

Friends of Lealholm School

Minutes of Meeting 09 February 2016

Meeting opened 18:00

Present:

Jill Kelly, Helen Ward, Gilly Perry, Marie. Thompson, Jane Wright, Sonia Pierson, Mrs Mathews, Nessa Jackson

1) Apologies:

Jane Adamski, Julie Mead, Mrs. Welford, Andrea Simpson

2) Minutes of the meeting of 22 September 2015 were read and agreed.

Matters arising:

- Bag pack – very good fund raiser for minimal effort, JK to ask Julie Mead to contact Sainsbury's
- Willow tunnel- no volunteers attended the last date. Review the situation in May.
- Christmas Cards – will do them for Christmas 2016, this needs to be organised before the September FOLS meeting.

3) Burns Night

Compliments have been received for such a good evening/event. JK to contact The Widdershins to book the date for 27th January 2017. £537.13 was raised from the event. Thanks to all those who helped.

4) Tour de Yorkshire 1st May

Glaisdale school are already organising an event for the date of the tour so the decision was made not to arrange a fundraising activity by FOLS.

5) Easter Egg Rolling

The school sale is on Wednesday 23rd March. Decorated eggs to be judged at the school sale. FOLS will buy the prizes for the decorated eggs/egg rolling competitions.

Egg rolling to take place on Thursday 24th March.

6) Bingo

17th March 6pm. FOLS to buy the prizes GP volunteered to be the caller.

7) School Bags

Samples of school bags were considered, FOLS agreed to purchase the stock for school and administer the process, as is done for the school jumpers/cardigans. Style selected was as per the current bags.

8) Polo Shirts

FOLS agreed to purchase a set of blue polo shirts for use by children attending sporting events; this was considered to be preferable to buying hoodies.

Sample polo shirts to be bought and Nessa to vinyl print the school logo on. A new local supplier has been found for school cardigans.

9) Treasurers Report

- £452 raised from the Craft Fair
- £225 raised from the Christmas Hampers (A letter of thanks was received from Mary Smith on behalf of the Over 60's.)
- £537.13 raised from Burns Night

Bank balance is very healthy. FOLS agreed to contribute £50 per child towards the cost of the East Barnby trip in September.

10) 100 Club

12 new numbers have been purchased bringing the total up to 105. Next draw is due at the Spring Sale.

11) School Business

Mrs. Ward thanked FOLS for organising and running the Burns Night event.

12) A.O.B.

- Forresters Lodge – Andrea has spoken to the Wykeham Estate and has been given the date of 14th April if we want to use it to host a fundraising event.
- Mrs. Matthews advised more books are to be purchased from Waterstones for the Jack and the Beanstalk reading initiative.
- A Skipping George session was discussed for an event to support Sport Relief.

Date of next meeting: Tuesday 17th May 2016, at School, 18:00.

Meeting closed 19:25