

**Minutes from PTA Meeting  
23rd April 2014  
Frieth School Hall, 7.30pm**

**Apologies**

Jo Reid, Katy Dunn

**Present**

Sarah Tedder, Leah Cabbage, Nicola Brown, Steph Pusey, Rose Kennedy, Fiona Hayter, Martine Saunders, Diane Hill, Missy Davies, Karen Warnes

**Minutes From Last Meeting:** No amends to previous minutes

**Treasurer's report:**

Main account: £11,765.32

100 Club: £1,661.78

**Review of Spend:**

- Like to have approx. £10,000 in main account:  
£6,000 for ICT  
£1,500 for curriculum enhancement
- Governors have access for separate funds for structural problems

**Updates:**

**Reception Covered Area**

- Completed with secure canvas sides
- Final 50% to pay – approx. £2,000

**ICT**

- To be upgraded 2015, possibly laptops
- Suggestions for sub committee – Rev John used to be in IT

**CD Players**

- Jo Reid to order replacements and PTA to pay

**Marquee**

- Ordering 4 gazeboes at £75 each
- Each 3m x 3m with sides and weighted legs
- Delivery in 2-3 weeks

**Easter Egg Hunt**

- Fiona Hayter to take over from Karen Warnes

**Book People**

- To be replaced by annual book fair after school
- Book swap - Children donate unwanted books and pay £1 for 3 books

**Mums Netball**

- Successful and playing matches

## **Future Events:**

### **Fawley Steam Fair 17 & 18 May**

- Letter for volunteers to go in book bags next week (not to clash with Frieth Hilly letter)
- Nicola Brown, Missy Davies and Kim to arrange
- Keep it simple – Bouncy castle, Pimms, tea & coffee, cake, couple of games
- Bouncy castle – Need to organize as only stall to have one  
Platts - Jo Brookes castle may have problem with insurance  
Nicola Brown to look into other companies to hire with insurance  
Maybe buy one?
- Use 2 new gazeboes joined for refreshments and cakes

### **School Disco 20 June**

- Last disco children much better behaved as Mrs Ansell and Mrs Reid present
- Date clashes with Praise in the Park but Disco Dave unavailable any other possible date. Maybe OK to have both on the same day.
- Maybe reinstate fizzy drinks but not Coke
- Year 6 keen to have extra 45mins at the disco, it was decided that year 6 parents would have to volunteer to oversee it if agreed.
- Avoid disco on 11+ results day

### **Hot Lunches date?**

- Move on from pasta – Maybe sausage in a bap & corn on the cob from new barbeque?
- Would Ziggy be interested in a food hygiene course paid for by PTA?

### **Family Camping Weekend date?**

- Emma West to check if Hurley available again
- Sarah to ask about Chiltern Retreat

### **Quiz Night/ Summer Fun Evening July 19?**

- Quiz night cancelled due to lack of support, maybe a Summer evening event for parents to relax and socialize and children be entertained
- 4-10pm? Band, barbeque and marquees?

### **Dad's Bike Ride September?**

- Very popular in 2013
- Confirm if Peter Gurney would like to repeat
- Caroline Walker asked whether it might be combined with a family orienteering course?

### **Frieth Hilly 19 October**

### **Winter Ball 13 December**

- Lucy Pearson has a committee to help organize
- Ticket price TBC, 2 courses and a cocktail included
- Alcohol bought by the bottle
- Band & DJ, small auction & raffle during pudding

## **AOB:**

**New Parents Lunch September?** - At Stag or combine with Summer Evening event?

**Christmas Fair & Xmas Factor** - Need to borrow equipment to play music back, Nic Brown ask James

**Gardening and Decorating day** - Date in June?

**PTA Stall holders** - Need to pay extra £10 for insurance

**Hand Sanitisers** – Suggested they may help reduce gastric infections in school

**Next PTA meeting 20 May, The Yew Tree, 7:30**