

Tinto Primary School – Parent Council Meeting Minutes 5th March 2024

Held in school and online

Apologies for absence – Jamie Russell, Jennifer Sloan, Sinead Lavery,

Attendees - Claire Thomson, Susan Lawrie, Alex Stark, Lorna Kilgallon, Jean Lyon, Rebecca Lyon, Elaine Taylor, Lynne Waine, Marissa Waite, Alistair Reid, Mary Grant, Helen Thornborrow

Minutes From Last Meeting

Treasurer Report

- Report circulated.
- £2,420.23 in bank account currently
- Paid £1078.60 for 6 tablets
- After School Club £223.25

Grant Update

Grant approved, with conditions. 50% of what we applied for

- Other 50% paid by parents
- Families who couldn't afford it are now going with support from the grant. 7 extra children now attending, 3 paying 50%, 4 fully funded.
- Bus taking on Wed/Thurs morning, parents collecting on Friday.
- Parents should get about 50% refund of costs.
- Free school meals already paid out of PEF fund.
- Claire will submit signed forms and copy bank statement

After last meeting Alex e-mailed round other HT to see if any other Parent Councils wanted to engage for grants, only Biggar responded.

Lynne has got access to Grants Online via Ben's work

Grant wishlist:

- Lynne is looking at small grants for the nursery, for outdoor learning.
- I.T. – can never have enough tablets etc

Tinto Fund Raising

- Christmas cards money now in bank account
- Easter Egg Bingo – Friday 15th March at Symington F.C at 7pm, set up 6.30pm
 - Easter Eggs for prizes being donated on World Book Day
 - Rebecca organising bingo machine
 - Iain Reynolds bingo caller – needs a helper
 - Dan will be bringing PA
 - £1 coins and 20p for closest to bottle
 - Jean allocated tasks to everyone
- Village Day 1st June – Village day committee are looking for volunteers to help on the day
- P7 leavers – 25/06/24
- Shorts & Shades Disco 20th June

After School Club Update

- Reading club – Forth now finished, Tay will be after Easter
- Spring/Summer – Ben Waine might do a gardening club
- Possible Rugby ASC
- If we can get a grant for musical instruments then we could do a music ASC

Head Teachers Report

- Report Circulated

AOB

None

Next meeting will be Tuesday 14th May. Held in school and online.