

## Minutes of Chapelhall Parent Group

Wednesday 4th October 2023

Attendees - Mrs Brown, Mrs Cameron, Mrs Baillie, Mrs Rutherford, Ashley Sharp, Keri Anderson, Leigh Wallace, Michelle Cassels, Sheryl McLean, Liz Eadie, Val Smith, Dawn Laird, Roseann Sharp.

### 1. Agree Previous Minutes

Proposed - Ashley Sharp

2<sup>nd</sup> - Val Smith

### 2. Points Discussed

- 2.1 Constitution - This is satisfactory number as it stands at the moment.
- 2.2 Amazon Wish List - 40 items purchased, Mrs Brown will look at the list of items and Leigh will update this on Amazon. Could put out a flyer to explain to the Parents about the Amazon wish list and maybe put some posters up about the school.
- 2.3 Mural - Kev has nearly finished repairing this and it should be moved to the new location in a few weeks.
- 2.4 Lollipop Person at Honeywell - Jim from the council will come out next week to monitor the footfall on Honeywell Crescent, Parent Group will share on the Facebook page that he is coming out, this is the first steps in the process.
- 2.5 Toothbrushing - Danielle has not been in touch with the school this session yet.
- 2.6 Fundraising Update - Christmas cards going well will be posted before October week. Halloween Disco £3.00 or £5.00 per family all organised. Autumn Wreath workshop all 15 tickets sold, Sheryl doing this, really looking forward to this. Cupcakes, Lizzy has her hygiene certificate and will give a donation when she sells the cakes. Christmas Fair, the small group will meet with Mrs Cameron again, Keri to ask about donations for Santa's Grotto.

### 3. HT Report

Roll: 329, 13 classes.

### SIP Priorities

This session :

- Improve Attendance (Cluster)
- Literacy attainment (4%) and Numeracy attainment (2%) (Learning teaching assessment module, CPA approach to maths)
- Development of Play/Enquiry based learning
- Health and Wellbeing (Nurture, Forest School, Rights Respecting Schools Award, NLC Digital Wellbeing Award (now applied for validation))

### SIP Activities

- Many staff are undertaking professional learning about Play and enquiry over 4 sessions
- All staff are undertaking NLC training on Learning, Teaching and Assessment- also 4 sessions - 1 completed and go on until March
- 3 staff will visit Rochsolloch after Oct break, arranging other visit for all teaching staff to another establishment.
- STEM outing for whole school to the Science Centre over 2 days funded by PEF
- CPA/ Bar modelling training for teachers - follow up tonight, new teaching resources to support being used.
- Open afternoon went very well, well-attended.
- Blossom with Nurture (PEF) supporting P1, P2 and P4 and P5 pupils - focus is effective communication, listening, taking turns, explaining carefully.
- Forest School (CST and PEF) -P1/P2 pupils inmixed groups and P4/P5 pupils in mixed groups. Communication skills, relationship development, resilience.

### Other

- Library Visits arranged
- Christmas Cards started ☺☺
- Photographer
- PE clothing - need trainers size (2-7 B/G)
- Christmas Fayre plans
- Sports leaders training started by new Active Schools Co-ordinator

- After school clubs after Oct - SU (lunchtime), Netball, Football, Sportsall athletics, Choir
- Memorial Bench being vandalised frequently. Are looking into possibly bringing inside to foyer after repairs.

#### 4. AOB

Mrs Cameron reported that the school are short of size 2 up to size 7 trainers for indoor PE, these are needed as the gym hall floor has been renewed. Parent Group agreed to fund this. Mrs Rutherford gets discount in Asda so she will buy these and Parent Group will refund her the money.

Val asked about the Blue Token scheme at Tesco, Mrs Brown said she would be happy for Val to look into this.

Roseann asked if there would be a Prom for the P7's this year. Mrs Brown said she was happy if the Parents wanted to organise this but the school would not be having a Prom. The P7's will have other things organised by the school.

Next meeting Wed 1<sup>st</sup> November at 6.30pm on Teams