

RCES PTA NEWS

November 2018 Newsletter

It's Never too Late to Join!



We now have 70 members who have joined our PTA and we thank you and appreciate your membership! To show our members how much we appreciate them at the end of every month we will have a \$25 gift card drawing. Last month our winner was **Ms. Michelle McGhee. Congratulations Ms. McGhee!**

Please consider joining our PTA today through this link: <https://rcesnc.memberhub.store/shopping/categories/19> or you can join by filling out the forms we have at the front office.

Where Can you Stay Informed?

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

We Need Your Help!

There are several positions open including co-treasurer and committee chairs. **Where can you best serve?** We would love to have you join us. You can reach us through the following e-mail ptapresidentrces@gmail.com if you have an interest or any questions. We welcome **Jan Rupert** as our new Staff Appreciation Committee chair. Thank you Jan for your help and we all look forward to working with you!

"Kindness is the sunshine in which virtue grows."

Robert Green Ingersoll

Dates to Remember:

November 20th - Early Release 1:15 pm

November 21st - 23rd - Holiday (No School)

November 28th - Picture Makeup Day

November 28- 29 - Book Fair Setup Book Fair

November 30 - Dec 7 - Book Fair

Sign up online at — <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044ca8ab2faaf85-2018>

December 6th @ 6:30 pm - 2nd and 3rd Grade Arts Night

December 13th @ 4 pm to 10pm - Texas Roadhouse Spirit Night

Spirit Wear Update:

Our spirit wear has arrived however, only half of them were printed. We will be handing out the orders we have to your children Friday November 16th. We are working with the vendor to get the rest of the orders in quickly, so it may be a few more weeks before we get the rest of the orders. Thank you so much for your patience and for your support with our spirit wear. Any questions please e-mail Richelle Pimentel at ptapresidentrces@gmail.com

5th Grade Field Trip Fundraising Ends Nov 26th:

Here are few ways you can help us with our 5th grade Attractions and dining coupon book fundraiser.

1. Go To <https://www.attractionsbook.com/ezpay/>

a. Type in our CODE **richlandcreek**

b. Type in the sellers name and home room teacher.

c. Home room teachers are: Ms. Swanson, Ms.

Sizemore, Ms. Torrano - e-mail Mrs. Sizemore

at athitchener-sizemore@wcpss.net if you have any questions.

2. You can purchase through the students each book is \$20 and you can purchase through the front office as well. Make all checks payable to **RCES PTA**

Buffalo Brothers Spirit Night:

Our spirit night at Buffalo Brothers was a complete success! Thank you again for all of the families who attended. Our next spirit night will be Thursday Dec 13th at the Texas Roadhouse at 11440 Capital Blvd. We look forward to seeing you there.

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 few very important steps in mind when ordering the rock for a week, so we can avoid double booking.

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 process!

