Kirkton of Largo Parent Council Online committee meeting – 1<sup>st</sup> March 2022

Present :

Stuart Macdonald, Gill Smith, Lauren Scott, Keren Scott-Bell, Charlotte Guild.

Apologies: Mrs Barker

	Actions
Matters arising	
<ul> <li>Previous minutes accepted</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Declining school roll : communications been had</li> </ul>	
with Mrs Barker and Alan Cumming. Mrs Barker felt	Mrs Barker to establish what school is allowed to do
Covid had restricted the options open to us to	within current Covid restrictions.
increase school interaction, as per PC's proposed solutions, but very happy to do so when conditions allow.	Revisit proposed solutions if we are able to do so.
• Day now finishes at 3pm. Were parents actually	<b>GS</b> check what was communicated about the school finish time.
ever informed of this?	
<ul> <li>Christmas fund raising was a big success. Some good ideas to carry forward to next year.</li> </ul>	UPDATE post meeting – this is to be formalised after the Easter break, info to go out soon. Covid mitigations requiring staggered start/finish mean no official change while the staggered finish is in place.
Finance report	
Bank balance unchanged at £1036.95	
Parent Council future	
Declining numbers and lack of interest in Parent	SMac draft and circulate survey re Parent Council's
Council are of significant concern. Sadly there is a	future to parents
real possibility the PC could cease to exist, with	
associated implications for loss of fund raising and	
social events. SMac and GS both wish to stand down	
from their posts.	
Leadership proposals	
• SMac pointed out that the FTE figures don't add up.	
The current proposals show a reduction in	
leadership FTE time of between 0.3 and 0.8, despite	
Fife Council representatives stating the leadership	
capacity would be increased by the proposed changes.	
<ul> <li>Agreed that KOL PC response to include</li> </ul>	
• that teachers need to be consulted about	
future proposals from Fife Council and	
happy with the decisions made.	SMac draft response to leadership proposals and
• There needs to be recognition of the staff in	circulate.
place who are shouldering the responsibility	
<ul> <li>Confirmation of availability of/ access to specialist teachers</li> </ul>	

AOCB	
• P7 transition plans as yet unclear.	GS to ask Mrs Barker what is planned for rest of year
• Will there be a Leavers Service?	and what the staffing will be for next year.
	<ul> <li>UPDATE POST MEETING <ol> <li>P7s to have activity day at Waid in May (Covid permitting); Waid visits 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> June; Broomlee hopefully 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> May; hopefully further joint activities for P7s from KOL and LM in Term 4 but staffing issues may make this difficult.</li> <li>Weekly outdoor learning planned at KOL after Easter.</li> <li>Potential trip to Science Centre.</li> <li>No new children currently enrolled for next year. Enrolment now online.</li> <li>One class next year. Mrs Brocklebank to stay on and would apply for PT if the new leadership model goes ahead</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
	DONM to be confirmed