

## **Minutes of the PTA meeting**

**Held on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2015**

**Present:** T Woodward, S Woodward, E Fox, T Towler, Jayne Parker, C Ashworth, N Herman, K Garrett, H Gardner, T Gardner, S Roads, Nicky and Alex.

**Apologies:** L Foulton

**Minutes from last meeting:** were proposed by J Parker and seconded by C Ashworth

**Treasurers report:** The balance of the account is £4564.53

### **Matters arising from last meeting:**

**Quiz Night:** Chris and Jayne have been busy organising the evening to be held this week. Only 6 tickets have been sold, but many attending the meeting said that they intended to go and more tickets should hopefully be sold on the day. The next event will be a skittles night to be held at The Ship.

**Summer Fayre:** Letters have gone out for the raffle prizes to parents, flyers for other parental donations will be going out soon. Alex's dad is a pilot and will donate a Flying Experience to the prizes. A bouncy castle will be on the grass at the front of the school. Alex's friend is a make up artist and happy to come and do some face painting and fake tattoos on the day. Nicky is happy to deliver flyers around the village. Chris talked about other fayres that had managed to get funds raised to be matched by local banks, so we all needed to think about whether we knew someone who worked in a local bank! We may be able to make more money by making our own ice cream or buying them from Iceland, or somewhere similar and then selling them rather than having an ice cream van come. The idea of our own pick and mix stall was also suggested. S Roads is happy to do the lucky dip again. C Ashworth will resolve any issues with the organisation of the raffle.

**Any other business:** Just giving page situation is being looked into by C Ashworth though money was raised relatively easily through parental donations from Tough Mudder last year. A few staff are looking at doing the event again this year. A sponsored sky dive was suggested as Alex's dad was a pilot and new someone who could help us organise this.

The new sound and light system is being installed during half term and though an exact figure of the funds needed from the PTA is not clear, it is thought to be around £1k.

The new playground equipment is being installed in mid June.

Year 11 BBQ will need some funds from the PTA, this should be around £100. No objections were raised by anyone at the meeting.

**Date of next meeting:** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2015 at 5pm.