

PTA Minutes 14th June 2018

Present: Sarah Pearman, Andrew Baxter, Heidi Vaughan, Jenna Witcombe, Helen Dickason, Dave Goldthorpe, Jo Deakin, Tania Romaine, Janet Abbott, Liane Childs, Keri Rodgers, Kevin Pike, Lisa Stephens

1. **Apologies for absence:** Sarah Row, Fiona Pavelin, Philippa Allard, Matt Hughes, Mark Gilronan, Tim Stark
2. **Review of events last term:**
 - Bag2School: This made approximately £180. This raised more than the previous Bag2School collection. The next one is booked for Thursday 18th October 2018.
 - Quiz night was unfortunately cancelled.
 - Selling refreshments at the Festival of Music (teas/coffees) and Celebration of Dance (ice creams): These made approximately £298.
3. **Events this half term:**
 - Disco (Dave/Andrew) 5th July: This is all in hand. Tickets will be on sale on Tues 3rd and Wed 4th July in the KS2 playground after school. Jo Deakin and Helen Dickason can help on the Wednesday and Dave G and Andrew B to help on the Tuesday. Andrew B has ordered tattoos for the disco and the fete. We have drinks and Haribo that can be used. There will need to be a vegetarian alternative to Haribo provided too as this issue was raised previously. Andrew B to order glow sticks and punch balloons. The 1st disco is 6pm-7.15pm and the 2nd disco is 7.30-8.45pm (with an extra half an hour for year 6's on their own).
 - Fete 14th July: Dave G has got his BBQ team arranged. Liane, Keri R and Lisa S will be on the bar. Kevin P is sorting out the year 6 stalls. There will be 12 stalls for the whole of year 6 (30-40 children). Keri R has started collecting prizes for the raffle. Liane C to order 600 printed raffle tickets. Helen D to forward the email to Liane for 'Raffle tickets R us.' West Hill primary have some checked school dresses that could be added to our 2nd hand uniform stall. Jo D to collect these from West Hill.
4. **Accounts update:**
 - Celebration of Dance made £250 from selling ice-cream and £135 on programme donations. The Guitar auction raised £1,500 and there has been no significant expenditure. The current balance is £16,353. The only expenses were £50 on tattoos and 2 buckets from Abbots along with pipe lagging and tape to cover the tent pegs for the Gazebos (10.95).
5. **Guitar Auction Update (Tim):**
 - This raised £1,500. A huge thank you to Tim. There was a lot of press interested generated from this. Tim has done a piece on the radio and the press have been into school. There will be an article in the Ottery Herald too.

6. **Spending Update:**

- £20 for each year 6 stall (although as Kevin P pointed out this is investment, not expenditure!)
- Air conditioning: The Year 6 classrooms get really hot so they are looking at getting air conditioning. Without the electrical work, it will be approximately £2000 per classroom. The quote for the office and the greenhouse reception would be another £2000. Would this be within PTA's remit? The consensus was that it will benefit all the children but that further quotes are needed first and go from there. To be revisited at the next meeting.

7. **A.O.B:** Dave G has spoken to Josefina Gori regarding the Tour of Britain on 3rd September. Dave G would like to run a children's King of the Mountain up the school playing field hill. We could charge 50p to enter. Dave G to look into this further.

8. **Date of next meeting: Tuesday 10th July 6:45pm Staff Room**