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Dear Parents and Carers,

We need your help! The PTA in its current format, may have no option but to cease to exist if we can't get some more members to help out at our events. We need your help therefore to try to stop this from happening and ensure that the events the children love can still happen. At the moment, we are a team of 3 parents and 2 school staff and a couple of associate members who join us whenever they can but need more help from our parents and carers.

Our Annual General Meeting (or AGM) is to be held later this week on 5th October at 7:30pm and we need to fill the roles of Chair, Treasurer and Secretary (a requirement for us to be registered as a charity). As of this October - the current team will not meet these criteria and will have no choice but to close.

This will mean as a result the children would miss out on additional events such as discos, film nights, Christmas shopping events, summer fair and the circus in the future, to name but a few.

We are keen to keep the PTA in existence but desperately need more support to fulfil these pivotal roles, as well as additional supporting roles such as Vice Chair, Preloved Uniform Representative, Class Liaison Representative (the idea is to have a parent from each class on the committee) and a Social Media Representative.

We are hoping that by writing to you all, we can encourage you to support us to help fill these roles and would be love to see you at the AGM in either in person at school or via the Teams meeting link. Alternatively please email us to ask questions or offer support.

https://teams.live.com/meet/948769343039

In addition to committee members, we also need a team of people who are willing to help with the events we put on. Without your help and support these events cannot take place. Currently we are in desperate need for helpers on the day of the circus which is fast approaching (Sun 16th October). We are not asking for you to help instead of watching but if you are able to spare an hour or two before or after then this would be greatly appreciated. Please email us at berewoodpta965@gmail.com.

Kind regards
The Berewood PTA Committee