



Brodick Primary School Parent Council AGM

Thursday, 5 September 2024

Present: Claire Johnston, Louisa McCormack, Pauline Robertson, Jane Boyle, Jessica McGuire, Karen McKinnon, Claire Mooney, Hannah Duncan, Faye Waterlow, Findlay Napier

Apologies: Jason Watts

Minutes: Louisa McCormack

Minute Approval of Previous AGM

Approved: FN

Seconded: KMcK

Matters Arising

Outdoor classroom area has been completed by Ross Paul and it's working well with a timetable for classes to use. Children also eat their packed lunches in it.

Election of Office Bearers

- Chairperson: Findlay Napier
- Vice Chairperson: Jason Watts
- Secretary: Louisa McCormack
- Treasurer: Karen McKinnon

Proposed: PR; Seconded: CM

Minutes of Previous Meeting

Approved: CM

Seconded: KMcK

Matters Arising

Pauline asked if P7 hoodies would be funded by Parent council. This was agreed.

Meet the teacher was successful and to consider whether we run it again in Term 3 or 4.

Swimming will be for P3/4 only this year in March – May. PVGs to be considered for one or two parents to help staff in the changing rooms.

Head Teacher Report

Update on staffing and class sizes. Mrs Allison Conner, new Head Teacher, will start on 23rd September.

Chairperson's Report

Brodick Parent Council took on the catering for the Pipe Bands at the Highland Games again in August. This was very successful. Still to invoice for 2024 so the money has still to be banked.

We also helped with the Summer Fête, which was successful, but we need to look at ideas of improving it for next year.

Treasurer's Report

KMcK advised balance is very healthy and there are still some items to go in.

We may need to use some of this to fix a drainage problem in the school grounds. Other ideas are new toys for the playground and electrics for the outdoor classroom.

Going forward, Chris from Little Rock will help run the catering for the Highland Games next year.

There is around £900 in the admin account to be spent on stationery. KMCK is going to write a cheque for £500 to PR to spend on items over the next year.

Communications

FN suggested we start a WhatsApp group for the parent council members.

LM suggested we should spend money on class trips to new mountain bike track in Lamlash or to the outdoor centres in Lamlash or Lochranza.

JB expressed her thanks to Jake and Laura for painting the classrooms and suggested we get a voucher for the garden centre or Auchrannie for them.

CJ asked if meetings could be held in the evening via Teams. This will be considered.

Date of Next Meeting

Thursday, 7 November.

The Meeting closed at 16:40.