

**PARRETT & AXE PRIMARY SCHOOL
PARENT TEACHER AND FRIENDS ASSOCIATION**

Minutes of the Meeting held at Parrett and Axe School, 5th February 2019

Present Antoinette Howard-Gardner, Sophie Wiles, Jo Fursman, Liza Caddy, Shelley Lancaster, Toni Childs, Simon Smith, Kathleen Guppy, Lyndsay Bailey, Emma House, Kirstie Jones

Apologies Vicky Reed, Lisa Raisin, Karen Reeve, Katie Lamb, Anneka Talbot

FINANCE UPDATE

Recent Income

Xmas Fayre	870.61
Stonewater Sponsorship	150.00
Xmas Disco/Hamper Raffle	535.00
Drinks Nativity Play	40.00
Ball	805.00

Recent Expenditure

General Expenses (Signs/Cellophane)	26.60
Additional Panto Tickets	112.00
Lottery License Renewal	20.00
Disco Expenses	98.99
Insurance/Membership	105.00
General Expenses Xmas Fayre	153.66
Ball Expenses	159.70

Funds in bank accounts as at 31/01/2019 £4981.35

Possibility of getting a portable card machine to increase expenditure at events - to be looked into.

REQUESTS

Kathleen Guppy asked for £1000 towards the cost of forest school. Lots to buy to enable the children to be able to enjoy it - garden shed, equipment, plants, trees, bushes. Needs to started as soon as possible to enable planting in time. Possibility of a building party for the shed base. This project will enable the children to be out in the fresh air, learning about nature, planting bits and pieces and watching them grow. It will last for a number of years - £1000 request approved.

Other Requests

- £200 requested for Athletics - approved.

Ball progress

Tickets on sale and needs to be promoted. Scoot have been confirmed to be performing. Notices to be put up, Lyndsay and co will be selling tickets in Beaminster on two Saturdays. £850 sponsorship raised so far. Possibility of using the same company as before to put road signs up. Dietary requirements can be catered for at the ball, please let Lyndsay know on advance.

Easter Bingo

To be held on the 4th April, 32 eggs purchased last year.
Jo to get eggs.

Movie Night

8th Feb, Shelley to purchase popcorn (10 bags)

Idea to maybe move it to straight from school in the future, letter to go out to parents to have a vote.

Summer Fête

Needs to be scaled back, as last year there was a severe lack of helpers. Letter to be sent out to parents to ask for volunteers.

AOB

Disco was well attended but DJ was too loud despite being asked to turn it down. Lots of KS1 children crying - maybe separate events for corfe and rest of school - a tea party or similar with entertainer in school time for corfe children.

Emma House went in to find out how school dinners were going down. Children liked the new Local Food Links supplier, lots of empty plates, they aren't too keen on the stew. Much better supplier than the previous one.

Future Dates

Movie Night - 8th Feb 5 - 7pm

Non-Uniform in aid of the ball - TBC

Casino Ball - 22nd March

School Easter Bingo Thursday 4th April 5 – 6.30pm

Quiz - TBC

Action Van - TBC

Summer Fête - TBC

NEXT MEETING: 5th March 2019 6.30pm Parrett and Axe