



25th October 2022
Parent Council Meeting
Minutes

Members Present: Emma-Jane McFarlane, Nikki Paton, Cheryl Burnett (co-opted member)

Staff Present: Dawn Simpson, Caroline Barrett, Gina Harrington, Julieann Main.

Apologies: Kirsty Neil, Jennifer McKenna, Tracy Boyle.

Invitees: Cllr Robert Brown.

1. Welcome by the chair

Emma-Jane filled in for Kirsty and Jennifer. EM welcomed and thanked everyone for joining.

2. Previous minutes

Reviewed. Proposed by NP, 2nd by CB

3. Head Teacher's report

Will be attached separately.

4. Treasurer's report

Our bank account is currently in a transitional phase of removing members that are no longer part of Loch Primary Parent Council and adding Vice Chair Jennifer McKenna, Secretary Emma-Jane McFarlane and Treasurer Tracy Boyle, therefore we have no access to show the accounts. These will be able to be seen at our next meeting.

5. AOB

- EM asked about Reptizoo. It has been booked but the school are waiting for them to send over their risk assessment forms. Once finalised, DS will email the Parent Council the invoice.
- Cllr Brown was asked if there was any progress towards a car free zone. Currently there is no progress.
- CB suggested that we look into funding options. There are a few for us to apply for.
 - Participatory Budget Funding which we could link with St. Anthony's.
 - Lottery Funding - Anne Hopkins Simpson
 - Rutherglen Community Council
 - Burnside Community Council
 - Healthy and Happy

- Cllr Brown said that the local Sports Council is looking for a representative from primary schools. Possibly a member of teaching staff or parent council.
- DS let us know that the P7 residential trip is booked with St. Anthony's. The cost will be £50 per child to parents/carers with the school funding £98 per child. Father Charles is funding the bus for the children.
- Hampers will be on sale in school and at the Halloween disco.
- CB will send the invoice for Audible.
- EM asked if the P7s would have any song requests for the Halloween disco. CB will email them over.

Emma-Jane ended the meeting by thanking all who attended.

Next meeting will take place on the 29th of November at 6pm in the school with the option for people to attend virtually if they want.

MEETING CLOSED