

CROWN PRIMARY SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL MEETING

Monday 26th August, 2019 6.30PM

Agenda

1. Welcome, Introductions and Apologies

Attendees: Ross Waldie, Andrew Campbell, Alison Reid, Ian MacDonald, Paul Rodden, David Mudie, Miriam MacDonald, Peta Harris, Amy Cameron, Susan Catto.

Apologies: Angela Jack, Hester Morgan, Claire Boyd, Pete Roxburgh, Gail McKean

2. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Proposed by Peta Harris and seconded by Miriam MacDonald.

3. Parent Council Class Representatives - new list required for new school year.

People signed up to allow their names and photos to be put up on the blog to allow people to approach them if necessary. This will be posted along with the email address in case of enquiries. Susan suggested a presence at parents' night would be beneficial. All agreed.

4. Playground Markings – update

Sitting with school – weather wasn't favourable this summer. Also getting funding from 'Safer routes to school' for Bikeability markings. Mr Cameron confident that there is room for all the markings.

5.0 Funding Requests

- Goalie kit for hockey team, under £500 threshold so all cleared.
- Discussed the possibility of a new covered bike shelter (request from a parent) – came after the big bike day. Agreed that there is already a shelter in school and big expense is not a priority at the moment.

Discussion around nursery provision for the extended hours as Crown should be ready for August 2020, but the contracts are not yet in place. Parent Council staying alert to planning proposals etc.

Known costs coming up:

- Upgrading early years reading books from school fete funds
- P7 year books
- EQ sports hour was paid for from PC Council although previously came from left over fundraising money.

6.0 Head Teacher's Report

Inspector arrives on Monday 9th September at 12 noon. Meet with staff and Miriam, Bev and council rep. Monday afternoon onwards in classes, Care Inspectorate visiting nursery too. Looking for triangulation of evidence across the school. Inspector report will be back in before the next Parent Council meeting.

ASN allocation down to 2.5 days. Kaella MacMillan now teaching P1, Bev Clark taken on more management roles and Miriam focusing on ASN.

Classes fixed for this year and school effectively capped – only a few spaces in specific years.

7.0 Treasurer's Report

As AGM.

8.0 Any Other Business

9.0 Date and Time of Next Meeting

Monday 11th November 2019 at 6.30pm.