

BALSHAWS ASSOCIATION PTA – CHARITY NUMBER 1176684

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD IN SCHOOL ON Wednesday 7th June 2023 **at 7.30pm**

PRESENT: Julia Monks, Nicki Crompton, Steve Haycocks, Tracie Vass, Tim Callaghan, Ann Brown, Lucy Lenton, Keith Woodcock, Jill Graham, Andrea Coles, Alice Derbyshire

1. WELCOME AND PRAYER - Welcomed by Julia. Meeting opened in prayer by Steve Haycocks (Head)

2. APOLOGIES: Steve Lomax, Sharon Haworth, Sarah Payne

3. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 7th JUNE 2023

4. UPDATE RE; BALSHAW'S ASSOCIATION (PTA) STUDENT COUNCIL 2023

Students met with Jamie Macgregor. Steve H suggested that this meeting should be x-ref with Student Council as an item on their agenda. A Coles to get in touch with School Council groups to see if PTA could be put on their agenda(**ACTION**)

5. RACE NIGHT – Tim/Andrea

Tim has spoken to Toni ad we are 'all go!' Horses are to be paid for online as are tickets. Currently there are just over 40 tickets sold. Tim will try to get sponsors. Currently there are 4 vacancies – this may reduce to 2 sponsors as we await Sharon and Jamie who will advise shortly. Jill to send details for new Year 7 via Facebook group (**ACTION**) Julia also to contact various Facebook groups (**ACTION**) Nicki to put on facebook Reunion Group, Keith on Governors, Steve H to send reminder out to parents (**ACTION**) It was noted that no 'pack' had been received from the company. Tim to ring Fun Racing (**ACTION**) Race Cards need to be printed by Andrea (**ACTION**) A float is needed and Julia will speak to Steve L (**ACTION**) Tricast sheet was recovered by Julia and discussed at £2 per go, she will also sort prizes (**ACTION**) Tracie to sort prizes for a raffle and Julia has already taken the tickets for this (**ACTION**) On the night Lucy has said that she will sort the 'tricast', Nicki said that she would sell raffle tickets and Andres/Steve H will organise the 'tote'

Thanks ro Andrea for collating all sales of sponsors, horses, tickets etc.

6. #BALFEST 23

Ebooking / ticketing links are to be sorted by Andrea (**ACTION**)

A variety of stalls will also be available, face-painting, bouncy castle?, glitter tattoos. Cost of a stall to be £20. Lucy offered to contact Sunshine Events to see what items they could offer for this event (**ACTION**)

A meeting to be held on 5th July at 8pm after the New Parents Evening to plan and discuss #Balfest 23 further, this will be the only item on the agenda.

7. SUMMER SOCIAL – It was decided to push this event until after #Balfest23

8.AOB

New Intake Evening on 21st September (date not confirmed) A promo leaflet could be produced for this. Julia will collate an email for new parents.**(ACTION)**

9.Date of Next Meeting/Events –

Wednesday 5th July 2023 at 8.00pm

Meeting closed at 21.12pm