



PTA minutes 19.06.19

Attended: Laura F, Louise J, Julie K, Kate S, Dinah, Emma K, Sian S, Lindsey E, Sarah, Amy S, Jo M, Kim L, Jane S, Emma E, Gemma B, Sian N, Leah C, Nicky B and Hannah W.

1. Apologies from Mandy T & Emma L

2. Minutes from the AGM are available on www.pta-events.co.uk/acorns

3. Treasurers Report

Cash in bank at 3rd June was £27,366.55 with 4 outstanding cheques totalling £974.83 to be cashed.

The Father's Day shop raised £90.61 which needs to be adjusted for the stock bought forward.

4. Welcome

(i) The new officers introduced themselves

(ii) As there were many new faces we decided to hold a quick round robin for people to introduce themselves.

(iii) It was noted that we would post a link up to the PTA events webpage on the Fryern volunteers facebook page. We also clarified that the separate PTA acorns facebook page is going to be deleted so that there is just the one page for everyone to communicate on.

Action: JS to post link

5. Father's Day Shop

Feedback from Father's day shop was positive. Parents liked the range of goods available to buy. It was noted that the children preferred the blue and red cufflinks over the green and yellow ones. Jane advised that moving forward for the Mother's day and Father's day shops next year that we need to make lots of things to sell as the prices of merchandise that we can buy to sell on, are priced out of range. Ideas welcome for things that younger children would like to buy. We plan to re-vamp the breakfast in bed boxes for Mother's day. On the point of us buying stock we are in need of places to store it. Due to the school rebuild space is extremely limited across both schools. The year 5 pre-orders due to the Stubbington residential was well received as the event was still able to include them.

Jane also explained the importance of safe-guarding the children while members of the PTA are moving around the schools. It is important that we are signed in and do not go



in areas that we are told that we cannot go in. Make sure doors and gates are shut behind us etc.

6. Upcoming Events

(i) Infant disco letters are due to be sent out 20.06.19. The disco is on 27.06.19. This year the letters have been amended on two points. One we are trialing preordering glow bands within the ticket price to try and alleviate congestion upon entry. Two, there will be no parking on sight and the gates will be locked at drop off and pick up, being opened again to allow emergency vehicle access during the disco. This is to safe-guard the children moving about the premise and again ease congestion. Disco helpers will be asked for on the events page but confirmed helpers from the meeting are Laura, Julie, Jo, Dinah, Pete, Leah, Sian and Sian.

Action: School to send out infant disco letter

Action: LF to check Glo and squash/biscuits and purchase if necessary

(ii) Sports day - in lieu of a summer fayre this year we are planning on holding a raffle at sports day to raise funds. We have agreed that they will be £1 a ticket. We will be holding a dress down day for the children on 28.06.19 in exchange for £1 donation. We use the donations to purchase the top prizes.

Action: LF, EE & D to send raffle letters and source prizes

Action: NB to request donations on newsletter

Action: JS to order raffle tickets

Action: JS to produce poster for dress down day

Action: JS to update event for volunteers on events page

Action: LC Bookers shop before event

(iii) Junior Disco to be held on 11.07.19, details as above on the infant disco. Helpers volunteered Laura, Julie, Kate, Kim

Action: JS to update event for volunteers on events page

Action: LC Bookers shop before event

(iv) Year 2 leavers party is booked at Partyman World in Eastleigh 18.07.29 6-8pm. 8 Volunteers are required, confirmed are Leah C, Sian N, Mrs Trott, Mrs Sales, and Amy S.

Action: EE to wrap Yr 2 leavers books



(v) The year 6 leavers party is on 22.07.19 at school. The theme is New York. We ran through what decorations we would like to make and the usual food options and set up. Mrs Board advised that any electrical items we plan on using will need to be PAT tested ahead of the day. We collectively decided to distribute arts and crafts tasks between us and hold a virtual meeting on 26.06.19 7:30-8:30pm, on the Fryern Acorns Volunteers facebook page to confirm progress made on each persons allocated make.

Action: ALL facebook catch up for progress

7. Fireworks 2019 has been booked for 8th November. Hannah has already agreed the same budget for fireworks as last year and is already in talks with the hire station for their services. PTA to organise refreshments, glow, fun-fayre rides and the funky play bus.

**Action: LF to add event to next agenda
Action: SN/LC to schedule next meeting**

8. AOB

None

Meeting adjourned.