

Greeting from the Chair

What an amazing year we've had, our magazine is filled with lots of wonderful pictures illustrating school activities that the RGSA have been involved in and helped fund. The RGSA is a representation of the parents and carers of children at Rushey Green school, and I encourage current and new parent to get involved. It can be very rewarding. Our aim is to work with the Senior Leadership Team and teaching staff to develop a relationship that increases communication, support our children to reach their potential, and increase learning opportunities.



This summer we will bid a fond farewell to Mr John Calvert our Interim Headteacher, who has led us with strength and direction, enhancing our existing learning environment. Thank you! This Autumn we will welcome our new Headteacher, Lisa Williams, who has high expectations and aspirations for all our children, and the RGSA look forward to working with her. Find out more about her below and have a great Summer break.

Meet Mrs Lisa Williams appointed Headteacher, we asked her tell us a little about herself and her ambition for Rushey Green;



"I was born in Birmingham and studied at Birmingham University. For the past 20 years I've taught and worked in Birmingham schools, here is where I first became a Headteacher. After a move to London 3 years ago, my family and I now live locally and we are very happy here. I currently work as a School Improvement Advisor in Hackney. I get to work with lots of Primary schools & two Nursery Schools.

I am very excited to take over as Headteacher at Rushey Green in September. I miss working with children and being part of a community. I am passionate about all children getting a good education. I am committed to seeing Rushey Green becoming a first class Primary School.

I have two goals....Teachers to love teaching and children to love learning. I will work hard to develop a good curriculum that challenges and engages children.

Fun facts...I eat far too much chocolate! I don't watch TV... I love to read, travel and I actually like spiders.

What have we been up to

Bought and planted sunflower seeds with year 1

Helped out at the magic breakfast club

Bought equipment for Reception class

Identified a parent representatives to meet with Headteacher

Bought road signs and boards to make the roads around school safer to cross

Received funding to invest in improving our school playground equipment

Raised money for Millwall Community Trust

ESOL class with crèche

Over the past academic year there have been lots of other activities that have taken place ...see previous newsletters on RGSA website to find out more!



The Summer Fair takes months of planning and we had great support from our local community. Amazing raffle prizes were donated and won.

We started early at 9am to setup stalls for the day and finished after 6pm tidying up.

We thank teachers, parents, carers and families for all your support on the day and a big thank you to our young committee members.

Performances on the day by -

Hearts of steal (steel pans)

Nigel and the school drummers

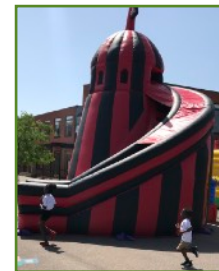
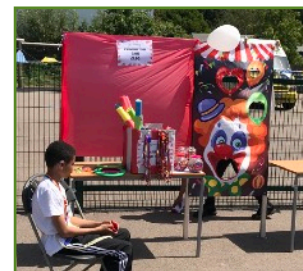
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Y6 Dancers

Team Catford and regenerate stalls

Janet Daby MP made an appearance and said how great the community at Rushey Green was.

If you have any ideas for activities for next year fair please contact Lilian Brooks.



Slime sale for Year 6 end of year activities.

The RGSA designed and produced year 6 labelled slime pots and supported year 6 with their teachers in making slime to sell after school and at Summer fair to help pay for coaches for year 6 trip and their end of year activities.

Raised over £500 in sales



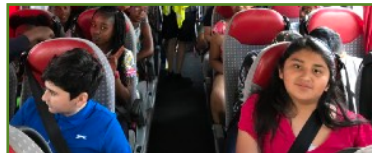
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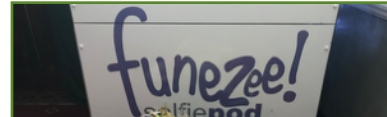
We supported the year 6 end of year events making their last year full of fantastic memories.



Class of 2019



Year 6 Leavers Disco with DJ Peter, Selfie pod, Papa John pizza, popcorn, candy floss and slush machine. It was nice to see the children in their celebrity outfits. Lots of fun enjoyed by all.



Year 6 you have worked so hard, learnt so much, grown so much and progressed so much throughout the years. Do your best, be your best and we know you can achieve your best.

Love from RGSA Team

We need your help!

It's never too late to get involved and if you have some spare time.

If you want to get involved in the winter fair or have any fund raising ideas. Download a form from the school website under the RGSA page, forms in reception or email Lilian Brooks using the details below.

Volunteers are needed....

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Email the RGSA Chair at: l.brooks@rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk

RGSA WhatsApp group for updates on events

Have a great



Next Term Events



Coffee mornings

26th September- Book People 'Book Bus' coming to school.

MacMillan Coffee Morning autumn term

ESOL classes will continue next term

October Annual General Meeting



