

A note from the Chair

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Supporters, I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to each and every one of you for your unwavering support throughout this past year. Together, we've achieved remarkable milestones and made a significant impact on our school community.

Our festive events, Christmas Fair, Easter Bingo, Discos, and the Summer Fair—were not only enjoyable but also successful in raising funds. Thanks to your participation and generosity, we've been able to accomplish some fantastic goals:

1. New iPads: In September, our students will have access to brand-new iPads, enhancing their learning experiences and technological skills.

2. Library Transformation: Our library is undergoing a transformation! We're investing in a wide range of non-fiction books, ensuring that our young readers have a wealth of knowledge at their fingertips.

3. Monster Phonics: The extension of our monster phonics books will empower our students to become confident readers and spellers.

None of this would have been possible without your dedication, enthusiasm, and commitment. As we look forward to the next academic year, I am confident that our collective efforts will continue to make a positive difference in the lives of our children. Thank you once again for being an essential part of our PTA family. Wishing you all a wonderful summer break!

Warm regards,
Alexandra Macdonald

Why do we have a Friends of Committee?

The Friends of Rivington Foundation School is a registered charity whose aim is to raise money in a fun and sociable way, to provide the school with extra funding.

This is then spent on equipment and resources to enhance your child's educational experience and the school's facilities.



Event Information

Full information and event details will be released closer to each event. Our aim will be to release information in the headteachers newsletter, text messages and on the Mums and dads page on Facebook.

Contact Us

If you are interested in joining our volunteer list, have any fundraising ideas or questions please see one of the committee members:

Alexandra Macdonald - Chair person

Joanna Clayton Stead - Vice Chair

Nicola King - Secretary

Claire Stubbs & Alexandra Macdonald - Treasurer

Rebecca Cliffe - School lead

Rachel Husband - Committee member

Sarah Shepherd - Committee member

Emma Bramwell - Committee member

Christine Brooke - Committee member

Jennie Bearman - Committee member

Caroline Griffin - Committee member

Nicola Mallon - Committee member

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AGM

Our AGM will be held in September, the exact date will be published at the start of the new school year. If you would like to volunteer or want to join the committee, please get in touch.

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Easyfundraising

We're now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can help us for FREE. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It's easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please sign up to support us.

We have currently raised over £1,800 with only 46 supporters imagine what we could raise if everybody joined!

You can raise donations in one easy click with the FREE #easyfundraising Donation Reminder. It finds donations when you shop as normal with over 7,000 brands.



Scan the QR code to join or download the app from the APP store or Google play



Fundraising can continue throughout the summer holidays



Recycle, Recycle, Recycle!

The textile bank will remain in school for you to recycle any unwanted clothes and shoes. We have filled it 9 times already raising £548, keep it going!

Please bring any of the below unwanted items in a securely tied plastic bag to our outdoor textile bank on site.

We can accept the following items:

- Wearable Clothing
- Paired Shoes (tied together)
- Handbags
- Belts

We cannot accept the following items:

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| Workwear | Uniforms (including School Uniforms) |
| Wet/Soiled Clothes | Curtains |
| Towels | Duvets or Duvet Covers |
| Pillows or Pillow Cases | Blankets |
| Table Cloths | Linens |
| Cushions | Carpets |
| Suitcases | Books |
| Bric a Brac | Clothes Hangers |
| Electricals | |

The bags will be collected when the bank is full and transported to the Rag Bag factory where they will be sorted and graded for reuse or recycling.

