







Where does the money go?

The money raised by the Gig Mill HSA goes towards a number of initiatives. Funds go towards or pay for resources such as: first aid training for pupils, computer tablets, reading books and outdoor play equipment. We aim to provide and support extra-curricular activities that enrich and enhance the children's time at school. We are currently raising money to improve the library and computer area. The money is used across a range of projects; the following are just a few examples:

- *New benches for school playground
- *Bright and colourful wall murals
- *Dolls houses and furniture
- *Equipment for lunchtime club
- *Reading books
- *First Aid training for Year 5 children
- *Computer equipment
- *Outdoor classroom / play equipment







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What is the HSA?

- *The HSA Home School Association is otherwise known as a PTA.
- *We are a group of parents whose children attend Gig Mill Primary School (Nursery to Year 6).
- *We raise money by holding various events throughout the year in order to subsidise / fund projects and equipment which cannot be met solely from the school's own budget. The purpose of the fundraising is ultimately to both benefit the school experience and provide fun events for your children.
- *We organise and run events such as the Christmas fayre with Santa; the Summer Fayre; Chocolate Bingo; Children's Discos, Film Nights and many more!
- *The committee of the HSA regularly meet with the Headteacher and other teachers to discuss projects and funding.
- *The HSA is entirely voluntary. None of the committee members or helpers receives payment for their work.

Meet Gig Mill HSA

Chair - Leanne Findon

Secretary - Sarah Mansley

Treasurer - Sian Morgan

We all took over the HSA roles in September 2017 as our eldest children started Gig Mill in Reception. We would love to get more parents involved in the HSA. Drop us an email, come to a meeting or join us for a night out to get to know us better...we are a friendly bunch (honest!).

We are always grateful for any assistance.

We would not be able to raise any money without the help and support from our volunteers, the staff and also the support of all our parents. We have unfortunately had many members move on as their children have left the school so we really need extra volunteers. Many people are under the impression that if they join the HSA they will have to help with every event. This is not the case, we totally understand that you have children and lives outside of school. We all do too. You do not have to help with every event or attend every meeting but any time you can give will make all the difference to us. We are a friendly bunch so please feel free to join us for a meeting, children are welcome to accompany you if needed. There is a slip at the bottom to hand in to the office if you feel you can help, then we can email you meeting dates etc.

Please email us at 'hsagigmill@gmail.com' or complete the form below and return to the school office if you'd like more information.



If you can spare some time to help us in anyway please complete the form below and return it to the school office
Name:
Child's class:
Email address:
Mobile telephone:
I wish to receive emails regarding HSA business including, but not limited to, newsletters, funding requests and meeting minutes. () Please tick. I can unsubscribe at any time by emailing the HSA – hsagigmill@gmail.com.
I understand that my personal information will be kept securely.
Signed

