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WELCOME TO A NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

WE HOPE ALL YOUR LITTLIES HAVE SETTLED IN WELL

The PTA would like to extend a very warm welcome to the school's new families and wonderful new teachers. Welcome back to our entire school community - we hope you've all had a lovely summer break and are now getting back into the school routine.

As many of you already know, the PTA is working incredibly hard to raise funds for vital school enhancements and we are very much looking forward to working together with you this year.

What's to come

2024/2025 LOOKS SET TO BE REALLY EXCITING

This newsletter covers some exciting PTA news, fundraising announcements and we'll also let you know what we've got in store for the year ahead!

GET INVOLVED



Exciting times ahead full of new learnings and adventures

The End of an Era

STEPPING DOWN BUT NOT AWAY

After six years the wonderful Sarah Rhodes has decided to step down as the Chair of the PTA.

We are also sad to announce that our lovely Treasurer, Lara Evans is also stepping down.

Both have worked tirelessly throughout and through countless events and initiatives have been instrumental in raising £thousands for our school.

On behalf of our entire school community we would like to thank you both for your unfailing commitment to the PTA and school.

Don't worry though! Sarah will remain part of the PTA and has taken over as Treasurer and Lara also remains an active member of the PTA.



Enriching the school lives of our children

Your PTA

WE'RE CONTINUING TO GROW

Our PTA is getting bigger and stronger by the day and we're always on the look out for new members.

If you would like to join us, or just want to find out what it's all about, please get in touch with us.



Apologies for the mugshots but we thought it would be useful to put faces to names. We will introduce you to more faces throughout the year.

We're a friendly bunch. Come say hi to us!



Chair





Becky Duffield Sarah Rhodes Treasurer

Jen Brennan Secretary



Harrogate Junior Park Run



Keep fit and join us as we takeover the Junior Park Run

The Park Run Takeover

SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2024, 0900

We hope you've started to get your sponsorships in!!

Kickstarting the new school year, Rossett Acre will taking over the Harrogate Junior Park Run in a bid to raise some vital funds for our school.

With over 400 children at the school, this has the potential to make £££'s (For context, Pannal School raised £4k!)

HOW CAN PARENTS GET INVOLVED

Reasons to get involved:

- An activity for all the family that inspires healthy living and exercise
- Every child participant will receive a medal, a certificate in school and a house point
- To raise money to go towards school enhancements, playground markings, sporting equipment and musical instruments



Sunday 20th October 2024 0900, Valley Gardens

SIGN UP NOW

Aside from encouraging your children to take part and supporting them in their sponsorship efforts, you can also:

- Support the PTA on the day and help us give out medals to those that have taken part in the event. If you are able to lend a hand, please email: rossettacrepta@gmail.com
- Volunteer to be a Park Run Marshal. If you are interested please email: <u>harrogatejuniors@parkrun.com</u>



TO DONATE ONLINE PLEASE USE SCAN THE OR CODE OR FOLLOW THE LINK: https://www.shorturl.at/PUCYI

Upcoming Events in the Calendar

SOME DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

• JUNIOR PARK RUN TAKEOVER - SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2024, 0900

Next Event: Junior Park Run 20th October, 0900

- JUMBLE SALE SATURDAY 9TH NOVEMBER 2024, TIME TBC
- STORY EVENING THURSDAY 21ST NOVEMBER 2024, 1745 1845
- CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 30TH NOVEMBER 2024, TIME TBC
- QUIZ NIGHT DATE TBC
- SUMMER FAIR SATURDAY 28TH JUNE 2024, TIME TBC

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST

Our Fundraising

WHAT WE ARE RAISING MONEY FOR

All the money raised by the PTA goes directly back into the school. Over the years the PTA has helped to fund some large projects including the trim trail, iPads, multi-surface pitch and field draining.

We also help to fund school trips, activities, books, the leaver's disco and Year 6 hoodies.



This year we are hoping that our fundraising efforts will help support additional school enhancements such as playground markings, sporting equipment and classroom stationery.

HAVE YOUR SAY

Our Purpose

ENHANCING OUR SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT

We aim to foster the collaboration between parents, teachers, school staff and the wider community to improve our school.

- To strengthen our school community
- To bring teachers and parents together to support the school
- To raise essential funds for the school

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU

- To host great events
- To deliver fabulous initiatives

The PTA would like to take this opportunity to remind you that the work we do cannot be done without a team. The bigger the team, the better we can be and the more funds we are likely to raise for our school.

If you would like to find out more about the PTA please get in touch rossettacrepta@gmail.com

Please keep a look out in the main weekly school newsletter for regular PTA updates.

Thank you for your continued support. We are so excited for the year ahead.

