

Parent Council Minutes. Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2015.

Apologies: Janice McKenzie, Tommy Reilly, Derek Cassidy, Christopher Reeve,

Opening Prayer

Minutes of last meeting;

Read and approved

Correspondence:

Paul Canning advised that he had received a date for the Parent Council Forum to be held at Hampden Park on the 20<sup>th</sup> June 2015. Anyone interested should contact Paul for further details.

Feedback on P7 Parents Evening and plans for S1 Parents Evening:

Mrs Scott advised that both evenings are very well attended and spoke of future plans for these events. It was stated that Mr Baird is planning to run a numeracy programme workshop and there are hopes to run various other workshops during the Parents Nights, including the possibility of tea/coffee being available within the Home Economics Department where various parent council members and teaching staff would be around for an informal chat.

Caritas Awards:

Mrs Scott and Mr McLean advised that it was a very successful ceremony with 38 6<sup>th</sup> Year students receiving the award. Mrs Scott stated how very proud the school was of the hard work and achievement of the pupils.

Staffing Update:

Mr Dalton and Ms Aitcheson are leaving the school. And are getting 3 full time NQT'S for Chemistry, Maths and Tech.

School Improvement Plan:

All information regarding School Improvement Plan will be put on school website

Mrs Scott advised that here are 3 main areas for improvement as follows:

1. Improvement in the tracking BGE.
2. New Highers and Advanced Highers being implemented
3. Promotion of Student Leadership

Cluster Fundraising Update:

£690 was raised from the cluster quiz night with a good turnout.

Discussion around ideas for next year to raise funds took place with possible 5 a-side football for parents, Race night and Bags for life and Xmas CD for sale in all cluster schools.

Any ideas will be very welcome.

Parent Council Meeting Dates for next year:

Tuesday	20 <sup>th</sup> October 2015 AGM
	24 <sup>th</sup> November 2015
	2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2016
	1 <sup>st</sup> March 2016
	3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2016
	7 <sup>th</sup> June 2016

Closing Prayer

