



Overton School Association

Overton Primary School, Court Drove, Overton,
Basingstoke, Hants, RG25 3ES.

Chair: **Madeline Haddon**

Treasurer: **Lynsey Rowland/Bonnie Payne** | Secretary: **Charlotte Bird 07974 269148**

Please contact the committee via the school admin office or email osahelpers@outlook.com

Overton School Association raise funds for Overton Primary School, organising events including the school fete, fireworks night and the school discos. We're a group of mums, dads and friends of the school who are always keen to welcome new committee members.

Hellos and Goodbyes!

The start of a new school year always brings some changes to the OSA committee. This year we say goodbye to Chair Debbie Cowley who leaves us after several years. We want to say a huge thank you for all her time, energy and enthusiasm. Madeline Haddon has now stepped up to the OSA plate and is really jumping in at the deep end with organising Fireworks Night! A warm welcome to her. Find out more about comings and goings for the OSA team on page 2!



Fundraising Thanks!

A huge thank you to all the wonderful volunteers who helped at the Summer fete this year. The event raised over £5,000 for the school and we couldn't have done it without you!

Thanks also to those who came along and supported the event!

We supported the recent Emergency Services Day too and managed to raise over £500 for the school. Thanks to those who helped or came along.

Fireworks Spectacular

4th November, from 5pm

Please join us at this year's Fireworks Spectacular! Thanks to the crew at Pyrotastic we can look forward to a display even bigger and better than ever before. There will be a delicious BBQ, bar and glow sticks aplenty so we hope you can make it.

Tickets will be available to buy from Overton Gallery from Saturday 7th October with a saving on gate prices. Advance prices are adult £5 and child £1, pre-schoolers are free.

Please note that Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult. Parking will not be available on the night, so please do walk if possible or use the dedicated village car parks. It's really important that visitors adhere to this as ongoing parking issues could jeopardise the event for future years. Please contact OSAhelpers@outlook.com if you are a blue badge holder and will require a parking space.

Volunteers

It takes around 50 volunteers to make the event happen, if you can help out please do get in touch via email OSAhelpers@outlook.com or text Charlotte on 07974 269148. You can also explore the rota and add your name to a role you fancy online at www.pta-events.co.uk/overtonschoolassociation

Simply register and select the Can you Help option.

We'd love to have you on board!



Diary Dates

4 th Nov, 5pm	Fireworks Night
17 th Nov	Inset Day
15 th Dec	Christmas Disco



OSA Committee News

In addition to welcoming our new Chair, Madeline Haddon, we also are really pleased to announce that Lynsey Rowland and Bonnie Payne will be taking on the treasurer role. Colin Fowles has stepped down from the position but we're delighted to say he will be staying on as an active member of the committee.

We're sad to say goodbye to Jill Cann, Jo South, Ellie Bates, Jenny Fowles and thank them for their fantastic contributions during their time with the OSA. We couldn't possibly forget Hugh Bridge either. He has been DJ for the school discos for many years!

Another new member joining the committee is Rebecca Robinson – we're really pleased to have her on board, it's a real case of 'the more the merrier' so please do get in touch at osahelpers@outlook.com if you would like to find out more.