

P T A Meeting

Zoom meeting

5/10/22

Attendance:

Angela Mayne (minutes)

Jackie Fox

Joanna Byrne

Megan Blackwood

Rebecca Lawson

Carol Wilson

Laura Dunlop

Charlene Causon

Caryn Peden

Lorna Brown

Lisa Docherty

Stephanie Greenlees

Apologies: Maxine Chivers, Angela Perrie, Jacqueline Wright

Joanna welcomed everyone to the meeting on Zoom.

1. Accounts

£3801.30 in the bank. Receipts from Lee to come

2. School Business

To be emailed by Rebecca.

Staffing – granted 0.6, 3 days a week Mrs Duncan will join the school.

Improvement priorities – Attainment and literacy are the focus, additional support after October holiday.

Psychologist have been in school to develop nurture strategy.

News letter was issued,

Parents night has been issues, good response so far.

Applied for cash for kids for 24 families.

Focus on fundraising. Chat with pupil council for ideas on spending ideas.

Joanna said she is looking at flight path funding to apply for. She agrees that parents and pupils should be involved in decisions.

Rebecca said that the application was made around 15 years ago and again 5 years ago, and were successful so would be good for funding.

Joanna suggested recycling events to help the environment. Rebecca suggested that is a good idea. Possible uniform swap for the parents night etc.

Joanna asked about a voting chart for votes to get input from the pupils also.

Rebecca told the meeting that the pupils used the Angelino's funds in decathlon, and they are regularly used. There are less behaviour issues and the kids were involved in that decision making. Mrs Brown surveyed some children re playground equipment to keep them busy during breaks. Chalk, Frisbee's, bubbles etc. Set up a garden would be good. Garden, we should make it movable so that it is future proof.

3. Fund Raising

Sponsor walk will take place at the end of the month – need volunteers. Rebecca suggested all classes attend on Friday afternoon. Try to cross as little roads as possible.

Sponsor form – what are we fundraising for? Outdoor learning?

28th for the event.

Action - Wendy to send out on various apps.

Halloween disco – 3rd November

Angela – arrange let

21 P1, 14 P2, 17 P3, So small numbers. 3 stations for this group and 4 station for the upper school

Stations – biscuits, donuts, apples, mummy game etc, disco hall.

Megan to arrange lights etc

Speaker available in school

Lorna & Rebecca to check stage for decorations.

Ask classes for song requests in advance. Lorna will take this forward.

£2 parent pay. – Wendy to arrange

Snacks to be ordered – cups, crisps, sweets, juice.

Volunteers needed – 4 staff confirmed already

Come as you please day mid-November for hampers.

4. AOB

Next meeting to be rescheduled due to the disco.