



Sandaig Primary Parent Council Meeting Wednesday 27th March 2024

Minutes

1. Welcome and apologies.

Attendees: FB, SJ LMc, RM, JM

Apologies: PS, CB, SC, SB, KP, CB.

2. Previous minutes Jan 24 (Feb meeting Cancelled)

3. Treasurer's update FB – Spent on easter bunnies (agreed via FB messenger) - £198
Spent more stylus pens (£831.36) & bus trip (£460)- funding
Paid hall let (£52.70)

Total amount in account £108.57

Council usually give £400 at the start of each financial year. (Fiona emailed to check if we still get this – TBC)

4. PVG – update from webinar - Ruth: consultation currently happening but looks like all PC members will need PVG if running events. If a PC run an event and teachers come to help they need PVG from PC.
 - Update from Shona – will make plan with Fiona to start working through PC to get PVG information.

5. Education budget cuts – replies from councillors/ plan for action
Fiona has emailed all local councillors, MSPs and MP on behalf on PC.
Suggested we email back with actual figures and what it means in a practical way for the school. Fiona to wait until school has heard staffing cut numbers before doing this.
Suggested we contact learning community to organise a wider plan.

6. School Updates (JM)
Attendance still a concern. Head strong input with individual families - no one attended. Not made the impact it was hoped it would regarding non-attendance.
Staffing: looking likely we will loose 1-2 teachers from Aug onwards. Art and Music will stop. Mrs Moore and Mrs Kennedy will have class commitments.

Questions asked: who covers if staff are off sick if all management have some class committed time? Who deals with the children who are struggling to be in class?

Thank you from the school for the stylus pens. The school are working towards digital award.

Sports day 31st May – PC asked if they would have a health tuck shop

Looking for parent volunteers for the garden party (23rd May)

7. Next Meeting 24.04.2024