

# Friends of Wantage CE Primary School

Charity no. 1093139

## Minutes of a Committee Meeting

held on

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2016 at 2pm



**Present:** Vanessa Hope, Storm Dinsey, Cathy Godfrey, Vanessa Clark, Laura Hardy, Vicky Munday

**Apologies:** Lucy-Ann Howard, Nicky Eldridge

### 1. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2016 were approved.

### 2. Treasurer's Report

The Y6 'Cook for Books' stall on 29<sup>th</sup> January raised £96 which it was agreed could be banked by the school. Disco ticket sales total £242 to date. A request for £200 made by Miss Litinsky to purchase new books was approved. CG is to inform staff that there is approximately £1,000 available immediately for funding requests.

### 3. Disco

Drinks will be available 'in exchange for a donation' at the forthcoming disco to be held on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February. SD requested that sick buckets/cleaning supplies be available at the front entrance.

During the 2016-2017 academic year it is anticipated that there will be one family disco and one KS1/KS2 disco.

### 4. Easter Bingo/Tombola

VC will forward an updated version of last year's Bingo poster to MF for printing. We need to approach a willing Bingo Caller. It was confirmed that there are plenty of bingo books/raffle tickets in the Friends' cupboard.

### 5. Cook for Books

The next 'Cook For Books' stall will take place on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2016 and will be run by Year 5. The letters, plates and bags will be distributed on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February.

### 6. Summer Fair

The date of the Summer Fair is Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> June. It was noted that this will clash with another event taking place in town to mark the Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. It was agreed that the time of the event would be 12:00-14:30. Various attractions were discussed including Lenny's Lizards / Birds of Prey / the Children's Centre offering arts & crafts / Fire Engine / the Police. A theme for the event is required. A separate Summer Fair planning meeting will be held on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> February at 3pm.

**7. Mother's Day Present Palace**

The locations of the Present Palace were proposed as:

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> 11am-1pm: Nursery;

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> 12-1pm: Goodenough Room (CG to double check availability);

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> 12-1pm: KS1 Library;

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> 12-1pm: corridor outside Y6 classrooms.

**8. Funding Suggestions**

Various suggestions have been received including a 'Licence to Chill' indoor area, more books and additions to the Nature Path. VH will e-mail the Class Reps with respect to each year group selecting an outdoor item for the Nature Path.

**9. Any Other Business**

The date of the next meeting will be Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2016 at 2pm in the Nursery.

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