



LOCHGELLY SOUTH PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL
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Headteacher: Mrs Lorraine Taylor

Parent Council Minutes – 23.11.22

Mrs Taylor, Mr Jones, Mrs Campbell, Jo, Debbie, Kerry, Ashley, Louise and Lee.
Apologies: Kelly

Parent Council Funds

Current balance is £2233.77

Decant Proposal:

Final decision January 2023, St Kenneth's will be the proposal.

- Options being explored. Proposal will be put to the councillors and a decision will be made from there. This will not be put to the parents and the school doesn't have a say.
- Nursery children will definitely be moving to the Sunflower.
- School day will not be shortened and provision will be put in place for this.
- Once the decision is made, plans will be put in place.
- Nursery will be upgraded and school electrics and heating will be upgraded. Flooring will have to be replaced so there will be benefits for the school.
- Questions from the parent meeting will be on the website and will be updated. Some were not able to be answered at the time.
- Classes will be separate from the St Kenneth's classes but will share the gym hall/dinner hall etc. Lunchtimes and break times will be staggered.
- Looking at having own entrance, reception area, toilets etc to keep the school together. All classrooms in the same area too.
- There will still be a Lochgelly South School Improvement Plan, budget, staff etc. Everything will be kept separate.
- One campus, two schools.

Upcoming Events:

- Christmas Fayre/Coffee Morning - Thursday 8th December
- Pantomime at Lochgelly Centre - Wednesday 21st December - 12pm
- Positive Relationships & Ethos - Consultation with parents.

Christmas Jumper Swap:

- Please come along and help yourself.
- Will be available during the whole school family time on Thursday 1st December.
- There wasn't a big uptake on the Halloween costume swap, lots handed in but not taken.

Christmas Coffee Morning:

- Interest in stalls - will be put out on social media. Jo will have a stall. Others will contact people to see if they are interested.
- Raffle tickets used to cost £60 to print at Trojan Press but got them printed at the print room for £5 so big saving.
- **Donations needed for raffle, cake and candy and bric-a-brac stall.**
- P7 pupils are keen to be involved in the Fayre as they missed out during covid. They are excited about being part of the nativity though.
- P7 could be involved in contacting local businesses unless P6 have already organised this.

Current Budget Balance:

- £2210
- Potential outgoings - 50% of pantomime £5 per child = £465 agreed spend.
- Hoodies for 2023 leavers, £150 approx agreed spend.
- Recent spends - £150 on outdoor play (Dominoes, Jenga, Connect 4) and £120 on nursery garden.
- Future spend - development of school library.

Next Meeting:

- Proposal to invite Linda Erskine, local councillor.
- Thursday 9th February at 4:30pm.