

Parent Council Minutes

Date: 10/1/22

Present: David McArthur (Chairperson) Fiona Johnston, Nikki Winning, David Frame, Mairi Frame, Lorraine More, Ross McKay, Hazel Dobie, Wendy Moultrie, Katharine Foye, , Nuzhat Uthmani, Lorna Thomson, Anne McNaught, Grant Maybury, Kirsty McShane, Lewis Brown, Christine Grant, Julie Cameron, Wendy Moultrie

Apologies: Emma Gormlie, Jillian Rawlings, Michelle Stewart

Notes of discussion		Action points
1. Previous minutes		
Minutes: Proposed by L. Thomson, Seconded by D. Frame		
2. Parent Chair Report		
D. McArthur no further updates, all communication emailed. Treasurer report remains unchanged- £701.38		
3. S6 Leadership team/Head Teacher Report		
Lewis Brown provided an update on school activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christmas Fayre and Cash for Kids funding was accessed to support families. • Extra-curricular clubs will continue. Friday club will run for S4-6 for 3 weeks to support with wellbeing during prelims. • Families thanked for their support with food collection. 		
Head Teacher provided an update on the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calendar of events for January • Covid updates sent to all parents. Aim to keep everyone safe whilst providing as many activities as possible for learners. • Remote learning and teaching continues to be delivered to learners at home. Learners can contact teachers to confirm they are well and request the camera to be turned on in the class. • SQA- continue to prepare learners for exams and gather evidence for contingency planning. Parent involvement and engagement policy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aims and principles shared. Discussion regarding potential ways to involve and engage families. • Discussion on support with study skills from S1 and sharing approaches with families. • Promote school with local media. 		Parent Council to continue to promote key dates in the bulletin Parent Council to consider activities to connect parents. SLT to identify different needs of parents/carers and potential barriers to organise relevant activities.
C. Atherton delivered a session on mental wellbeing to support families with strategies.		
4. AOB		