **join our Cost-of-a-Coffee supporters** who enable us to provide funds to projects across the School, including Tech for Tallis. <https://donorbox.org/tech-for-tallis-2023>

"Hi Miss. Thank you for looking into the laptop for me. I received it today and really appreciate it :)"
- Year 12 A-level student -

"I am so grateful to everyone that has been involved in this project. This will truly make such a difference to our children's future in these uncertain times."
- Year 10 Parent -

"Thank you for donating the laptops, it will help me a lot with my school work."
- Year 9 Student -

"Thank you from my son in year 10 for donating the laptops as he was struggling to get online. Much appreciated 😊"
- Parent -

Feedback from some previous recipients

"Thank you for the wonderful donation of the valuable laptops that will enhance my daughter's learning and ensure a degree of success in her studies. Bless you, from a grateful mother of year 12 student."
- Year 12 Parent -

