

Monday 26th January – Parent Council

Attendees: Angela Buchanan, Fiona Pentland, Mairi McGill, Jillian O'Rourke, Eugene-Paul Grant, Kayleigh Laird, Neil Farren

Apologies: Katrina Livingstone

Agenda:

1. Welcome and opening prayer
2. Apologies
3. Minutes of the Last Meetings
4. School report
5. Treasurer's Update
6. A.O.C.B

19:05 – Facebook – people not happy about PC Facebook page. Upset over the Parent Council taking back the Facebook page. No notification about change of member. Previous Facebook member was invited to attend the PC, but has decided not to.

19:08 – Proposal of withdrawal of R.E. child has the right to choose. No one can now withdraw from R.E. – decided by the Scottish Government. Prepare families who wish to withdraw about the change in law.

19:14 – Holy Mass on 19th March for our Feast Day.

19:15 – Health and Safety for drop off/pick up – bollards for pickup have now been installed and have been a positive impact. Signage about drop off/pick up. Meeting with building owners (Mitie) about this.

19:17 – Easter Study - classes were well attended. Online E-sgoil is the online study and can be used where students are not able to attend.

19:21 – SQA exams have begun. Mrs Marshall has been sharing and exam countdown and making available apps, along with a daily update about what exams are on the next day. Lastminute study classes are available as well.

Seniors return – Wed 3rd June

QS Results day – Tuesday 4th August 2026. Recommended to sign up for MySQA.

Timetable change – Tuesday 5th May. Timetable is being put on Seemis just now.

S1 Reports are the last to go out.

19:24 – Staffing.

Mr Kane's secondment has been extended until June 2027.

Mrs Buchanan – Acting Head Teacher

Mrs Marshall – Acting DHT

Mr Goldie – Acting Pastoral Care

Miss Ovens is covering Mr. Goldie

Mrs McElhinney DHT (Mrs Shearers.

Mr Millar Acting PT Science.

PC O'Donnell has returned to the school.

No vacancies at the moment – there may be a change with newly qualified teachers.

19:27 – Upcoming Events

No Bank holiday for the Scottish World Cup.

19:30 – Mrs Devine is retiring in August 2026.

19:32 – Treasurer's Update. No further ahead and still waiting to hear from the bank. Pushing the Easy Fundraising. Email to wider parent community.

19:35 – Steering Group.

19:38 – Inviting councillors to the meeting – waiting for election.

Next meeting – Monday 8th June