

FOCS Minutes 27.6.18

Present: Tell Hewitt (Chair), Mary Lucas, Clare Logan, Jacqui Alexander, Bex Watkins, Nadine Norton, Kate Bentham, Rick Kubilis, Gemma Floyd,

Apologies: Sarah Webster, Dave Evans

Matters Arising:

- Clare to look at costs for KS1 children to have similar t-shirts. Will contact Lynn to establish sizes and numbers needed
- Science resources- Partially ordered-in progress
- Forest School- a new area has been identified within walking distance to school to be used by all age groups. Applying for a grant (Tesco Bags of Help) for this. Tues 17th July 12md will be the opening for this area. A parent and an ex- parent have volunteered to help clear the area and much of the initial work is completed. FOCS funding is not needed at this point but school will keep us informed of progress.

Finance Update:

Balance £5609.12

Events :Fathers day made £195.50

Ladies night made £730.55

Clare reported the following donations to school:

- St John's first aid training £138.00
 - School: laminator £226.06
 - School: Recorders £225.00
 - School: Arthog £100.00
 - School: Sports Kit £749.52
 - School: Gardening project £79.54
 - School: iPads £837.00
 - School: coaches £1027.50
 - School: music club subsidy Spring £221.50 – not to run next term
 - School: t-shirts for art £40.00
- Total 3644.12**

Requests from School

- Recorder teaching for KS 2 will be funded in 2018-9
- Offer of help from Gemma Floyd and family to move gazebos for sports day and the fete.

Previous Events

- Ladies Night- 15.5.18. £730.55 will become a regular event
- Father's Day Sale -12.6.18. £195.50

Future Events

- Fete 7.7.18. Committee meeting regularly. Plan for field and jobs allocated to volunteers
- End of term disco if volunteers are willing. Thurs 19th July 3.30-5pm
Nadine, Gemma have volunteered and message in Friday post to request min 5 extra helpers
- Sarah Webster running summer picnic as last year. Date 8th Aug (15th if wet) 12-2pm. Donation to school.
- Possible climbing event at Action Walls and or combined with walking
- Suggestion of a car treasure hunt/BBQ/Lantern workshop

AOB

- We have very good bank balance currently – one further bill for coaches this year and no further requests. School staff will be asked to brainstorm for ideas. Laptops need replacing /iPads or similar which will be explore when inventory of current items is available.

Date of next meeting

- 19 Sep-2018