



PTFA NEWSLETTER

Autumn 2017

Hello, and welcome to our 13th termly 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 26th September 2017.

Chair: Jen Lelliott (children in Yr 6 and 4)
Vice Chair: Anik McCarthy (children in Yr 2 and nursery)
Treasurer: Jan Paine (child in Year 5)
Vice Treasurer: Liz Witowski (children in Year 1)
Secretary: Helen Taylor (children in Yr 5)
Vice Secretary: Hannah Lewis (children in Yr 5)

Plus our additional trustee members and helpers.

Last term's events

Father's Day gift selling raised over £400

The Sports Day refreshment stall raised over £100

Our stall at Woodingdean Carnival raised £209

Secondhand uniform sales raised over £228
Thank you to the RKPS parents/carers who ran these events and to everyone who supported!

Class Reading Areas

Thanks to events run by our volunteers, supported by the parents at our school, we have donated £3000 towards the new reading areas in every classroom.

Christmas Calendars

This year we will be selling Christmas Calendars decorated by the children of RKPS! These are available to pre-order from the school. £5 each or 3 for £12

Easyfundraising

You can raise money for FREE for the school if you shop online. All you have to do is register with <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/rudyardkiplingprimaryptfa/>
And shop as usual – no hidden catches!



On Friday 8th December, we will hold Christmas parties at school and each child will be offered a snack and drink.

Key Stage 1, Reception and Nursery children will have a magic show and a visit and gift from Father Christmas - 3.15-4.25.

Key Stage 2 will have a disco with a DJ and a small gift - 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 will be available from the office.

Father Christmas

Father Christmas has once again asked us to help pass on the details of any lucky children who would like to receive a letter from him. The forms have been sent home so get them back in soon!

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

Name _____ Email Address _____

— Your Child's Name and Class _____