

# PTFA NEWSLETTER

Autumn 2016

Hello, and welcome to our tenth Rudyard Kipling PTFA newsletter.

### **Your PTFA Committee**

All parents and carers at RKPS are automatically members of the school's Parent, Teacher and Friend Association (PTFA).

ALL PTFA ACTIVITIES ARE RUN BY VOLUNTEERS who donate their time and skills to create fun fundraising activities for RKPS families! Everyone is welcome to help – even a small amount of your time means that we can continue to run events! Thank you.

The following committee officers were elected at

our AGM on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2016.

Chair: Jen Lelliott (children in Yr 5 and 3) Vice Chair: Sarah Cox (child in Yr 4) Treasurer: Jan Paine (child in Year 4)

Vice Treasurer: Hannah Lewis (children in Yr 4) Joint Secretary: Helen Taylor (children in Yr 4 & 6) Joint Secretary: Anik McCarthy (child in Year 1) Plus our additional trustee members and helpers.

# <u>Last term's events – Father's Day</u> <u>and Sports Day</u>

Father's Day gift selling raised £544 and we raised a further £226 selling refreshments and lollies on Sports Day!

Thank you to everyone who supported at these events!

## **Key Stage 2 Outside Area**

Thanks to events run by PTFA Committee members, supported by the parents at our school, we have donated £7000 towards the new Key Stage 2 outside area and class libraries.

#### **Contact us**

Facebook: RKPS Parents and Friends.

Email: rkpsptfa@gmail.com

Or fill in the contact slip at the bottom of this page and hand it in to the school office

## **Christmas Raffle**

A popular event last year! Lots of people won great prizes. The raffle will be drawn at school on 9<sup>th</sup> December. Please send any unwanted tickets back to school. Additional tickets will be available at the office.

#### Prizes are still coming in and include:

A 32" Samsung HDMI LED TV; Spa treatments at the Grand hotel; Jazz Sunday lunch at the Metropole hotel; Grandstand tickets at the Racecourse; £50 Donatellos voucher;

Meal for 4 at Buddies restaurant;

Tickets to The Twits at the Theatre Royal;

Tickets, vouchers and passes for: Komedia, Boulder Brighton, Monkey Bizness, Paradise Park, Westows, Painting Pottery Café, Java Café, Woodies Barbers, Paws with a Cause and Hair by Ricky Clarke;

Courses & gym membership at Longhill Sports Centre; Christmas hampers plus wine, chocolate, pamper treats and much more!



On Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December, we will hold Christmas parties at school and each child will get a snack, drink and gift from Father Christmas!

Key Stage 1, Reception and Nursery children will have a magic show - 3.15-4.25.

Key Stage 2 will have a disco 3.15-4.30.

You can leave your children at school and have a longer day Christmas shopping! (Nursery children will need to be accompanied by an adult).

Extra forms are available from the office.

## **Letters from Father Christmas**

Father Christmas has now received your requests and his elves are busy preparing the letters! Look out for them coming in the post in December!

Name	Email Address
Your Child's Name and Class	