St Peter's Parent Council Meeting Wednesday 22 May 2019 6pm

Present

S.Mazzoni Head Teacher

P. Doherty Chair

K. McAllister Treasurer

A. Campbell Class Teacher

G. Tannahill Clerk

Welcome

Mr Doherty welcomed everyone and opened the meeting.

Chairpersons Report

Mr Doherty had attended a Parent Council Liaison meeting at Renfrewshire Council. The group were informed that Renfrewshire council are highlighting self harming and suicide awareness and are providing workshops for employees in educational establishments.

There was a presentation about Renfrewshire Council Scoob mobile (mobile library) visiting schools. Mrs Campbell said she had been trying to arrange a visit from the scoob mobile and had not heard from them despite emailing. Mr Doherty will pass on the information and Mrs Campbell will arrange a visit from them.

• Treasurers Report

The Spring Fling proved to be very successful and raised £565.00. A cheque for £294.00 was received from Rag Bag, textile bin situated within school grounds. There is a disco and a movie club planned before the end of the school year.

Head Teachers Report

Mrs Mazzoni informed the group that the cluster Head Teacher's had recently met to discuss priorities for the new school session 2019/2020. There will be a focus on Science within the cluster. Mrs McLean P5 will be St Peter's Science ambassador and will work with other representatives from the cluster schools. Teachers will visit other schools and observe their teaching partner delivering science lessons in the classroom which will lead to learning and discussion.

Mrs Mazzoni , Miss Gordon and Mrs Thomson will be completing a Numeracy & Growth Mind set module. This learning will be shared with the rest of the staff.

RICE (Renfrewshire Inclusive Communication Environment) will be a priority also in the new school session. This will involve support for the school community in speech and language/communication and will be carried out in partnership with Renfrewshire Council's Education Psychology Department and the Speech and Language team. This will also involve staff being upskilled in areas and supported in their work.

The school will also focus on outdoor learning. All schools feel this is an area that could be improved.

Mrs Mazzoni reminded the group that she has offered drop in sessions for parents to pop in with ideas or to come and discuss the School Improvement Plan. So far parents/carers have not dropped in.

Senior Management Team are currently working on classification and staffing for the new school term 2019/2020.

Upcoming Events

Movie Club 30.05.19 children to vote for movie at assembly. There was a discussion about starting the Movie Club earlier at 3pm and having a games session before the movie starts. This would be an ideal situation for parents who would not be able to bring their children back to the school at 4pm.

Summer disco will take place on 6 June 2019. Disco is all organised. A request for volunteer helpers will be sent out. Mrs Mazzoni will ask staff to volunteer also.

Primary 7 leavers dance. P7 parents/carers have met and all decisions regarding the evening have been finalised.

Date of next meeting

11 September 2019 6pm