

## **Newsletter: September**

Charity No. 286958

Dear Sussex Road Parents, Carers & Community,

We hope you had a great summer and are settling back into the school routine. A very warm welcome to all the new families joining Sussex Road this year. The SRSA (which is the Sussex Road PTA for those new to the school) are already busy planning several events for Terms 1 and 2, please read on for details!

# AGM - Thursday 21st September 7-8pm

Everyone is welcome to join us for our Annual General Meeting in the Old Hall. This is a great opportunity to hear how the funds you have helped raise over the last year were used to benefit the children and to discuss plans for the coming year. The AGM is also when the committee for the coming year is elected, and you are invited to submit your nomination for consideration. Please email <a href="mailto:srsasussexroad@gmail.com">srsasussexroad@gmail.com</a> for more information.

# **Upcoming Events**



#### SRSA 100 Club

For just £2 a month (£24 paid up front for the year) you are in with a chance of winning a cash prize in our monthly draw and helping to raise funds for the school. There is still time to sign up, please email <a href="mailto:srsa100club@gmail.com">srsa100club@gmail.com</a> by Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September. The first draw will take place in October.



### Autumn Disco: Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October Years 1/2/3 @ 4.45 – 5.30pm, Years 4/5/6 @ 5.45 – 6.45pm

The kids favourite DJ Vicky will be back with music, games, and a little mayhem! More information on how to book tickets will be available soon. (For all of our Reception parents, as the disco can be overwhelming for our youngest Sussex Roaders, we will plan a fun activity especially for them closer to Christmas).



#### Christmas Shopping Evening: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 7 – 9pm

A fabulous opportunity to buy Christmas gifts lovingly hand-crafted by members of the local community whilst enjoying a glass of mulled wine and mince pie. Do you have your own business and would like to have a stall? Please email <a href="mailto:srsasussexroad@gmail.com">srsasussexroad@gmail.com</a> with your details.



#### Christmas Fayre: Saturday 9th December 1 – 3pm

One of the highlights of the year! You can expect some familiar favourites and maybe a few new activities in the mix. Watch this space for more details.

## We Need You!

We can only put on these events with the help of our wonderful volunteers. We need volunteers to help us at both the Autumn Disco (Weds 11<sup>th</sup> Oct) and Christmas Fayre (Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Dec) with jobs ranging from serving squash to our energetic dancers to running a stall. We are also on the lookout for any raffle prizes that you or even your employer might be willing to donate. Please contact <a href="mailto:srsasussexroad@gmail.com">srsasussexroad@gmail.com</a> if you are able to help.

Many thanks, SRSA