

## Welcome to our first TPAC newsletter of the 21/22 school year!

What is TPAC? TPAC is Tadcaster Primary Academy Community, our school's 'PTA'. The team is made up of parents/carers and friends of the school, and supports school with fundraising events during the year. What does the money get spent on? TPAC fund items like transport for school trips, purple book bags for the children in reception, play equipment for the children – and any requests the teachers have for items for their classrooms.

**How can I get involved?** You can join the group – or help at events if you don't want to commit to coming along to meetings too, come along to fundraising events and play the school lottery.

At the AGM held on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October the previous chair of TPAC stood down, the team would like to thank Katherine Wells for all her hard work and dedication keeping TPAC going over the last few years. The following people were appointed into roles:

- Chairperson Kerry Hodson (parent of Aria & Luna)
- Treasurer Caroline Wilson-Jennings (parent of Charley & Darcey)
- Secretary Dawn Watson (parent of Ivy W)
- Communications Rachel Hughes (parent of Daisy and Phoebe)

Other committee members are - Lisa Bairstow (ATA, Jupiter Team), Dean Wilson-Jennings (parent of Charley & Darcey), Kirsty Banner (parent of



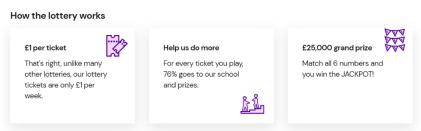
Teegan, Kyra & Ivy P-B), Jen Offord-Middleton (parent of Olly) and Sarah Dance (parent of Emily). The next meeting date is Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 5pm, new members very welcome!



## Joining the school lottery...

Playing the school lottery offers those entering the chance of winning a weekly prize, and also raises funds for school. Join the lottery by going to <a href="Support Tadcaster Primary Academy">Support Tadcaster Primary Academy</a>

when you play Your School Lottery - Your School Lottery and clicking 'buy tickets'. It's not just parents that can join – anyone can, so spread the word and get friends/grandparents/neighbours to sign up – the more people that enter the bigger the weekly prize!



## **November and December events**

What's On	When	Details
Krispy Kreme Pop Up	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov from	Our very own Krispy Kreme Donut Shop in the school
Shop	3:15pm	playground.
		Donuts priced at £1 each
Christmas Movie Night	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Join us for Games at 5pm followed by Polar Express at
	5 – 7:30pm	5:45pm.
	*Year 1-6 only	Tickets priced at £3 per child, includes popcorn and a drink
Singing Around the	Friday17 <sup>th</sup> December	Deck the Halls for our annual Christmas Hamper raffle, teas,
Tree	2pm	coffees, mince pies and Christmas Carols

TPAC is also funding a Christmas entertainer for the children in Team Venus, and organising a special visit from Santa to meet the children in his grotto...