### FUNDRAISING

Wednesday 2 November – Fun Quiz Night (for all the family)

Wednesday 1 February – Beetle Drive

Wednesday 2 May – Bingo Night

***THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO CAME ALONG TO THE QUIZ NIGHT – STAFF, PUPILS, PARENTS, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS – A GREAT EVENING HAD BY ALL WITH £181 RAISED FOR SCHOOL FUNDS – THE WINNING TEAM WERE ‘THE CHARLESTON CHAMPIONS’***

## THE NEW SCHOOL PROPOSALS

There have now been 9 Project Board meetings in connection with the new school and representatives of the Parent Council continue to attend each one. The Implementation Group started on 5 October and is due to meet again next week which will start discussing the practical day-to-day operational issues in relation to the new school development – the Parent Council will be represented at that meeting along with teaching staff and the Out of School and Breakfast Clubs. Parents/carers will continue to be kept fully informed. Please contact the school with any queries about the new school development. We hope to have sight of updated plans soon.

Parent Council Meeting

The second Parent Council meeting of this school year was held on Wednesday 2 November 2011 and was attended by Mr Macgregor, 1 church representative and 4 parent/carer members – our usual 2 staff representatives were helping set up the Quiz! This newsletter highlights the main issues discussed at the meeting. Future meetings will be held at 5.45 pm before our fundraising events (see dates below please come along it’s not too formal honest!!

Dundee City Council continues to provide training support for Parent Councils – there are some courses coming up if anyone is interested…..

Tuesday 22nd November - **Information Evening (Web Sites, Twitter, Glow, Blogs, Game Based Learning, communication with Parent Forum)**

                                    This event is for all Parent Council Members

                                     To be held at Rowantree Primary School, 7p.m.

Tuesday 29th November - **Recruitment and Selection Training** 7p.m.  EDS, Lawton Road

 Tuesday 29th November - **Training for Chairs, Clerks and Treasurers**, 7p.m. EDS, Lawton Road.

Remember you can follow the latest updates from the school on a regular Blog ……and on Twitter!

Parents and carers can continue to drop in to their children’s class on a Wednesday morning or may be interested in joining a Parents Group in the school with Taletta Jamieson Dundee City Council’s Parental Involvement Officer. Please remember you can contact Mr MacGregor or your child’s teacher at any time though! Well done and thank you to everyone who came along to the Parent Council AGM at the Open Afternoon in October. You can get more information about Parent Councils from this national website <http://www.ltscotland.org.uk/parentzone/getinvolved/parentcouncils/resources/index.asp>