

Minutes of FOO meeting held on Friday 25th September 2015

Present: Clare Watt, Demi Churches, Donna Ovenden, Francesca Prior, Jo Lemon, Jacqui Neill, Karen Mould, Nicci Myler, Nikki Russel, Rachel Whitcher, Sally Richardson, Sam Cutliffe, Charlie William, Maria Hernandez Smith.

1. Apologies

Andy Biss, Anita Mabbat, Sarah Bidios

2. Minuets of last meeting agreed.

3. Updates

- a. **Quiz Night** - £124 raised. Thanks to Miss Churcher for being a brilliant quiz master. Yes we will do it again. But at a different Venue. Discussions as to whether the food was needed, or do us need to just find a hall with a bar, this will be taken into consideration when new venue is looked into.
- b. **Foo Box** – It in reception under the counter (look by your feet). Please use it for suggestions/ info (ideas for fundraising welcomed)
- c. **Cooker** – now purchased and installed, as are the visualizers in each class room

4. Matters arising.

- a. Pamper night – NEW DATE 14th November at Calmore community centre in the big hall. M & Co sponsoring the event (will get some poster with dates on up until official ones arrive. M&Co are printing tickets and will be on sale as soon as we have them (£5 per person) Lots of stands already signed up. Body Shop, Neil Yard, Jewellery, Spa at Home, Younique, also therapist offering mini treatments. We need models particularly boys – please be aware that if your child is a model, you will be required to help dress them as it's not something they can do themselves as they will be model clothing supplied by M&Co and it can be tricky on timings. Timing will be 7-9.30
- b. Christmas Fair – Friday 4th December. Suggestions of having a grotto. We need to take in to consideration there is a huge time constraint on us this year, as lunches now run later and the hall is currently booked on a Friday evening. Meaning very tight on set up time and clear down. Suggestions welcome on solutions. Demi to find out about the booking or possible use of classrooms to set up.
- c. Disco – spooks and sparkles 21st October
Years 1, 2 & 3 – 5-6
Years 4, 5 7 6.15-7.30
All helpers need to be DBS cleared and been through the volunteer process – please speak to Mrs Head if you need to start this process.

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Rock Challenge – Years 3,4,5,6 the school has approximately 55 children taking part this year. And they will need to do some fundraising events to help pay for sets and costume –

If there are any parents willing to build props, sets, or has a Van that can be used to transport stuff on the day from school to Southampton.

Date of performance is 26th Feb 2016.

Or is any parents company/employee could offer sponsorship please contact Miss Churcher.

Travel plan/ Scooter storage

Was raised that the school travel plan is being looked at and that Cllr David Harrison is also looking into helping us. Issue of scooter and bike storage was raised and how inadequate what is currently there is.

Foo felt that this was a school based issue and the majority still felt that at the moment we would concentrate on trying to raise funds to improve the overall playground!

Was mentioned that most parents thought the current climbing frame and monkey bars where a risk and unsafe (no matting under monkey bars etc.) and most parents would like this area improved.

Karen Mould asked if we could say a thank you to Pete who kindly painting all the school benches for us. FP & NM to do.

Next meetings Friday 16th October 3.15

Friday 20th November 2015

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Spooks and Sparkles Disco 21st October

Fashion show November 14th November

Christmas Fair 4th December

Apologies if I have missed anything or put anyone down for anything they didn't volunteer for, just contact myself to amend.

Minutes taken by – Donna Ovenden

