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Thistle

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Happy New Year

Firstly on behalf of the committee we wish all parent and boys a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Fundraising Dance

Our next fundraising dance will be Saturday 27th February in the Rabbie Burns Hall, Baillieston. Tickets priced at £5 and each age group will have a limited amount so sold on a first come first served basis. All boys as usual will be expected to sell £20 worth of raffle tickets also.

Any parent who has or feels they could offer any prizes for the raffle should speak to any coaches at their age group.

Bag Packing

All age groups participating in trips this year will be bag packing at Morrison's Baillieston on Saturday 6th February, Times listed below.

1996's	10.00 – 11.30
1997's	11.30 – 13.00
1999's	13.00 – 14.30
1998's	14.30 – 17.00 (This is due to all other teams already collecting at the Fort earlier in the year)

Trips

1996's 23rd April – 25th April
1997's 30th April – 2nd May

1998's and 1999's 28th May – 30th May

All trips are to Preston including trips to Premiership Match or Theme Parks

New Kit

New kit for 1996, 1997, and 1998 has all been ordered, rest of the teams to be sized up and ordered soon. All new strips, Tracksuits and Training kit will be Nike. Strips for the above teams are Puma.

Cash for Kids

We received a cheque from Radio Clyde Cash for Kids for £1290 which was used to cover all of the teams Christmas trips to bowling etc. Many Thanks to Radio Clyde for this.

Direct Debit

A lot of Parents have asked about the possibility of setting up direct debits to pay fee's etc, We are exploring the possibility of this so could anyone interested in paying using this method please speak to a coach. We need to have good numbers doing it this way to make it worth while.

Plea for Help

As you know we have a website www.eastendthistle.co.uk which needs updating. We are looking for someone to take this on and just keep it up to date, ie adding new photo's, changing of details as and when required etc and just general updating. If anyone feels they could and would be able to then again please speak to your coach.