

## CARNOCK PRIMARY SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2024

**Present** - Vicky Craig, Mandy McVicars, Kirstie Hardie, Laura Irving-Paxton, Claire, Zoe Crawford, Sarah Ewart (Deputy Headteacher)

**1. Apologies** - Mrs. Bernard (Headteacher), Brian Wotherspoon, Stacey McCallum, Laura White

**2. Minutes of previous meeting** - These were accepted. VC proposed.

**3. Review of Parent Council Constitution**

The Parent Council Constitution needs to be reviewed every year. VC will e-mail the constitution to all Parent Council members for feedback.

**4. Sports Day**

Childrens School Sports Day to be held at Carnock Public Park on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May, immediately after lunchtime.

An *Olympic Games* Theme was suggested by Mrs. Ewart, but this has yet to be decided.

Some parents have already volunteered to help on the day, with Rope Holding, etc. More parent help would be welcome.

Children should bring their own water bottles.

**5. Treasurers Report**

The current balance as of 13/3/24 is £1,777.02. Fund raising initiatives were discussed. Some of the following ideas proposed were centred around social events for parents;

Race Nights, Pamper Evening, Bring & Buy, Adults Sports Day.

And for children: Film Night (accompanied by their parents).

**6. School Report**

Another busy term in full swing. Lots of activities are planned.

Including; P.3-7 Concert at Duloch Primary School, P.5 Bikeability,

P.6 Munro Challenge, and P.5, 6 & 7 Cross Country.

World of Work Week – week commencing 10<sup>th</sup> June.

Parents are invited to participate by coming in to school and chatting to the children about their work and career paths. Letters will be sent out to all parents regarding this.

Mrs. McIntyre will be off for another few weeks, and Mrs. Ewart will continue in her absence.

All eight of the P.7 pupils will be going on to Queen Anne High School in August.

Vicky Craig will order the personalised Leavers mugs.

The garden seating remains unsafe and cannot be used. Council costs to fix it are too prohibitive. Therefore, we continue to seek someone who may be able to fix the seating at a cheaper cost, or for free, as the garden can be used by the community.

### **AOCB**

Parent Council are seeking new members. It was suggested an informal, picnic in the park or social evening event could be arranged to enable new and established parents of the Carnock Primary School community to get together.

### **DATE OF NEXT MEETING - AGM**

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September.

All welcome.