



Constitution of the Sponsorship Sub-Committee

1. The Sponsorship Sub-Committee will consist of the Sub-Committee Chairman, the Treasurer and up to three parent members of the Parents' Association Committee.

Objective

2. The objective of the Sponsorship scheme is to encourage initiative in taking part in activities which not only benefit the development of the student in areas over and above their normal academic demands, but also either:
 - (i) Are for charitable purposes; or
 - (ii) Promote RGS, for example by taking part in national or international competitions.

Sponsorship

3. Where suitable activities are undertaken by students, the Parents' Association is prepared to consider sponsoring those activities by providing financial assistance towards the predicted costs (subject to the availability of funds). The level of support may be up to 25% of the total cost with a maximum sum available being £500.
4. Students wishing to apply for Sponsorship should complete the pre-printed form, which is available from the Parents' Association tab on the school website. This form requires countersignature by one member of staff who is prepared to support the application.
5. The Sponsorship Sub-committee will review and recommend sponsorship grants as and when required. The Chairman of the Sub-committee will present a regular report to the main Parents' Association Committee, highlighting its recommendations, both positive and negative.
6. Boys who are current members of the school may apply for sponsorship at any time during the academic year; applications should be made prior to the event. Boys may apply for sponsorship where the activity will take place while they are still pupils of the school or in the year between RGS and university or other full-time education.
7. An indication should be made if the application for support for a particular project is likely to be the only one or whether other individuals may be applying subsequently.
8. All applicants must be prepared to present a report to the school during the year following the award.