

Parent Council Meeting Wednesday 18th January 2023 @ 6:00PM

Present: - Mrs Swan, Mrs Hepburn, Louise Awburn, Sarah Delo, Ally Millar, Jane Mercer, Al Mitchell, Sharlene Burns, Mrs Small, Sarah Stewart, Kirsty McKeown, Claire Cruickshank, Lynn McIntosh, Jane Guthrie

Apologies : - Rachel Rennie

Minutes from previous meeting: -

1. Head Teacher Report

- Scots focus in school at the moment with an assembly being held on 27th January. Pupils can wear a touch of tartan.
- Scottish author, Barbara Henderson, will be visiting P5/6 and P6/7 with P1-3 having an author focus at World Book Day
- Still working with Rewilding Denmarkfield and more visits are planned. There has been a logo competition
- Grant application was successful so school has just over £12500 to spend on developing school grounds such as willow den building, bee banks, pond. This has all been very positively received. This needs to be completed by March 2023
- More tree planting will be available to classes and BAM will be providing transport for this.
- Scotland's Big Picture will record the project using photos and videos
- Cross country on 21st March and P6/7 began training this morning
- Links with Murthly PS have been made as part of transition and further opportunities are being discussed such as Euro/General Quiz, Tullybelton Cup
- Parent Contact will be 20th and 22nd March
- The Book Fair will also be in school that week with parents having the opportunity to purchase when in school for their appointments
- School will be painted internally from 6/2/23 and classes will be decanted to another space for approx. 5-7 days
- Shaun Ward has been invited to take school photographs on 10th February
- How school uniform is being ordered is being reviewed. This will hopefully be set up for next term and parents will be able to order online at any point throughout the school year.

2. Treasurer Report

- Ladies Night made £80.69 profit
- Movie Night made £ 353.00 profit
- Carol Singing made £154 in donations
- Christmas party expenditure was £200
- Balance = £6277.26

3. Class List

- Mrs Swan emailed to ask if the company could guarantee that GDPR data would be held in the UK. If the reply comes back as yes she will email PKC IT again to ask for permission

4. Fundraising

- Next Ladies Night will be open to whole community and is provisionally booked for 25.2.23 (7-late)
- Bingo Tea 22nd April (Provisional) 6 for 6.30
- Coronation Garden Party 5th May 3.30 onwards to celebrate Coronation but also the new school garden
 - Set price to include tea/coffee, cake and raffle ticket
 - Market stalls will be asked for a £10 donation and there will be a mix of pupil and business stalls
 - Possible garden stall and Denmarkfield stall
 - There will be donation buckets available
 - We will ask for baking donations
- Further ideas- summer fayre, Luncarty Advent Window walk, Autumn window walk, family disco,
- Sub committee for fundraising. Anyone wishing to help with fundraising should contact Parent Council

5. Dalguise

- This will be held in the last week of this term
- School is awaiting activity confirmation
- Information will be shared with parents as soon as it is available
- Transport there was discussed and the possibility of using a PKC minibus with parent driver to keep costs down

6. PC Newsletter

- The purpose of this newsletter would be to keep the whole parent body up to date with what the PC does, future plans etc
- This will be created together at the next meeting

7. AOCB

- PT interviews- There were 5 applicants and 3 people will be interviewed and the successful candidate will start after the easter holidays
- P7 leavers- Parents to set up sub committee to organise. Pupils will be given £15 from the PC towards the event that is organised
- Leavers Hoodies- message to go out on seesaw once organised

9. Next Meeting

- The next meeting will be on Wednesday 29th March 2023 at 6pm
- Fundraising meeting will be on Wednesday 8th February 2023 at 6pm