

## FOBS MEETING ON 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018

**WHERE:** School Library  
Meeting began at 1.35pm

**PRESENT:** (MB), (DC), (GC), (GB), (SH), (JH), (JL), (CS) (NV) and (VW)

1. **WELCOME** – DC welcomed everybody to the meeting.
2. **APOLOGIES** – DB and SM
3. **MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING – Matters Arising:**
  - **GDPR** – all documents have been distributed to parents
  - **Class List** – The majority of parents are now registered. DC asked if class reps could contact everyone to get feedback and encourage parents to join. **Action Class Reps**
  - **Sail Shade** – Governors not keen on a Sail Shade idea. It's not aesthetically pleasing on the eye for neighbours and they would prefer something which was more multi-use. Maybe a wooden structure would suit the landscape better and would be more solid and have multiple uses.
  - **Film night** was a huge success and raised £273. The kids had a great night. Well done and thanks to DB and all Volunteers for all their hard work on the evening.
  - **Chalkies Duck Race** –£21 raised thanks DC and GC for running Chuck a Chicken and Tin Can Alley – It was a fun day
  - **Easy Fund Raising** - total is at £143.00

#### 4. **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Bank Balance as at 23/02/18 - £9683.00

#### 5. **Sports Day**

- GC made a request for a large 3 x 6 m Gazebo with removable sides - all agreed to go ahead a purchase. Estimated cost £100. **Action GC**
- GB and GC and have been busy organising the sports day FOBS activities for 5<sup>th</sup> July
  - Face Painting and Glitter Tattoos
  - Wang a Welly
  - BBQ
  - BAR – selling soft drinks, beer and Pimms,
  - Ice pops
  - Strawberries
- Need at least 20 volunteers — set up a rota system. Class reps to ask for volunteers. Most stalls will be closed whilst the races are taking place. **Action Class Reps**
  - Setting up – (additional help from any dads in the morning as it is heavy work).
  - Parking
  - Bar
  - BBQ
  - Ice Pops
  - Wang A welly
- Entertainment – no longer Karaoke as we must consider the neighbours. In the process of sourcing a band / singer.
- Request - Make sure the track is set up even further into the field making more room for events. **Action MB**
- Need polystyrene boxes to keep things cool – CS to speak to Fisheries. JH may be able to source some too.
- Are there going to be other snacks other than burgers, like crisps. Yes.
- Bookers donated burgers last year. Need to see if they will do so again. SH to check with George. **Action SH**
- DC and NV to sort out the FOBS Area in the loft – see what can be reused at the sports day or Year 6 Play. - **Action DC and NV**

## 6. FOBS SPENDING PLANS/TEACHER REQUESTS/UPCOMING SCHOOL TRIPS

- **Lego Mind Storms Robotic kits for Yr 6** – excellent educational resource to teach the children about computer programming - 10 kits required for 1 between 3 – all agreed to go ahead subject to MB getting a price. (NOTE – after the meeting further discussions were had with teachers and it was felt that it might be an idea to spend money on a Lego programming workshops too). **Action MB and discuss at next meeting.**
- **DC** – Decided not to have suggestion box as parents can send any ideas through Class List. DC to put something out on class list. **Action DC**
- **CS** – suggested spending money on experiences for the children – the Longleat visit was enjoyed by the whole school and will be remembered. A few ideas discussed - Circus skill, Hawk Conservancy.
- **Upcoming trips**  
Y4 / Y5 Bournemouth trip to visit Synagogue and Mosque. FOBS committee has already agreed to contribute towards the cost.

## 7. FORTHCOMING EVENTS AND FUNDRAISERS

- **Year 6 Play (Grease)** - Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July – Volunteers for afternoon and evening please. (1.45pm and 6pm). **Action SM to contact Class reps**
- **Bingo** - Break even point reached, so any additional tickets will be a profit. Risk Assessment needed organisers need to contact MB who will assist with this..
- **Bag to School** - next one **5<sup>th</sup> July** same day as sports day.  
MB looking into the possibility of having a permanent drop off point – there are lots of benefits. Local people will be able to use it – they give £200 per ton and take bedding. If goes ahead just need to decide on the location.
- **CVC** – Getting volunteers is difficult – committee have asked for some volunteers to run a Cake stall and BBQ. Will put out a request closer to the date as difficult to get people to commit that far in advance. But keep reminding people to save the date. Posters go up in July.
- **AOB**
  - **FOBS Aprons** arrived with JL they look fantastic. Well done JL for sourcing. FOBS must write a thank you to the lady who did the embroidery. (We were also lucky to be provided us with 6 free Aprons from B&M). **Action DC**
  - **CS** made valid point that we should not be using plastic at events. All agreed that once the plastic cups have been used up we will try and source an alternative. E.g. Starch cups.

## 8. Next meeting date Friday 29th June in School Library @1.30pm

Meeting finished at 3.05pm.