

Minutes of Shawlands Academy Family School Partnership (FSP) 25-03-2024

Present

Kate Anstey Deputy Chair
Clare Roberts Minutes
Stephanie Summers Treasurer
Helen Wallace & Izzie Eriksen
Pauline Carr Headteacher
Chris Hendrie PT evaluating the Pupil Equity Fund
Lisa Sutherland PT Family Learning

Apologies: Ivonne Hughes

(Minutes of the last meeting agreed by Stephanie and Clare)

Committee members

We can have a maximum of 18 members and should have 1/3 of this to hold a meeting but we wonder if this can be the case if we don't have 18 members. Kate had emailed out to check who wants to remain/become a member. Kate also agreed to discuss this with Kathryn Farrow.

Current members:

Kate, Stephanie, Clare, Ivonne – who attend meetings regularly plus Omar said he wished to remain a member.

Kelly Gallacher & Patricia de Vries voted on tonight, in their absence.

Izzie is welcome to become a committee member.

Helen will be leaving after the next meeting ☹️

Apparel Xchange

We discussed prom clothes and how FSP and school can help promote the re-use of clothes. In particular, we wonder about the secondary schools in the local area doing a co-ordinated effort. School wondered if they could do a prom clothing special the last week of S6 term, ie week beginning 15-04-2024.

Twitter

Thinking of ideas as to how best to promote this – keep as an agenda item.

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Finances

We have £3663.94 in the account.

Donations - through easy fundraising- were discussed and Pauline agreed to promote it from the school side approx. 15-04-2024 for 2 weeks as we then get £1 for each new member.

P7/S1 transition event

This in on 22nd may with Kate and Stephanie able to help out and Clare a possible. School has all supplies of tea, coffee, biscuits etc

Headteacher's report

(see attached)

Please note that Parent Pay will be getting promoted again by the school as it will shortly become the only way to give authorisation for a school event/trip so all parents/carers need to be registered.

S6 Leavers

Pupils pay for their own year books. School funds pay for hoodies. School funds also support any pupils who are struggling to pay for prom. FSP will pay for the photobooth at prom.

Graduation ceremony morning of Friday 19/04/24 at 10am.

Pupil Equity Fund

Chris Hendrie talked us through the evaluation of the impact of/outcomes from the use of the PEF within the school

School inspection report

There have been no comments received about this. However we felt the outcome was positive.

SQA exams

All parents/carers urged to double check that they know the exact date and time of exams for their YP and ensure that their email and postal addresses are up to date for the results coming out (06-08-2024). Study leave commences Monday 22-04-2024.

FSP coffee morning/afternoon

Kate and Pauline will discuss possible dates

FSP banner

We have been trying to agree on the best font, colours etc.

Date of next meeting

Monday 22-04-2024 at 6pm in the school

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