

FoBS Meeting Minutes Monday 28th March 2022

Attendees: Fiona Whishaw (FW), Katie Lister (KL), Trilby Fox-Rumley (TF-R), Jen Dady (JD), James Johnson (JJ), Gemma Adams (GA)

Apologies: Sarah Bax, Samira Ali

Easter – teacher treats

Need to order/buy, to be in school on Friday.

Ideally Easter-themed chocolate, we have £140 in the teacher treat fund to spend. The teachers want to do an egg hunt, will try and get something like Lindor balls as individually wrapped.

ACTION: JJ to go to Bookers, poss buy baskets as well.

• Spend – playground games for lunchtime –anything else?

Everything apart from friendship stop has arrived. Equipment can go in one of the current sheds, they've been cleared ready to go. No requirement for anything else at the moment, need to train the children on how to use and take care of the equipment.

• Quiz night – hall booked

Need to speak to fish and chip shop. Need pricing for the poster. Also need to ask about numbers that they can comfortably cater for.

Decided to use hall provided cutlery if we can rather than using disposable - Ask about cutlery, wash up, can we take it away and wash it or leave in a dishwasher etc. Also ask if there is an upper limit on numbers.

Need to start work on a poster. Teams can be emailed in to the FOBS email address and money transferred by bank transfer.

ACTION: FW to speak to fish and chip shop

ACTION: JD speak to hall about cutlery and numbers

ACTION: KL to put poster together once cost of fish and chips has been established

• Queens jubilee – badges – bake off

GA would rather have the jubilee celebrations something that happen within the school day rather than after school, so decided to move the Cake bake off competition to the summer fair instead, see more details below.

ACTION: JD 650 jubilee pin badges to be ordered.

• Summer Fair 18th June – committee recruitment

Table in playground to drum up a committee at drop off, do this after Easter. Have a couple of people manning it, with a sign up sheet and make it appealing – it's fun!!!

Use the WhatsApp groups more to get the message out there.

Bake Off - Suggested £2 entry

Wooden spoons (gold, silver, bronze) as prizes, alternatively decorative plates as prizes. Also discussed the idea of looking into Burhill branded kids pinnies which we could sell at the summer fair. Ask bakers if they want to donate their cakes after the competition, and then sell cakes by the slice after to raise more money. Get an independent judge in? Mary Sheldon proposed as someone who might want to be involved.

ACTION: JJ to contact Mary Sheldon

ACTION: JD & TF-R Plan for when to run the sign-up stall after Easter

ACTION: JD to look into cost of branded kids aprons

Icecreams

Leave buying a freezer for now, ice lollies not needed for after school sales or sports days. Will stick with cake sales and buy a freezer on next day delivery if required.

AOB

JJ: Playground – has heard from some parents that there's not much for older kids. GA said that the playground refurb is happening in phases – the next phase is larger equipment which had to wait for the tree (and its very persistent roots!) to be dealt with. It is an expansion of a trim trail which is really pitched at older children, coming in the summer holidays.

GA: Wanted to know where the Year 6 event is up to. Some deposits for entertainment have been paid and hoodies ordered and paid for. Will ensure a member of Yr 6 Leavers Committee comes to next FOBS meeting.

GA: We want to decorate the school to mark the Platinum Jubliee can we please put a shout out for parents to help.

GA: At the Parent Forum last week the teacher clubs were discussed. If there are any DBS checked parents that would like to help with teacher clubs please contact Toby Whishaw directly. That way we can extend the numbers that we can offer clubs to.