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| **Present:** Muriel Russell (chair), Val Forsyth, Craig Gibson, Catriona Moreland, Marion Morrison, Fiona Murray, Elizabeth Robertson, Nicola Robertson, Mhairi Towey, Claire Wooler, Emma Van Dinter  **In attendance:** Graeme Brooks, Lynne Quinn | | |
| **Apologies**: Lynsey Keenan, Margaret Callaghan, Sandra Campbell | | |
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| Item |  | Action: |
| **1** | **Welcome and Apologies**  Muriel welcomed everyone to the meeting, Muriel’s first as Chair. |  |
| **2** | **Minutes of last meeting 23 August 2021**  **Proposed by : Claire Wooler**  **Seconded by: Val Forsyth**  *Minutes to be emailed to school office for display on school website* | Cat |
| **3** | **School/Head Teacher’s Update (**full presentation on school website)  Craig started by welcoming everyone, in particular all new members.   * Staffing – changes outlined by Craig * Sponsored Walk * Loch Lomond Geography Trip * Outdoor Learning Activities - Gowanbank * Prize giving Ceremony * Study Skills Sessions * October Week Recovery Sessions   All of the above have successfully taken place  **10 Year Anniversary Update**   * Virtual concert being recorded * Proposed tartan will be voted on shortly   **Forthcoming Events**   * Remembrance Service – will take place on smaller scale * Clydeview Academy Skills Framework Consultation * Columba 1400 Partnership – feedback on experience will be gathering from participants * Lord Lyon Visit 22 November with regard to Coat of Arms proposal. * S1 Halloween Event – will go ahead with smaller activities co-ordinated by S6s * Raising Aspirations S3-S5 sessions – funded through Attainment Challenge * Christmas Activities – Christmas Cracker will not be able to go ahead due to Covid restrictions * Curriculum Review – Craig outlined that this is an area the school is keep to work on. Craig is also keen for the school to become more involved in community projects and welcomed ideas from those present and would indeed welcome any more ideas. These can be forwarded to Craig via email.   Values – working in conjunction with a graphic design company, these are now starting to appear around in the school on stairways on window and will be incorporated into future merit awards. |  |
| **4** | **Finance**  Looking to fill Treasurer position. Any interested parties should contact Muriel. Muriel to look at currents funds to see if there is scope to donate to the Awards Ceremony. |  |
| **5** | **Chair update**  Muriel outlined the role of the Parent Council and asked that if there was any more parents interested in joining the Parent Council, they make contact with her. Mhairi Towey was proposed and seconded onto the Parents Council by Claire Wooler and Craig Gibson respectively.  Treasurer and Vice Chair posts are currently vacant. Anyone interested in taking up either of these post, please make contact with Muriel.  Parent Representative Meeting held in October was attended by Muriel. Muriel highlighted the following   * September Weekend Amendment – Muriel asked how the school felt about the change to be in line with other Local Authorities and Craig indicated he felt staff would welcome the change. * SQA Reform – survey is available on this. Contact Muriel if you would like the link sent. * Click View – this resource is available through the children’s Glow Account and offers a lot of good resources * New LGBT Leaflet & Website available | MR |
| **6** | **Future Events Planner**  Parent Meetings – working with Local Authority on virtual meetings  Quiz – feasibility of an online quiz to be investigated. |  |
| **7** | **School Improvement Plan**  Discussion to place around What Do You As Parents Want For Your Young People. This provoked a lot of good discussion including creativity, confidence in public speaking, time off social media, mindfulness and access to inspiring people. Craig thanked everyone for their ideas. |  |
| **8** | **AOB**  None |  |
| **9** | **Date of Next Meeting – 10 January 2022 at 7pm** |  |