

# **Friends of Drayton Community Infant School**

## **Meeting of 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2015 7.00pm Staff room**

### **Minutes from the meeting**

#### **Present**

Sarah Catten, Angie Crocker, Nic Gordon, Laura Besenzi, Claire Mander, Philippa Martines, Rachel Aldred, Charlene Nicholls, Louise Hunter, Tracey Bunn, Heather Wilkinson, Steve Clare.

#### **Apologies**

Sarah Halliwell, Dan Nicholls, Nikki Buck, Becki Chick, Melanie Coleman, Sarah Taylor, Donna Browne

#### **Minutes of last meeting and matters arising**

Minutes from the last meeting were agreed as correct.

#### **Treasurers Report**

Income total for January and February is £227.49 from January disco, Yellow Moon, and Flashes.

Additional Expenditure for January and February is £1708.00 from iPad contribution, Multi-cultural week, and PTA Membership.

Committed Spending totals are £950.00 for Class donations, and £625.00 for contribution towards phonics books.

The current bank balance is £2933.93 and another £90.00 to still be added and the available funds are approximately £1350.00

It was agreed we could purchase 30 Waterproof trousers for outside learning at the cost of £209.

#### **Discos**

Next Disco is on the 20<sup>th</sup> March 2015.

An email will be sent about the 15<sup>th</sup> May to confirm that it will go a head on the same night as the junior school and arrangements will be made to walk the older children down.

The wristband trial from the last disco went really well so we will do it again at the next disco and we still have 123 wrist bands left from the last time.

#### **Travelling Books**

Still need volunteers for the book days on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> Friday 6<sup>th</sup> and Monday 9<sup>th</sup> of March please?

### **Easter egg Hunt**

Posters have gone up outside the class rooms but have noticed that some have fell down due to the wind, At this moment in time we are struggling to find and buy 200 Easter eggs from anywhere. We have been to a number of shops but they have not got that many eggs for the right price.

Other Easter egg hunt information: - , Sweets as a non-dairy alternative, Cans of drink to sell and we have still got some cans stored in shed, Cakes can be stored in DT room after drop off Friday morning.

There will also be guess how many mini eggs in a jar and lucky dip using a card board box.

Easter bunny outfit found is not the one used last year. To locate last years outfit to used. To talk to Cheryl.

### **Mother's Day Shop**

Letters have gone out in book bags and posters will be up soon, All 250 presents have arrived and they are 100 chocolates and 150 presents.

Volunteers have offered to help bag up the presents next at Philippa's

There has been a slight problem with the distribution of leaflets, with RO either not getting them or getting it twice. Equally some classes have not had there Easter egg leaflets as class reps have been asked not to put to much in book bags at once.

### **Cake Sales**

Deer class cake sale is on the 13<sup>th</sup> March 2015 and Rabbit class cake sale is on the 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2015.

### **Wish List**

**Bike Sheds:** - further discussion required as to the site of the new sheds. On going fundraising.

**Waterproof Clothing:** - We are going to buy waterproof trousers from Go Outdoors at the cost of £209.77 with the idea to purchase a further 12 all in one suits at a later date.

### **Future Fundraising**

**Quiz Night Date:** - Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2015 – Becky Chick & Lindsay Rose to potentially organise to scrap the alcohol licence and just bring your own drink on the night.

Summer Fete: - Wild West theme to be discussed more later .

### **Any Other Business**

Leaving books went down well last year and we would like to continue them. It was discussed whether the class reps would not mind helping with the input of the information in the leaving books. To discuss with donna B.

The friend's equipment and things can be left in the hot cupboard, in a tidy fashion.

**Date and Time of next meeting**

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2015 7pm

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015 9am