



14th June 2021

**Parent Council Meeting
Minutes**

Members Present: Lynda Kadegis, Kirsty Neil, Angela Thorpe, Emma-Jane McFarlane, Tracy Boyle, Carol Spencer

Staff Present: Dawn Simpson, Gina Harrington, Caroline Barrett

Apologies: Cheryl Burnett, Charlene Carr, Nikki Paton

1. Welcome by the chair

Lynda welcomed everyone and thanked them all for joining this evening.

2. Minutes from last meeting

Accepted and agreed with PC members present.

3. Head Teacher's report

Covid update -

-There has been an increase of cases, within school but also within the local community.
There is a new testing centre at Springhall Community Centre. A letter has been put out to the entire school about the response within the school.

Staffing update -

-Mrs. Roy is moving from the nursery into the school.

- There will be 8 classes this coming year. P1, P1/2, P2/3, P3/4, P4/5, P5/6, P6 and P7.
- Aiming to have staffing for the classes sorted by the end of session.
- Year Progress – Consultation form has been sent out.
- Focusing on literacy, numeracy and health and wellbeing with all classes.
- Mrs. Barrett has been on moderation training.
- Miss. Harrington has been on ICT training.

- Mrs. McKee has been on Bookbug training.
- Breakfast club is ongoing.
- Assemblies are continuing virtually.
- Staff and pupils enjoyed health and wellbeing week and sports day.
- P7 managed an in-person visit to Cathkin High School.
- P1 visits will be in-person.
- Nursery and P7 graduations will be virtual.
- Virtual summer concert will be out soon.
- Dawn Simpson thanked the parent council for supporting the school throughout the year.

4. Treasurers report

Balance £1181.09.

No monies in or out this month.

Angela and Charlene will arrange treasurer's training.

5. Communication

Parent meet & greet will be arranged in the new term.

We will arrange a flyer/leaflet to go in the school newsletter.

6. AOB

- Lynda asked about teacher presents, Dawn Simpson confirmed that although teachers do not expect gifts, parents are allowed to gift if they choose to and they will be quarantined.
- P1 ties have been ordered and the school will send us the invoice.
- Everyone is gutted that we can't provide more for the P7s leavers but South Lanarkshire Council guidance means we can't.
- Kirsty asked the reason for not doing anything for the Euros and other events. DS confirmed it was to keep costs down for families

Lynda ended the meeting by thanking all who attended and passing on her hope that we are able to be back in the school nest session. Next meeting will be arranged in the new session once everyone returns to school.

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