Bushes Primary Parent Council

Minutes of Meeting Tuesday 7th February 2023

Attendees:

Craig McCrorie	Nicola West	Alison Simpson	Claire Jones
Alison Warnock	Sarah Pearson	Nicola Slaven	Emma Ronald
Andrew Bain	Kathryn McGowan	Clair Watson	

Agenda:

- * January Disco update
- * Movie Night and raffle plans
- * Young Scot NEC card
- * Beat the Street prizes
- * Payments for PC purchases / Bank Account
- * Car boot sale / Summer fundraiser

1. January Disco update

- Taking from disco was £942.20
- Outgoings approx. £200 so net profit approx. £700
- Door and monitoring system seemed to work better than previously. Possibly additional helpers assigned to tattoos as was a busy area that took
- ACTION Consider for the next disco asking Wallace to turn music down
- Office are still working actual figures once have all receipts in.
- For the year so far approx. £4600 money raised.
- Fixed outgoings for 23-24 estimated at 3700 (excluding playground)
- 2. Movie night and Raffle
- 23rd March, let is from 6pm to 10pm
- Previously have had 100 tickets available, first come first served
- £1 per adult and £1.50 per child
- Consider if including any sweets with tickets or just running tuck shop at start of movie
- DVD best rather than streaming to avoid licence issues
- Raffle tickets sold to kids in AM in school, then parents at 2.30pm in playground before at start of movie.
- Can then draw prizes on the evening to give out the following week.
- Nicola W to work on 3 Easter hampers, and other prizes that were not used for Xmas (coffee machine etc)
- ACTION PC to consider movies and agree at next meeting

- 3. Young Scot card
- Is required in application for child bus travel
- Bushes will be helping P7 pupils to apply in March, taking photos etc for applications.
- More info to follow from school to all P7 pupils.
- 4. Playground update
- Details finalised for playground
 – small playframe and log playhouse coming in on budget
- Craig to confirm we can obtain this with VAT deducted
- Once this is confirmed then Craig will agree dates directly with Scotplay and share with PC.
- NS requested that we confirm that Scotplay will use Geotextile in the drain area, to wrap the pipes and filter soil from water.
- ACTION KM to confirm this
- 5. Beat the Street
- Prizes £100 decathlon (4th prize average points) £250 Scotia Books (2nd total points)
- Meeting with pupil group next week to agree what to buy.
- 6. Payments for PC purchases / Bank Account
- ACTION Agreed that will look into opening PC bank account with Bank of Scotland, utilising contacts via Emma
- Joint signatures / online access to be investigated
- To consider Connect Membership for special rules around this.
- Andrew happy to take on position of treasurer (to be ratified formally at next meeting)
- 7. Car boot sale / Summer fundraiser
- Agreed to revisit running carboot sale
- Claire J requested consideration if want to have indoor tables or just outdoors
- Originally discussed 8-10 tables outdoors
- Need to revisit insurance arrangements.
- ACTION KM to investigate with Kilbarchan primary what rules / arrangements / insurance points they considered.

AOB

- Sports Day due for end of May weather permitting
- Lockerbie trip will PC be helping with costs for the trip as we did before?
 - o Mrs Paterson to confirm on this
- Bushes Parent Forum Facebook page Consider being more active on this when promoting raffles, disco etc.

Next Meeting – Tuesday 28th February 2023

** Consider if strike will mean this needs to be moved