

Tinto Primary School – Parent Council Meeting Minutes 13.05.25

Held in school and online

Apologies for absence – Wil Watson, Marissa Waite, Jean Lyon, Lynne Waine, Lynsey Miller

Attendees - Claire Thomson, Susan Lawrie, Alex Stark, Elaine Taylor, Rebecca Lyon, Lisa Devlin, Jennifer Sloan, Karie Gray, Alistair Reid, Sinead Lavery

Online – Mary Grant, Joanna Paterson, Helen Thornborrow, Jacqui Allan.

Minutes From Last Meeting

Approved

Treasurer Report

- Yoga fundraiser £248
- Clyde Windfarm £3,840
- New expenses accrued – Sports equipment to spend grant money.
- After School Club also got £2,000 grant which has been spent on Bikes, sports equipment etc.
- £4,652.89 in Parent council account.
 - To buy school a C-Touch.

Needs to set up new trustees for After School Club

Alistair has intimated that he will be stepping down as treasurer in September.

Grants Update

2 grants now in bank and being spent. Lynne not at meeting for any further update.

Tinto Fund Raising

- Village Day – Saturday 7th June
 - Need a Gazebo – Al will look into buying one
 - Hob – Claire
 - Pop-up Kitchen – Sinead
 - Urn – Jean
 - Home Baking – to check weather in lead up and decide if required
 - £60 float
 - Surprise Jars – Everyone/put on FB
 - Tombola – Susan to sort
 - Toys – Lynne
 - Sweet cones – Rebecca
 - Hot dogs/rolls/ketchup – Lorna
 - Rota – took some names and to make a google form to share with all parents
- Shorts and Shades Discos – Thursday 19th June
 - DJ – To confirm
 - Hall Let – confirmed
 - £60 Float
 - Need parent helpers (to be PVG checked)
 - Nursery – Sinead

- P1-3 – Sinead, Jennifer, Elaine
- P4-7 – Rebecca, Claire, Elaine
- Stamper/Sign in sheet#
- P7 Leavers – Tuesday 24th June 1pm
 - Strawberries & cream – Sinead
 - Karie Gray to help out
 - Plastic Glasses, cups, napkins, spoons

Head Teachers Report

- Report circulated.
- Improvement plan
 - Evaluations of this year's improvements.
 - Ms Stark looked for parent comments to include.
- Attachment pledges, will be submitted for October deadline.
- Anti Racism – next step to build on it with staff.
- STEM – supported STEM programme with SLC
- Report contains details of HMIE recommendations and how we have met them.
- School roll for next year is 113 at the moment. Plan for classes is currently:
 - P1/2
 - P2/3
 - P4
 - P5/6/7
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- Staffing – new early years worker Kelly Tierney, starting in nursery soon.
 - Mrs Kilgallon staying at Law until January 2026, so Mrs Devlin will continue in the PT role.
 - Mrs McConnell coming back 2 days a week. We will get a probationer for 3.5 days.
 - Hoping to keep Mrs Beck while Mrs Devlin is in the Principal teacher post.
 - Area cover has been organised for the duration of Mrs Bowden's absence.
- Limelight currently working with P4/5/6, after summer will be P5/6/7 with a show at the end.
- Staff passed on appreciation of all the grants and extra resources.

AOB

Local Councillor was invited to the meeting but no response.

Discussed PVG checks for regulated roles in parent council.

Community Council Meetings 4th monday of every month except July/August and December.

19th May (changed from 26th) – Jennifer

23rd June - Claire

Next Meeting

10th June 2025

