



Thurstonland First School

Parent Teacher Association

Meeting 11 -

Thursday 13th October 2016 at 3.30pm

MINUTES OF MEETING

Present:		
Elizabeth Scott, Sadie Robertson, Camilla Langrick, Kirsten Wormald, Emily Maher, Alex Guy		
Apologies:		
Kate Norris, Kate Smitheram, Janine Channon Kathryn Smith		
	Subject	Action
1.	<p>Christmas Fair Saturday 3rd December 12pm – 2pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stalls Confirmed £10 or 10% <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lesley Jackson Phoenix Cards - Emma Hanks – Candles - Anne Marie Laksner Bubbles & More • The list of previous activities was gone through at length and it was voted to keep: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Childrens Raffle, Adult Raffle, Money Envelopes, Mystery Cups, Reindeer Food, Cake Stall, Adult tombola, Children’s Tombola, Snowball toss, Splat the Pudding, Hoop Frostys Nose, Santa’s Washing Line, BBQ & Treasure Hunt. Refreshments same prices as 2 years ago. • Changes to agreed activities were: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Creative Room (1 activity only this year for £1) ○ Pick a Lolly will be from a concealed box to prevent cheating. ○ Instead of the Silent Auction we agreed that we would have 1 if not 2 LARGE valuable items to auction off instead. Camilla suggested a Richard Charles pamper hamper & Elizabeth suggested a trip up Emley more mast. 	<p>Sadie – Check you have Snowball toss game still? & provide sample of Reindeer Food</p> <p>Emma – Donating envelopes</p> <p>Camilla & Elizabeth to confirm if these prizes are achievable</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs McFarlane Yr 4/5 £60 on educational toys • Miss Robinson Yr 2/3 £60 on educational toys • Mrs Cummins 60th Birthday flowers £25 • £20 for Henna Lady 	
7.	<p>ANY OTHER BUSINESS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Halloween fancy dress was suggested but discussion was had how teachers don't like to many non uniform events because it disrupts the children's behavior in the classroom. • Bonfire was suggested by Guy. He had looked into this and a professional pyrotechnics display lasting approx 10 mins can be arranged for £800 - £1000 on 6th November. It was seen as a great idea but we haven't enough time to organize it in 3 weeks to ensure of ticket sales and safety checks. Everyone agreed this would be great next year. Elizabeth suggested that this could be done with The Church next year to help raise funds for the Community Building Project which is to benefit the community including the school. • GRANTS – Have been looked into by Emily and Camilla briefly and we it appears we need a specific project or item to be able to get grant funding. • Some great new fundraising ideas have been suggested and these will be discussed at a future meeting as time ran away with us today. 	
8.	<p>Date of next meeting – Not discussed however proposed date is Tuesday 8th November</p>	<p>Everyone to confirm availability</p>