

St Michael's Bodenham

PA Minutes - Tuesday 10th January 2017 - England's Gate

Present: Claire Brown, Natasha Adams, Mrs Alty, Mrs Coleman, Steph Wilson, Debbie Mould, Sam Bemand, Sarah Davis, Clare Croose, Clare Noble, Dawn Jones.

Apologies: Clare Lewis

VALENTINE DISCO – Friday 3rd Feb. 4.30-6pm

- Class 1 & 2 parents to stay with children. Class 3, 4, 5 & 6 parents drop and go
- £2.00 entry includes drink and crisps – CB & NA – crisps
- Face painting DJ confirmed, Angela Burdsall to confirm
- Hair braiding DJ & SW
- Tattoos CB & NA
- Glow sticks NA – NA will check if any in stock from previous event if not will source from Amazon
- CB already made a flyer
- Class 4 to be used as café for parents. Tea, coffee & biscuits. SD & SB will run. NA will source biscuits
- Decorations/ balloons/bunting etc - CB & NA will source

MOTHERS' DAY – Friday 24th March

- Fri 24th March. Mrs Alty & Mrs Coleman agree children will make the gift in each classroom. SD, CN, NA, CB & SB to help.
- Steph to ask Leila if she can cheaply source small black plant pots and a bulb to plant
- Decorate pot with accessories from The Range. NA to source
- Buying for 80 children
- Event to include Nursery children in session
- SW advised to buy craft activity “stuff” same time as buying for Startots then keep in storage, bulk buying saves money and time

EASTER BINGO - Thursday 6th April

- 3rd April: wear what you like day in exchange for a donation of an Easter egg
- Thursday 6th April - 5pm start @ school
- Café. Hot dogs & hot cross buns. CB to discuss with Morrisons
- Bingo books. CB source from The Range
- Caller - Mrs Alty & Year 6 children
- Bingo numbers to be supplied by DM
- 4 games in all. 2 games then interval/café then 2 games

FROZEN FRIDAYS

- Will continue after Easter break. CB & NA will buy when needed and when on offer. Store in school freezer or with whoever has a chest freezer with space

SPONSORED EVENT

- Friday 30th June @ school
- Wimbledon theme. "Wacky tennis keepy uppys" with tennis racket whilst being sprayed with water guns
- Sports personality idea
- Swing ball for younger children supplied by DJ & SB
- Tennis nets out for older children
- SB has a contact for tennis balls and will advise when sourced
- NA to contact BTA to see if they will supply anything

SUMMER FETE/SPORTS DAY - Friday 14th July

- 10th July: wear what you like day in exchange for bottle (anything unopened) for tombola stall
- Trevor Hill: NA will contact re cost and availability
- Discussed "pig racing"
- Year 6 stalls. Mrs Alty said 1 stall for each child as there are only 8 of them. SD will organise and coordinate this.
- Bouncy castle. CL to source, must be from a company with liability insurance
- Bungee run we have had a few years ago

- Bring a picnic will continue as last year a success but ask YOKO if she would also provide food as she did last year
- Café: tea, coffee and cake donations. S&A to be contacted for strawberry donation

A.O.B

- Film night starting Monday 6th February @ 3.30pm in school hall or a classroom depending on numbers
- Open to all children. £2.50 each to include squash & popcorn. Permission slip stating which film, popcorn/squash and attending. CB to organise letter

THANK YOU LETTERS

- CB has written to the people she contacted (Chase, Butfords, Lower Hope and Wye Valley). CB will email DJ her letter to be sent out to other companies
- Chase up who/what donations given letter sent to donors ASAP

DICTIONARIES FOR YEAR 6 – still looking to source

INCOME/EXPENSES FOR CHRISTMAS FAYRE

- Apologies from CL - SW read out figures
- Discussed giving parents more notice next year but keeping to after pantomime outing rather than a Saturday
- 5.30 start (no pressure reg traffic for coach)

THANK YOU LETTER from ST MICHAEL'S HOSPICE for donation of £1,339.50 from PA

SCHOOL DISCO: Comment from entertainment regarding was how lovely our school is and would highly recommend to others

DEBBIE MOULD is organising a musical (brass band) event (possibly 31st March). Choir may take part. Proceeds to be split (50% for school) in return for any help with organising and promoting the event

PA SYSTEM - Mrs Alty advised that PA system needs replacing or repairing. CL suggested PA would be able to help with cost. School need to research costings and revert

POND DIPPING - Nigel Hands provides demonstration for children. Mrs. Alty will research cost and has asked if pa will cover these costs as an excellent “extra” for our children SW asked to include a Friday with Startots and nursery

BAG2SCHOOL - 24th March? NA will confirm that date

SUMMER EVENT - 20th May

- Decided on 60s/70s/80s/90s theme disco for adults
- Event to be held in Bodenham village hall
- SW will ask Laura (Startots) regards booking hall as she may get a discount
- CB will ask DJ Larry if he is free for event

NEXT MEETING - Tuesday 2nd May, 7.30pm at England's Gate

Meeting closed at 9.10pm