

# THE PTA NEWS IN BRIEF

MAY 2026



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- KNARESBOROUGH BED RACE - SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE
- SUMMER FAIR - SATURDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 1300 - 1600
- COLOUR RUN - THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 1330

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## A Great Start

A TERM FOR CELEBRATION

Can you believe we're at the end of the first part of the Summer term!! Don't worry, apparently the sunshine is on the way to make it all seem more real!

With Miss Woodcock and Mrs Ingle now firmly in their positions as headteacher and deputy head, this term has really seen the school come alive.

It's been a busy one, with lots of work going into planning for what's to come. This half term has been busy, and the next one will be even more busy.

So, if you can, take the time over half term to rest, relax and enjoy the start of summer!



*Miss Woodcock and Mrs Ingle, leading our school*

# COMPETITION TIME!

## Design Our Bed

A HALF TERM ACTIVITY!



We're calling on our amazing Rossett Acre children to get sketching over May half term and design us a poster for our Parade Bed. Prior to the race (when all the decorations are removed) we will parade through Knaresborough with the winning design featuring on the bed. Get in touch for more information.

[rossettacrepta@gmail.com](mailto:rossettacrepta@gmail.com)

## Bedder Late Than Never

KNARESBOROUGH BED RACE

A wonderful group of parents will be running the Knaresborough Bed Race and raising money for our school.

The funds raised will go directly towards providing funds for some essential IT equipment upgrades.

Please show these parents your support by donating what you can. Every pound is a sprinkle of motivation to get them through the 2.4 mile course and the icy River Nidd.

[SUPPORT THE TEAM NOW](#)

## Can You Help On the Day?

WE NEED TWO ADULT MARSHALS

In addition to the fundraising support, we also need to provide two adults (18 years or above) Marshals who will help the day run smoothly, this is a must have to avoid disqualification. In addition to the Sat 13<sup>th</sup> June Marshal duties approx. 11am til 5pm (help manage barriers, assist with road closures etc).

Our Rossett Acre Marshals will also need to attend a briefing at the WMC Kirkgate in Knaresborough on either Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May or Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June. Please contact [amyswart18@gmail.com](mailto:amyswart18@gmail.com) if you can help



**Saturday 13th June 2026**

All day

[DONATE NOW](#)



Summer Fair,  
Saturday 20th June,  
1300 - 1600

# THE ANNUAL SUMMER FAIR

And just like that...it's Summer Fair time again. We really need all hands on deck please! This is one of our biggest school community events of the year and we need everyone who can to lend a hand.

We've already got some really exciting things lined up including: live music with performances from our own young artists, characters visits, giant inflatable, forest school activities, fire truck and much, much more!

We will also have a proper bar, BBQ and ice-cream! So come hungry and prepared for an afternoon packed with fun!

## FOUR WEEKS TO GO!!!

### EVENT SPONSORS



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## BE PART OF SOMETHING REALLY SPECIAL

On behalf of the Song Collectives, we would like to invite you to be part of The Big Jam Live. If you are a young musician or singer and would like to perform with a live, professional band, then we want to hear from you!

**APPLY FOR A PERFORMER SLOT**

There are six slots up for grabs! Please use the link below to let us know your song choice, and if you would like to play an instrument or sing.

[REGISTER YOUR INTEREST](#)

## WE NEED VOLUNTEERS

PLEASE SIGN UP NOW

Please, please don't leave it till the last minute. The number of volunteers we have confirmed significantly impacts what we can commit to doing on the day.

We really need your support. If you have any questions or want to find out more, please get in touch with us [rossettacrepta@gmail.com](mailto:rossettacrepta@gmail.com)

RECEPTION	YEAR 4
YEAR 1	YEAR 5
YEAR 2	YEAR 6
YEAR 3	

## WOULD YOU LIKE A STALL?

JOIN US FOR THE DAY



If you have something you would like to sell at the Summer Fair, please get in touch with us. We have table tops available from £35. This is open to crafts, handmade items and artizan products. No food or drink please.

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO PAINT FACES?

PLEASE JOIN OUR LITTLE FACE PAINTING TEAM

We would really love to be able to offer face painting again this year and have previously had parent volunteers to do this. If you would like to lend a hand, please get in touch with us. [rossettacrepta@gmail.com](mailto:rossettacrepta@gmail.com)





## Donate or Lend

CAN YOU HELP WITH THE FOLLOWING?

The Summer Fair relies on the support of our lovely family community. We couldn't do it without you.

Please take a look at our donations and borrow lists and where you can, please help.

### Donations List

- Sponsorship
- Tombola prizes
- Raffle prizes
- Wine (unopened)
- Garden games
- Gazebos
- Ice (on the day only)
- Large plastic tubs

### Borrow List

- Gazebos
- Bunting

These are not exhaustive lists, so if there is anything else that you think might be useful, please let us know.

**If you do have any of the items, please hand these into the school office** or if you have any questions, please email [rossettacrepta@gmail.com](mailto:rossettacrepta@gmail.com)

**DONATE OR LEND NOW**

MARCH 2026



# THE ROSSETT ACRE RUN IN RAINBOWS

Get ready to run, laugh, and get gloriously colourful! Our Colour Run is coming soon, and it's set to be an incredibly fun-filled event. Whether you're a speedy sprinter or a happy stroller, this rainbow-tastic event is open to everyone – so dust off your trainers and get ready to be covered head to toe in colour! Full details and dates will be released very soon, so watch this space. You won't want to miss it!



Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2026  
1330

[SPONSOR THIS EVENT](#)

## What We're Raising Money For

### ALLOCATING THE FUNDS

Every penny raised by the PTA goes directly back into the school.

This year we have funded EYFS improvements and given each classroom £300 to put towards essential learning resources. So far this has included some pulse oximeters, science thermometers, a school musical, organisation tools and books.

We are currently looking at funding some gazebos and are working towards raising enough money for the school to invest in critical IT upgrades.

[HAVE YOUR SAY ON OUR NEXT FUNDED ACTIVITY](#)