

Minutes of the PTA Meeting held at Forge Cottage, Fawdon on Monday 16th March 2015 at 1pm

Present: The Chairperson, Treasurer and the Secretary.

The Chairperson explained that the School were looking for a budget top up. The Chairperson referred back to an email sent by the School Secretary on the 11th March 2015 requesting a sum of £4,000.00 to go towards the school fund as a one off request. The Chairperson, Treasurer and Secretary all agreed to this top up. However it was felt that this would have to be a one off request as the PTA was unlikely to have this amount available every year. It was also agreed that in the future we would need to know more detail of what the extra money was needed for.

The Chairperson also discussed that the Head had put forward a request to buy Summer Hats for all the pupils. The cost of buying every pupil a hat with the school logo was £92.00. The PTA decided against funding these hats due to them being too much money. We all agreed the importance of keeping children safe in the sun, but we thought that it was perhaps the role of the parents to buy their children hats or perhaps the school to look at buying some elsewhere without a logo which would be cheaper. The Treasurer said she knew you could buy hats for under £2 at Matalan.

The chairperson re-capped at the meeting about a discussion at an earlier meeting in the year when the Head had discussed erecting a canopy onto Class 1. The Chairperson put forward a discussion of the Canopy and it was agreed by the PTA to hold back on funding this until the outcome of the 2/3 tier system was known.

Meeting Ends: 1.30pm