Fowsa meeting 19th September 2023

**Attendees**

 Melissa Wylie, Sharon Turley, Vicky Connelly, Suz Prior- Crossan, Jamie Wheatcroft, Sarah Whittingham, Lou Gibson

**Apologies** – Verity, Laura Corrigan, Lisa Middleton, Eleanor Shawcross

1. **Future Meetings**
* Agreed one to be held 1st Wednesday of every half term for all Fowsa members to discuss forthcoming term events. Meeting time to be alternated between 9am and 8pm.
* Next general meeting to be held Wednesday 1st November.
* Ad Hoc meetings will be needed as and when required.

***Action*** – Mel to ask school for room for next meeting.

1. **Events for this term**
* Non-Uniform Friday 22nd September. £1 per child, £2 per family
1. **Next Term**
* Disco 10th November – Possible Monster Mash theme.
* DJ has been booked.
* Fowsa members to look out for bargain Halloween sell offs/bargains (decorations, sweets etc) to be used.
* Online booking with 2 queues being available. One for pre-booked tickets (express Q!) and one for ‘buy on the day’.
* Tuck shop to be ran with generic flavoured crisps, jellies and drinks.
1. Pop up Shops
* Pop Up shop to be held on Friday 29th September discussed in order to clear through short -dated crisps and food items leftover in freezer from summer fair.
* Main items being sold will be Hot dogs, crisps and drinks.
* Quantity to be split equally between infants and juniors to allow for 10-minute difference in home time.

***Actions***

* Sharon to make up punchy, attractive posters highlighting the event.
* Mel to create fluorescent arrows to draw more attention to poster.

**AOB**

* Mel to ask Mr Williams if March Non uniform can be moved to 1st March to avoid Red nose day clash and to if he can add the ‘circus’ dates to the main yearly planner in the staff room.
* All members encouraged to have a think about Festive Friday and options for stalls. Aim is to have new and exciting games/activities to keep the event fresh and interesting for the kids.