MINUTES

Lymm High School PTA Meeting

Date: Monday 09 January 2023

Chair: Clare Martin and Kerry Spink

Minutes: Kirsty Holden

In Attendance

Gwyn Williams (GW, LHS Head), Kerry Spink (KS, Co-Chair), Clare Martin (CM, Co-Chair), Kirsty Holden (KH, secretary), Kirsty James (KJ), Emma Glazebrook (EG)

Apologies

Natalie McGillivary (NM), Rigel Allan (RA), Emma Roberts (ER), Jane Norton (JN, Treasurer), Louise Hassall (LH), Alice Richardson (AR)

Welcome

CM and KS welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Minutes / Matters Arising

The minutes were read and accepted.

Reports

Head Teacher's Report:

- 1. Ofsted kept everyone busy before Christmas, the inspection was ungraded, it went well and the team worked really well
- 2. Absences were up again before Christmas, both students and staff, able to be managed
- 3. Trips all going ahead, the recent rewards trip went ahead as planned
- 4. Levelling up bid had a lot of applicants and so announcement is being pushed back to end of January
- 5. Decision whilst in meeting to ask school departments to make bids for small amounts of PTA funds

Questions in meeting on tutors and parents evening time slots all answered by GW.

PTA constitution

Copy of PTA constitution found, needs reviewing for next meeting.

Fundraising

Targets

To be confirmed next meeting when we know more about Levelling Up bid outcome

Events

Doughnuts on 17th February

Price has gone up from £5.50 to £7.50 per box.

Fish and chips and quiz night in school, Fri 27th Jan 2023 (Team: KH, HD, CM, NM)

Need volunteers for bar, a few volunteered in meeting including Helen Davidson and Emma Glazebrook. Decision to run a raffle and also to ensure we have a risk assessment completed for the event. Discussion on doing a stocktake of PTA cupboard then ER to buy alcohol/drinks and some snacks for the bar. Organise a prize for the winning team. John Hayes is doing the quiz. Food = fish and chip van.

Band Night (Team: CM to lead, KS, ER, FH, TG – post meeting arranged KH to lead)

Provisional date: Sat 24th June 2023 – provisionally booked at golf club. Decided more people required to make a decision on the band to book.

Lymm Ladies Lunch (Team: KS, NM)

Date to be provided by organisers (non-PTA)

AOB

Next meeting: Monday 6th March 2023, 7pm by Zoom