



The Crypt School Parent Teacher Association

Parents, Teachers and Friends

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Minutes of Committee Meeting 14th May 2024

Venue: Sports Classroom, The Crypt School

1.	Present Steve Burn (SJB) Claire Berry (CB) Debbie Jordan (DJ) Tracy Scott (TS)	Sarah Riordan-Jones (SRJ) Paulina Bright (PB) Gayle Stott (GS) Steve Scott (SS) Indu Arza (IA) Claire Gooch (CG)	
2.	Apologies Claire Richards (CR) Sharon Byfield (SB) Pauline Rudkin-Mclaren (PR)	Paul Bentley (PBe) Liz Bastock (LB) Nick Dyer (ND)	
3.	Minutes of the previous meeting 16th April 2024 Approved.		
4.	Treasurers Report Accounts have been reviewed by our new Treasurer. SS presented the accounts as at end April 2024. The non uniform current account currently shows a balance of £14,700. Bids that have come out in April include Music £1,573, Library £1,500, F1 in schools £730. We hold a balance of approx. £48,941 in the uniform account which includes income of £345 from uniform sales and a Monkhouse payment of £9,000. Expenditure on this account includes PE Dept £916, Drama £1,291, Science £837 and Business Dept £886. Action: SS to provide SRJ with latest accounts. There has been a slight increase in the 200 Club membership to 400 and expecting new memberships with Yr 7 intake in September.		SS
5.	Matters Arising including Wish List A bid was received from Natasha Prout for SEN chromebooks to support an increase in the number of students to support their learning and assessment. 5 chrome books totalling £1434 including £30 per device for licences. Approved. Action: SJB to advise Natasha with a caveat that we cannot pay ongoing fees.		SJB

6.	School Report PB gave the school report. Thank for your generous contribution to hall and wall art – much appreciated. We are now in exam season with both GCSE and A Levels underway. We are putting on an extra open morning on 27th June, in addition to the 26th June due to demand. Taster days are being held in June. The school is also undertaking visits to primary schools to talk to pupils about the Crypt school. All this feels very positive and we thank the CSPTA for their support.	
7.	Future Activities/Events/Fundraising Thurs 13 June open evening for the 2024 Yr 7 parents – CSPTA is running a hamper with Crypt goodies to win on the evening. The CSPTA will also support the Wed 26 June open morning. Action: Gayle to circulate a request for help at the open morning on 27th. Easyfundraising: As a reminder, we can all help to raise school funds. It is very easy to do: • Register with www.easyfundraising.org.uk • Say you want to support the “Crypt School Association” (This is the PTA’s official charity name) • Download the toolbar • When you shop, click “activate donation” and that’s it! A great choice of websites will make a donation after your payment is processed, for example: M&S, Next, John Lewis, Amazon, Hotels.com, Cineworld, Argos, Dominos, Etsy, Photobox, eBay, Groupon & many more. You make your online purchases & the organisations donate to us. There’s no extra cost to you!	GS
8.	School Clothing Sales School clothing sales – more uniform is now on the website. Orders trickling through slowly. Sales in Pavilion on 13th June for Year 7 welcome evening.	
9.	200 Club We now have 400 numbers and prizes continue at £195 per month. Cheques now being posted out to winners via school franking. Need to do further promotion. The 200 Club is a monthly raffle open to all and it particularly suits parents and carers who want to support the CSPTA but live just too far away to help out at sales and functions. Numbers cost £1 each and there is no restriction on how many you can buy. Half the monthly takings are paid out in prizes. Club fees are made via Standing Order and the form is available on the CSPTA section of the school website. Remember, the money raised all goes to benefit Crypt students. To join our 200 Club please email: cspta.200club@cryptschool.org	

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10.	AOB End of year CSPTA event – 10th Wed July. SRJ to send out message to organise venue. Foy Foundation – Debbie putting a bid in for money for library to buy new book titles for Yr10-13. The bid needs a copy of the PTA bank account statement. SS to provide. Due to other commitments we will wait until next month when both the new Secretary and Treasurer available to discuss next years dates – a suggestion was to alternate Mondays and Tuesdays.	SRJ SS																											
11.	Date of next meeting – 2023/24 dates Please come and join us!! Tues 11th June																												

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