



LE ROCQUIER PTA NEWS
OCTOBER 2018



Welcome back to a new school year!



PTA Car Boot Sales have continued throughout the summer holidays, with events in July, August and September. Sadly, we have now held the final Car Boot Sale for 2017 (on 6th October), which was another successful event, despite ‘doom and gloom’ weather forecasts – at least it remained dry until about mid-morning! We send a big thank you to all those who support us throughout the year. As you know, these events provide opportunities for the profitable disposal of those ‘valuable’ items you have stored away in the garage and the loft and always meant to get around to disposing of but couldn’t quite bring yourself to sort out!! So why not make a note in your diaries that PTA Car Boot Sales will start again in February or March 2019 (weather permitting!), which gives you from now, over Christmas and into the New Year to sort through your unwanted items, which might be exactly what someone else is looking for! The events are held from 8.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the School’s main car park and there’s plenty of parking on the lay-bys and in the ball courts. Don’t forget to bring a table and/or a rug on which to display your wares. There are always a wide variety of stalls with all manner of goods on offer, so why not come along to our next event and come and support us, and pick-up a bargain or two in the process!



The PTA continues to do its best to operate a small ‘**Recycled Uniform shop**’ at Car Boot Sales, though very little stock remains and - as we depend entirely on donations - new stock is always needed. Consequently, we would be grateful for donations of any items of good quality school uniform which could be put to good use by Le Rocquier students whilst raising funds for the PTA. Please bring this in to school and/or contact a member of our PTA staff.



The **PTA 100 Club for 2018/2019** has got off to a good start, and thanks to all our 100 Club members – old and new - for their support. Don't forget you can check on the winning numbers on the PTA page of the School website (www.lerocquier.com). The £50 prizes for September, October and November were drawn at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) held on Thursday 18th October 2018 – *see details below*. The winner for September was No. 32 and for October No. 72. Remember: for only £12 a year starting from September you have 11 chances of winning a £50 prize each month and a magnificent £100 in December (just in time for Christmas!). Don't forget that you can have more than one membership – and it's never too late to join - so why not get at least one for each member of the family! [*see application form below*]



A fund-raising '**Race Night**' is planned for Friday 9th November 2018 at the Ambassadeur Hotel, St. Clement. Tickets @ £10.00 (including a meal) are now on sale at PTA events and from the School Office. Do please support this fun evening, which will include music at the interval by band 'Ginger Wookiee.' Cash and other prizes will be available for punters, and the PTA is grateful to all those business houses and others who have supported us with prizes for the evening. It's hoped that further Race Nights will be held in the New Year.



AND DON'T FORGET.... The ever-popular **PTA 'Christmas Bingo'** evening (subject to confirmation by the new PTA executive Committee [*see "Annual General Meeting (AGM)" above*]), which is likely to be held on Friday, 30th November 2018, in Le Rocq Café at Le Rocquier School.

AGM

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The **Annual General Meeting (AGM)** was held on 18th October 2018, with refreshments and ‘nibbles’ provided. The formalities (report from the Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer, etc.) were duly dealt with and your new Committee was elected as:-

Chairman - Peter Monamy
Vice-Chairman - Stewart Elston
Secretary - Lisa Howkins
Treasurer - Jennifer Richardson

Members: Alan Cameron
Prue Cameron
Samantha Ennis
Fenella Le Signe
Nicola Tucker
Gary Whitelaw

The PTA also welcomed the new Head teacher, Mr. Andy Adkin, to his first Le Rocquier School PTA AGM, and he has joined the Committee in an advisory capacity. We have a number of vacancies on the Committee and anyone interested in joining our happy band are invited to come along to the first meeting of the new Committee, to be held on Thursday 8th November 2018, to see what we get up to! *[See above for the 100 Club winners for September and October 2018].*



Please also don't forget our other ongoing fund-raising activities such as -

- The Le Rocquier School PTA **C.I. Co-Operative Society Share No.** which is 313660 - you can use this at any of the Co-Op shops. Even if you only use the PTA number once a month, this would be a great help in boosting funds.



Please support your school's PTA **by attending events**
and through taking out 100 Club membership/s!



Thank you to those parents of the new Year 7 intake for September who have expressed an interest in the work of the PTA. We look forward to welcoming you into the PTA fold in due course; and I extend an invitation to any parents who would like to come along to meet PTA members and to see what the PTA gets up to (!) to do so at any time. Just contact the School, the PTA website or Facebook pages and/or the PTA mobile phone (07797 828424) and leave a message; or come and see us in action in due course at any of our events.

Thank you for your continuing support in the coming months. Best wishes.

Peter Monamy
Chairman

October 2018

Contact the PTA through the School website www.lerocquier.com or e-mail us at pta@lrs.sch.je or through Facebook: [lerocquierPTA](https://www.facebook.com/lerocquierPTA)

Twitter: www.twitter.com/LeRocquier



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LE ROCQUIER SCHOOL
100 CLUB MEMBERSHIP FORM 2018/2019

I would like to purchase a 100 Club Membership Number(s)

1st Membership Details

Name

Address

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Telephone Number

2nd Membership Details

Name

Address

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Telephone Number

Please make cheque out for £12.00 (per ticket) payable to :- Le Rocquier School PTA

and send back to :- Mrs S Ennis (100 Club)
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