



## **Strandtown PTA back at work**

Strandtown PTA is back at work with a busy calendar of events planned for 2017/2018. We are delighted to welcome many new parents to the PTA and of course welcome back old faces. PTA is a practical, fun & rewarding way to help improve your child's school experience. If you would like to get involved our next meeting is **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm**

### **PTA Funding subgroup**

In light of continuing severe cuts to the education budget the PTA established a funding subgroup. The group has been linking in with various funders and agencies to see what funds may be available to the school. In light of further drastic budget cuts this year the need now is greater than ever.

As with the PTA this is a group of parent volunteers who give their time freely to research and prepare applications for funding. If you have any experience or expertise in applying for funding and you can spare some time to help secure funding for your child's school we would love to hear from you. This is not a big time commitment we simply ask that you help in whatever way you can. Alternatively you may work for or have a contact in a company that can donate to or contribute to the school. If you can help we would love to hear from you, email [strandtownpta@gmail.com](mailto:strandtownpta@gmail.com)

### **Strandtown Eco Garden**

The school garden has been totally transformed in the last 12 months, if you haven't yet seen the transformation please call in and see for yourself. There are lots of odd jobs to do though so if you have some time to spare and would like to help we would love to hear from you. Email us at [strandtownpta@gmail.com](mailto:strandtownpta@gmail.com)



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