

# St. Farnan's Post Primary School

## Parent Teacher Association

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Dear Parents & Guardians,

St Farnan's PPS Parent Teacher Association (PTA) are looking for your help. We are recruiting for new members. It is envisaged that each year group would have representation on the committee. It is important that the parent & guardian voice is represented within the school. The PTA has been very active and has a good working relationship with the school management & board of management over the years.

It is important to have an active committee as our school continues to expand in numbers and the Department of Education has approved the building of a new school.

At the end of this academic year we have a number of parents who will have to step down from the parents association as their children's time at St. Farnan's PPS comes to an end. The committee meets once a month for 1 hour and the night of the meeting rotates to accommodate all parent/guardians and their commitments.

Some of the aims and objectives of the PTA are:

- To act as a channel of communication between parents and the school.
- To ensure that parents are represented at all levels in the consultative process of school development, planning and decision making
- To assist the school with fund-raising
- The PTA is affiliated to the NPCpp (National Parents Council Post Primary)

Previous events and activities organised by the PTA:

- Fundraising activities such as Race night, 20K drop and 10K fun run.
- Career night for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Years.
- Drug awareness talk for parents, guardians and students.
- Study Skills
- Autism awareness Education from 'ASIAM' for students and parents.
- Funding to various subject departments.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the PTA please contact: [stfarnanspta@gmail.com](mailto:stfarnanspta@gmail.com)

Regards,

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PTA Chair