

Minutes of P.T.F.A. Meeting - 09.06.10

Held at Spode Cottage at 7.30pm

Present:

Claire Smith, Elaine Brookes, Fiona Stephenson, Sue Clift, Katie Powis, Sarah Meddings, Jo Millett, Abi Smith, Cathy Plover, Ruth Housley, Sue Thompson, Jo Cowcher, Tessa Hopcott, Carrie Williams.

Apologies:

Anna Kavanagh, Mags Tripp, John Nicholls, Helen Elson, Julia Crowe.

Tessa Hopcott opened the meeting and thanked everyone for coming.

There were no issues arising from last meeting.

Future Events:

Summer Fair - 10th July 12-3pm

The following points were raised and discussed:

- Derek Moore would not be able to run the train at this year's event due to short notice but would be happy to supply the train next year. He advised contact to be made in March 2011.
- Mags Tripp confirmed that the clown slide has been booked at a cost of £110.00 via Stuart Rhodes Entertainment.
- Admission price for the slide was agreed at 50p for 3 goes.
- Stuart Rhodes Entertainment has approached Mags Tripp with the possibility of supplying a candy floss machine that he will run and donate a contribution to the school. This was agreed upon and Fiona Stephenson will confirm with Stuart Rhodes.
- Confirmation is still required as to whether the bar licence has been obtained.
- A vote took place on whether the P.T.F.A. should sell their own ice-cream this year, due to storage, lack of volunteers and possible left over ingredients the majority of members agreed an ice-cream van will be an easier option.
- Mrs Millett will confirm whether ice-cream van has been booked via Helen Elson.
- Mags Tripp confirmed that a free advert for the Summer Fair will appear in July's edition of Good Nooz community magazine.
- John Nicholls confirmed that he will provide the entertainment.
- Jo Cowcher will contact Sundance to confirm a suitable display time.
- Sue Clift has spoken to Mavesyn Nurseries.
- Jo Millett has spoken to Police and is to contact Fire Service.
- Raffle donations are currently being received from local companies.
- Claire Smith has not been able to source any available Kiddie Karts for this year's event.
- Brereton Town Football Club have kindly agreed to run the penalty shoot-out. Carrie Williams will confirm arrangements with the club.

- The British Royal Legion has contacted the school with regard to bric-a-brac items that maybe of use, Ruth Housley is to contact The Legion.
- School staff are currently arranging class competitions and Roy Guthrie has confirmed that he will be happy to judge the entries again.
- Tessa Hopcott will purchase all prizes for stalls/competitions.
- Abi Smith is to approach Penny with regard to Pluck-a-Duck stall.

Future Purchases:

- Jo Millett has enquired to the cost of the laptops and trolley, the total estimated amount is £12000. It was agreed that these should be purchased in stages, with the first items possibly being purchased in the new term.
- Carrie Williams is to confirm with Anna Kavanagh with regard to position of pop-up gazebos. Four gazebos will need to be purchased prior to sports day and Summer Fair.

Financial Matters:

No financial reports were available at this time.

Any other Business:

- Carrie Williams discussed the current kit used by The Croft Football Team and is to approach Mr Gartshore with the possibility of his firm sponsoring the team.
- The latest Bags 2 School collection raised £96.00. The next collection date has been booked and will take place on Thursday 30th September.
- Sam Woodberry has contacted Mags Tripp with regard to the P.T.F.A. member's running an inflatable assault course at this year's Village Day (26th June). All profit made is to be kept for the P.T.F.A. A rota was passed around and completed.
- Ruth Housley and Mags Tripp will run a further second-hand uniform sale at the reception class induction evening. Claire Smith will send out a letter before the end of term requesting any further donations of outgrown uniform.

Date of next meeting:

The next meeting will take place on Wednesday 15th September 2010 at 7.30pm at Spode Cottage.