**Dalmellington Primary school and Early Childhood Centre**

**AGM Parent Council Meeting**

**Monday 9th of Sept 2024**

**6pm at Dalmellington Primary School**

**Present** - Fiona Greig, Claire Stevenson. Jennifer Dunsford, Sheree McCabe, Aimee Mcknight, Lorna Dempsey, Wendy Whiteford, Donna Deans, (Jane Mctaggart and Kim Mulholland on Whats App call)

**Apologies** - Amy Mair, Lynsay Neil

**Welcome** – JD opened the meeting by welcoming everyone including new members. Jennifer gave a rundown of how successful of year we have had and what experiences we provided for the children. LD has created a poster about this and uploaded onto the Parent Council FB page. JD thanked all members for their continued support.

**Treasurer’s report** – LD handed out the financial report for 2023-2024 session, showing that we have £3325.25 in bank after P7 residential and wetsuits for ECC still to come off.

**Committee** - Current Committee dissolved.

**New Committee elected as follows** -

Chairperson: Jennifer Dunsford, proposed by Sheree McCabe and Seconded by Wendy Whiteford, agreed by all members.

Vice Chair: Wendy Whiteford, proposed by Sheree McCabe and seconded by Jennifer Dunsford, agreed by all members.

Secretary: Sheree McCabe, proposed by Wendy Whiteford, seconded by Lorna Dempsey, agreed by all members.

Vice Secretary: Aimee McKnight, proposed by Sheree McCabe, seconded by Wendy Whiteford.

Treasurer: Lorna Dempsey proposed by Wendy Whiteford, seconded by Jennifer Dunsford, and agreed by all members.

Donna Deans, Lynsay Neil and Sarah Andrews join as new members. Kim Mulholland wishes to leave the committee due to her current job within the school.

**Head Teachers Report –** attached via email. This was shared on the screen for all members to see.

**PC Business –**

**Joint Headship** – FG will still be doing her role as Joint headship until Christmas that she knows of.

**School Refurb** – WW suggested if we can as Committee be heard from the Local Authority to get our views/opinions across. Suggestion of inviting them to next PC meeting.

**Swimming Lessons** – All members agreed to go ahead and book the weekly block of swimming lessons for P1-P7. WW gave rough estimate for the total of kids being a cost of £888. FG will speak to Tricia to get this booked.

**P7 Residential –** CS confirmed that the residential will be on 17th February 2025, with 13 children going, and the cost will be £170 per head. The PC will apply for funding and will see if we can help in any way.

**Christmas Fundraiser –** Ideas were flowing for Christmas fundraising, all agreed for a Christmas evening outside ECC building, some Carole singing and grotto but date to be confirmed.

**Dates for next meetings** –

Wednesday 6th November 2024 – teams at 7pm.

Monday 13th January 2025 – teams at 7pm.

Monday 10th March 2025 – face to face in school at 6pm.

Monday 19th May 2025 – teams at 7pm.