



St Peter's Academy, Alton School Association Meeting General Meeting

Meeting Date & Time	7 th February 2022, 19:30hrs	Meeting Location	Online
Meeting Chair	Lyndsay Doubell	Minutes Draft Date	7 th February 2022

Attendees	Apologies
Anna Bennett AB Debbie Dodge DD Helen Stone HS Jo Stringer JS Lyndsay Doubell LD	Heather John HJ

Item No.	Agenda	Details of Discussion	Action By:
2	Previous minutes	Minutes of 12 th January 2022 were agreed as a true and accurate record. Minutes of 11 Nov 2020 AGM need to be altered as there is a mistake re. the closing balance of £1625.79. DD has looked through the accounts carefully and confirmed that it should be £1841.29. This was noted.	JS
3	Finances	DD advised that the current account stands at £4158. £2242 will come out for the iPads that have been ordered as well as £622 for the charging station. AB advised that the blind is up. The cost of £155.83 is still to come out of the account.	
4	School Wishlist	Miss Grant would like a class set of skipping ropes and it was agreed to fund them. A possible circus workshop in the future would require in the region of £200-300. AB explained that the DfE advises all schools to use an approved phonics scheme. Staff have researched and found an appropriate scheme that they are trialling that will cost £450 if purchased. The school budget unfortunately cannot stretch to this.	

		<p>Fundraising via a World Book Day quiz and parental contributions were discussed and it was agreed to make up any shortfall from PTA funds. AB advised that the children also want to raise money via the School Council for playground games/toys.</p> <p>AB enquired about providing a souvenir of the Platinum Jubilee for the children. AB agreed to find out what the other schools are doing within the federation.</p> <p>Mrs Ives would like some frosted film on Busy bodies' windows – to be investigated in terms of cost. Possibility of including the school logo.</p> <p>HS enquired about “Relaxed Kids” and whether we could use PTA funds to increase their time with the children. AB advised that they work in school with small groups, where there is a need, for 20 mins/week. Plus, all children get 40 mins once every half-term. AB will check on availability and timetabling issues</p>	<p>AB</p> <p>AB</p> <p>All</p> <p>AB</p>
5	Fundraising Ideas	<p>HS asked whether “Bags for school” would be restarted. AB to look into again.</p> <p>Children’s disco on Thursday 17th Feb – 5-6.30pm. LD has a CD playlist ready. DD will provide £30 float. AB will print some colouring and make some Lego available. To ask for parent helpers to be available.</p> <p>The half-termly cake raffle will take place next week – HJ has this in hand.</p> <p>LD will organise a Mother’s Day Stall on Friday 25th March.</p> <p>LD advised that Mr Gunton-Bunn does have sound equipment for a social family evening on the school field. This will be kept on the agenda for future meetings.</p> <p>The upcoming Platinum Jubilee was discussed. The next village meeting is on 22nd Feb – need to send some representatives. A possibility of a chocolate tombola was discussed given that there will be lots of tea and cake stalls.</p>	<p>All</p> <p>HJ</p> <p>LD</p> <p>LD</p>
6	Date for Next Meeting	Monday 14 th March, 7.30pm. Zoom link to be set up.	Anyone available to attend

