

Mid Calder Primary Parent Staff Association Meeting Minutes: Wednesday 14th June 2017

Location: MCPS Board Room.

Present: Committee Members:

Fiona Yavuz (Treasurer) Gillian Lumsden (Chair) Julie Ford Emma Learmont Claire Greig Pam Coulter

Kirsty Pate

Teacher Representatives:

Leanne Murray Dayna Sherlow Mary McKenzie

Apologies: Committee Members:

Lisa Hood Jennie Ireland Deborah Paris

Teacher Representatives:

Sarah Burton

1. WELCOME

The Chair opened the meeting and welcomed all attendees.

2. APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from those listed above.

3. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

Minutes were approved by Fiona Yavuz & seconded by Emma Learmont.

4. FINANCIAL REPORT

Bank Balance @ date of meeting: £14808.73
Still to deposit £5.00

Resulting Balance £14813.73

Playground Fund £10794

Kept back (P7 leavers/calendar/£800 float/insurance) £1977

Left for school £2042.73

5. CORRESPONDENCE

- Email from Gillian Murray to join PSA Pam will contact
- Email regarding lets. Pam will respond for movie nights & PSA meetings. Fiona will email
 Mrs McKenzie with other dates required so that teaching staff can request remaining
 lets.

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6. UPDATE ON CALENDARS

135 ordered

111 sold

If remaining 12 sold will have made £692 of which £600 from advertising so may not be worth doing again.

4 adverts outstanding – Claire will chase Valet Master.

7. Spring Fair Update

£1689 profit - £100 less than last year

Tombola – down on last year. Odds need to be 1 in 8.

Bouncy Castle – down on last year. Cheaper to hire but smaller so less capacity.

Toys & books – down on last year

Café - £30 up on last year

Homebaking - £40 up on last year

Pick & Mix – sae as last year but need more 20p, 10p & 5 p sweets as well as some pre-made bags.

All other stalls much the same as last year.

Mrs Murray has sent Gillian an email about possibly including a blanket sale at next Spring Fair.

8. Coin Trail

Idea to replace Jazz up Gymmies. Kids bring in smartie tubes full of coins to see which house can make the biggest coin trail. Can be tied in with Number week/Maths week wc 11th September. This can be pitched at a house meeting as a potential House Captain task.

Need a flyer & coin bags (Pam)

9. SCHOOL REQUESTS

Jolly Phonic resource to plug gaps £680. School will order.

Clipboards (wooden preferably) x 30 & a storage box for them.

Challenging dictionaries for P4+ x 25. PSA to order.

School oxford dictionaries x 10. PSA to order.

Novels for P1-P3 (tbc) – Mrs McKenzie will get back to us.

10. AOB

PSA recruitment flyer is good to go once changes made to meeting place & amount raised. Pam will copy & pass to be distributed after summer holidays.

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Parent Council – would we like to join forces with the? Suggested Chairperson attend next PSA meeting to discuss envisioned benefits.

School recruiting for new staff representation for PSA.

11. DATE & TIME OF AGM/NEXT MEETING

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Dates for 2017/18:

 11th October 2017
 8th November 2017
 10th January 2018
 14th February 2018

 7th March 2018
 11th April 2018
 9th May 2018
 13th June 2018

Events:

Movie Night – Thursday 21st September (let 5pm to 9pm)
Dress Down Day – Friday 13th October
Halloween Party – Thursday 26th October
Christmas Fair – Friday 1st December
Dress Down Day –Friday 22nd December
Movie Night – Thursday 8th February
Family Night – Friday 2nd March
Easter Egg Competition – Friday 16th March
Dress Down Day – Friday 4th May
Spring Fair – Saturday 19th May