

Minutes from the Kelvindale Primary PTA Meeting

Wednesday 24th April 2019

Attendees: Cathy Allan (Secretary), Alison Willacy, Nick Bell, Clare Gault, Sorcha Dallas-Gray, Ainslie Bradley, Sarah Watret (Teacher), Lil Rudebeck, Lynne Miller, Erin Cameron.

Apologies Debs Norton, Bryan Montgomery (Teacher), Kate Russell, Suzanne Barltrop (Secretary), David Nicholls (Treasurer), Geri Lucas, Nicola Shevlin, Ella Brady.

Minutes	Actions
<p>1. Welcome</p> <p>Erin Cameron welcomed everyone to the meeting</p> <p>2. Previous Minutes</p> <p>Minutes from the March meeting were approved. Sarah to upload to the school website.</p> <p>3. Treasurer's Report</p> <p>Current account balance is £7,134.36. £138.50 was spent on Playground paint. David has registered with PayPal and the card reader will arrive soon. Sarah explained the school has submitted their Area Partnership Application for Playground funding. The PTA are welcome to apply for money but it must be for a different cause to the school.</p> <p>4. School Requests</p> <p>Record of Achievement – On hold. The school will provide an update in May. Chairs for the Main Hall – The school is interested in purchasing new chairs that hang from trolleys for the main hall. The trolleys are priced at £504 each and the cost of chairs is to be investigated by the school.</p> <p>5. Event Updates</p> <p>Playground Clean Up (Sorcha, Ella) Paint has been ordered and the donation of tyres received. Sarah will direct people to tasks. Power washers have been requested from parents. A team will be arriving from McDonalds to litter pick. The noticeboard is to be removed from the tunnels and put into the playground.</p> <p>Social Night for Adults (Sorcha, Clare) A social night to raise funds for the playground will be held on the 10th of May at the Kelvindale Bowling Club. Entry by donation at the door. Ross Dewar, has agreed to run the bar and the Kelvindale Bowling Club has kindly waived the hire fee. Advertising to be placed around Kelvindale.</p>	<p>Sarah to upload.</p>

Summer Fun Day

A WhatsApp group with 16 PTA members willing to help with planning has been set up. Members are to form Subgroups for each area. Morrisons have kindly donated playground toys and a hamper of summer goodies. Ainslie to organise these donations for a raffle. Nick has investigated the cost of bouncy castles and inflatable obstacle courses. A large run through course is £240 for a half day. Alison will create Facebook posts and Sarah will help with a risk assessment.

6. Publicity Update

We have 196 Facebook followers and 139 people signed up to Easy Fundraising. Easy Fundraising has raised £1,021.03 so far.

7. Parental Feedback and Suggestions

No parental feedback received.

8. Any Other Business

Nick suggested we make contact with Belway, the builders developing the site on Dorchester Avenue. Sarah reported the Parent Council is already in discussions with them. Nick to contact the head of the Parent Council. The AGM will be held in May along with the regular PTA meeting.

Nick to contact
Parent Council