

Friends of St Margaret's C of E Primary School Parent Teacher Association Registered Charity No. 1031792

ORDINARY MEMBERS MEETING

HELD VIA ZOOM

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD AFTER THE AGM ON 23/09/21 @ 8PM

Present:	Hannah	Victoria	Amanda	Helen Tait	Lorna
	Brown (HB)	Cawkwell	Smallbone	(HT)	Winship (LW)
		(VC)	(AS)		
	Alicia	Lynda	Lisa Willis	Meixuan	
	Holmes (AH)	McIvor (LM)	(LWS)	(May) Chen	
				(MC)	
Apologies:	Becky	Katie			
	Ribchester	Dresser (KD)			
	(BR)				

Item No:	Topic:	Actions:
1	Grants requested from school for 2021/22	
	 Library – still a requirement to update the school libraries. 	
	 Outside storytelling chair and tree stumps 	
	 History timeline (Mrs Curry is the history lead now) 	
	Outdoor cushions	
	• Books	
	School Council Trip	
	Hardship Fund	
	Y6 Leavers contribution	
	 Christmas crackers/hates 	
	Bug Club	
	News for Kids	
	Theatre show	
2	Fundraising Projects this Year	
	 Need to push/reinvigorate the JustGiving Library 	
	fundraiser as many parents may have forgotten	
	about it/new parents may not be aware.	
	 Each class could identify their/their family's 	
	favourite books which would be added to an	
	Amazon Wishlist. Families could then gift these to	
	school and a dedication made in the front of the	
	book so it is known who the book has been	

- donated by this would create a legacy/feeling of giving something personal back to school.
- Book fair there was a fair scheduled for October.
 Due to changes to the facilities provided by HSBC (meaning no cash can be withdrawn or deposited) and the removal of telephone payments, by Scholastic, it is recommended that the fair is postponed to another term.
- Book fair KD has confirmed that she is happy to shadow VC with a view of taking over from September 2022.
- Cake sales discussed the possibility of reintroducing the regular cake stall. It was agreed that this would be revisited later in the school term when restrictions/Covid-19 case numbers are further reduced.

Autumn Term

- Non Uniform Day date confirmed for the 22nd
 October 2021
- Christmas cards
- Wreath Making workshop date confirmed for the 29th November 2021
- Book donation activity
- Bags2School
- Possible virtual book fair this will be further explored.

Spring Term

- Tea towels
- Book Fair date confirmed for the 14th 18th February 2022
- Non-uniform day theme TBC

Summer Term

- Crazy hair non-uniform day
- Bags2School
- Picnic on the field
- School Fair
- WhatsApp suggested that this is used to engage parents. Some caution issued as need to find the balance between informing and 'over' informing parents.
- Class Reps HB and VC confirmed that there has been a previous recruitment drive for class reps.

3 School Uniform

 Parents are very keen this is restarted and have donations ready to handover. HB has talked with

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	Aileen Pushmann who has previously lead on these sales and confirmed she is happy to continue. • HT confirmed that uniform within the shed can be accessed for washing. Will also need to remove/dispose of any uniform not in-line with the uniform policy. • LWS will contact Etika to identify if there is a way	.ws			
	 to repurpose old uniform (red polos etc.). HT confirmed that the school gazebo could be utilised if required for uniform sales. 	.vv3			
4	 Notice Boards – HT confirmed that these can again be used to engage with parents and highlight fundraising activity. Bank account – identified the requirement for a bank account which allows access to floats and the depositing of cash. HB to further explore. 	НВ			
Date and time of next meeting: January 2022 – date, time & venue TBC					