



### **Newmill Primary Parent Council**

**Thursday 23rd January 6pm - 7pm**

**Newmill Primary - P5/6/7 Classroom**

#### **Present**

Rachael Smith, Donna Shepherd, Gillian Stevenson, Cheryl Mearns, Kay Perry

#### **Banking**

Balance sitting at £5,538.22

Review of what the parent council has funded over the year - P7 hoodies, leaving present for Mrs Henderson, class trips, ice creams, class books, P7 afternoon tea, P7 tempest photo

Parent council looking to fund some new resources for Fun 31. Miss Smith will compile a list of items and the right leaders will do a presentation at the next parent council meeting.

#### **Reading Schools**

Review of what stage the school is at, on target for the Gold award.

Empathy event will take place on Wednesday 12th February with Botriphnie school which will be used as evidence towards achieving Gold standard.

Miss Smith is arranging a visit to other local schools to promote Reading Schools.

Community reading area to be set up in playground.

Chess club which P3/4/5/6 have shown great interest in.

#### **Class Trips**

P5/6/7 are going on a trip to a local farm which Molly won last year.

Questionnaire to be sent out to consult with wider parent body around the possibility of PC supporting class trips for P1/2/3 and P3/4/5/6 and for transition week ideas.

**Next Meeting**

Thursday 1st May - 6pm

Agenda - Funding for updated technology, views on play, Fun31 resources