Minutes: PTA Meeting

Monday 9th October

Present: Gemma Woods, Jessica Forrest, Helen Lewis, Katherine Gray, Alice Whincup, Nicola Oliver, Jacqui Abercrombie, Claire Frater, Toni Marsden, Emma Lazenby and Jane Thomsen.

Apologies: Belinda Athey, Di Faulkner

Minutes from last meeting: agreed

Treasurers Report:

Balance £1674 (including £1200 for EY outdoor area)

Money in: £183 from movie night

Fundraising:

1) Disco 20th October 2023

£120 for DJ KG to confirm BA to do poster and book hall 5-7pm (last 30 mins for KS2 only, parent/carer to stay with EY) Increase ticket price to £4 to cover increased costs 50p each for "extras" tattoos, glow sticks, £1 for drinks, snacks Parent helpers: CF, NO, AW, GW, HL

2) Air Ambulance 10th November

Swap shop week before bag return

3) Christmas Coffee and Crafts Morning 2nd December 2023 10am-12pm

BA to do poster Children to make crafts for purchase by parents Mrs Arkle available for teas and coffees for a donation by parents Ask Turnbulls/Morrisons for mince pie donations Only a few stalls: ?book (would need parent donations), cake stall (parent donations) and possible enterprise project for children to do Tombola- non uniform day on 24th November- payment in form of tombola donation

4) Santa Fun Run

Not this year- too late as lots of people involved already eg through rugby club. Consider for next year but would need to be early (first advertised over the summer)

5) Christmas Shop

Lovely idea and popular with children, however is a huge undertaking with a lot of work involved and raises little money. Needs good supply of "gifts" and currently nothing in reserve. Consider again in the future BUT needs planning earlier

6) Wreath Making and Crafts

Needs planning and booking earlier- aim for next year

7) Any other business

Christmas Movie Night: 8th December 3.15pm to 5.15pm

choice of 2 festive films (titles TBC), same day as non uniform/Christmas jumper day (to avoid chaos of changing clothes). £3 for movie night, £1 for non uniform day. **Fundraising next term:** aim for bigger event eg Bingo or Band/popup pub

8) Next Meeting: 15th January 2024