

RCES PTA NEWS

December 2018 Newsletter

What Have We Done So Far?

The main role of a PTA is to build strong working relationships among parents, teachers and schools, in support of students. These are some things we have done so far.

1. Bookfair - these funds go back into our media center, new books, new resources, new computer equipment
2. Extra services - snowflake shop, positive student behavior incentives. Student incentives include, popcorn, ice-cream and pizza.
3. Events - father daughter dance, mother son dance, movie nights, science technology nights
4. Budget supplement - supplies for classrooms, recess equipment, tools for our custodian, beautification items
5. We help fund our in house cultural performances
6. We send our teacher of the year staff to the teacher of the year banquet
7. For our RCES community it's a great way to meet other parents, voice concerns and voice ideas for improvement

We Need Your Help!

Let your voice and concerns be heard! Meet the parents of some of your children's friends, these parents you meet will most likely be with you through this educational journey with your child or children. Please contact us if you would like to know more or have interests to help at this e-mail

ptapresidentrces@gmail.com

You can join through this link:

<https://rcesnc.memberhub.store> or you can join by filling out the forms we have at the front office.

Stay Informed!

Information about PTA and school events is shared via Facebook, through (www.facebook.com/groups/RCEPTA/), the PTA website (www.richlandcreekpta.com/) and the PTA memberhub (<https://rcesnc.memberhub.store/>).

Check out Twitter so see what your children are doing in class! <https://twitter.com/RichlandCreek32>

Dates to Remember:

- December 21st- Early Release 1:15 pm
- December 24th - January 2nd - Holiday (No School)
- January 3rd - 1st day back to school
- January 21st - Holiday
- February 1st - February 28th - Spirit Gear Drive
- February 15th - Mother Son Dance
- February 21st - Spirit Night
- February 26th - Spring Fundraiser (Step it up kids)

Teacher of The Year Recipients:

Congratulations to our RCES Teacher of the year Ms. Sizemore and our Teacher Aide of the year Ms. Guza! Thank you for all you do!



2018-19 OFFICERS

President: Richelle Pimentel

Vice President: Kari Bacon

Treasurer: Kim Stein

Assistant Treasurer: OPEN

Secretary: Britney Scarbrough

Committee members

Staff Appreciation Committee

(Jan Rupert)

Communications Committee

(Jamie Delp/ Richelle Pimentel)

Student Improvement Program

Kaitlin Rosser, Ruben Wall, Jill Mabe

Activity and Ceremony Committee (OPEN)

Fundraising

(Mary Kate Fish/Kari Bacon)

Beautification and Spirit Rock

(Jennifer Parsons)

Audit Committee

(Jen Holder)

More Ways to Help Us

Harris Teeter - Link your card with code 1827.

Lowes Foods - you can enroll online at <https://rewards.lowesfoods.com/Account/CharitableContributions>. They will do phone lookup too.

Amazon Smile - Select our school when using Amazon. Don't forget us during the Holiday Season!

Do your holiday shopping at smile.amazon.com

Giving Tree - make sure to mention RCES when shopping at the Giving Tree.

Spirit Rock - By ordering the spirit rock for a week half of your \$30 donation is placed in your child's grade level account .

E-mail Jennifer Parsons at the e-mail below for any interests in renting. spiritrockrichlandcreekpta@gmail.com .

Spirit Rock Is Available:

Please keep a things in mind when ordering the rock.

Please e-mail Jen Parson at **above e-mail address** before you pay and turn the form in to make sure your requested date is available.

Once you hear back from Jen Parson download the guideline form from our webpage or pick it up at the front office and turn it in with your payment to the front office.

Thank you so much for following this simple process!

