



Sandaig Primary Parent Council

Meeting - Wednesday 26th October 2022

Minutes

1. Welcome and apologies

Attendees: R Matheson (Chair), L McManus (Parent), P Stewart (Parent), S McCormack (Parent), C Baxter (Parent), J Moore (DHT)

Apologies: K Fleming (Parent), S Clark (Head Teacher), S Johnston (parent), F Beggs (Treasurer), M McLean (Teacher), S Boyd (Parent), S Reid (Parent)

2. Previous minutes (31.08.2022) & matters arising

Minutes were approved. RM confirmed funding application lodged with Area Partnership Budget for £9553 should hear back around 11th November if successful or not.

3. Treasurer's update (FB)

Not available but aware school asked for PC to purchase something so FB can update at next meeting.

4. Roll of PC (FB/LM)

This was carried forward to next meeting as will be better to discuss with more PC members and school representatives.

5. School Updates (JM)

Sponsored walk raised over £2000 and psychic fundraising night over £700, these funds will be used for Halloween, Christmas events and school trips.

Halloween parties on 31.10.22 for all classes in community centre and gym hall. Kids can arrive in costumes or get changed at lunchtime.

Parents evening on 10.11.2022 – appointments can be booked by calling the school office. School values agreed. They are 'Kindness, Respect, Safe'.

School handbook being updated and will be submitted for publishing by 07.11.22 in time for P1 enrolment starting.

Website getting updated and Claire Kerr and Maryisa working on this. RM to contact CK to discuss getting PC page on website updated and essential documents posted as well as more info about PC, who we are, what we do and meeting dates etc on there too.

Music Tutor Frances Murphy starting from 31.10.2022 – 12.12.2022 working with P1-P4s.

JM to find out if there will be a 'carols by candlelight' for P6s this year.

Louise Kennedy obtained funding to support residential trip for P7s in January to Glencoe.

There will be shortfall that parents will need to meet, potentially in a short amount of time.

RM asked for LK to email her the details to see if there is any way PC can assist in some way with this.

JM working on afterschool/ parent & community engagement work. Currently have football clubs, will also have gymnastics, dance, rugby, infant play clubs. PC asked if communication could be better re club feedback. Particularly clarity on if there are separate boys and girls football teams or a mixed team, as there's confusion over this.

Continued health and safety issues with cars and parking around school gates.

6. Next meeting

30.11.22 – Barlanark community centre at 6:30pm.