

Holy Family Community School Parents Council
Minutes of Meeting
Monday 13th May 2024

Attendees:

Attended:	Apologies:	Apologies:
Ann Marie Moran	Annette Daly	Iwona Flood
Anna Murphy	Collette Reilly	Jill Coffey
Antoinette O'Reilly	Edel Mullen	Josephine Manning
Clodagh McCormack	Egle Tiskuvienne	Liz Forde
David McGuirk	Elaine Carroll	Maria Millington
Irina Bereznytska	Eliza Jane Branning	Mark Byrne
Mary Clarke	Elizabeth Kelly	Niamh Farrell
Marylinn Murphy	Erica Sancho	Wendy McDonnell
Niall Molloy	Gema Gallego	
Sarah Tighe	Georgina Graham	
Sharon O'Reilly	Geraldine McConville	

Agenda:

- The agenda for the meeting was adopted & filed:
 - Proposed: Clodagh McCormack
 - Seconded: Sharon O'Reilly
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Minutes:

- Minutes of the last meeting were circulated post last meeting are now be filed & agreed.
 - Proposed: Irina Bereznytska
 - Seconded: Ann Marie Moran
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Financial Report:

- Balance of account as of 30/04/2024 :
 - €4,551.96
 - Expenditure: No expenditure since last update

Correspondence:

- Nothing on School email
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Fundraising:

- 2024 events stand as per below:
 - Christmas Raffle:
 - Raffle Kick of 2 / 3 weeks before term ends for Christmas
 - Dates TBC
 - Non Uniform Day:
 - Please can we plan for early March to avoid Easter Raffle dates.
 - Easter Raffle
 - Note Good Friday 18th April – Raffle Kick Off 2 / 3 weeks before term ends.
 - Dates TBC
- Noted: that potential to raise funds towards a new stage for the school. This will need to be planned as is costly at €20,000.
- Noted: Would another quiz night work – For discussion in new school year.

Social Media Posts:

- Social Media Officer will continue to work with school & sharing upcoming event.
- Parents – please feel free to pop into whatsapp group, any pages or posts that you think may benefit other Parents if we share on our page. EG Study Tips / Guides etc.

Parent Council Recruiting Events:

- 1st Year Incoming Parents Coffee Morning – Monday 26th August – 9am – 10am
- Each Year Online Information Evening – have “Note From Parents Council” at each meeting or potentially play the PC Video for each year.
- 1st Year Parent Teacher Meeting: PC Representatives at Stand in school
- Potentially having PC Pop Up Banner & Representatives at each in school event.
- All of above to reviewed for possibilities when school calendar 2024/2025 issued.

DP Report:

- As filed & read by Mr Derek Maher

AOB:

- County Council Grants for the Arts: Irina to share with Derek Maher the details of where this was seen & who to contact.
- Raised concern from some Parents over quality of ovens in Home Ecc Rooms.
- For 2024/2025 School Calendar – look at scheduling more In Person meetings than Zoom
 - Noted at meeting that far more productive conversations are had in person.
- New Pop Up Banner for PC to be purchased by PC funds.
 - Sharon O’Reilly to source three quotes, which will be then agreed by PC officer to go ahead.
 - Expenditure agreed by Antoinette O’Reilly & Niall Molloy. Review when quotes received.
- Speaker Suggestions for AGM: To be investigated by Anna Murphy
 - “Risks of Vaping”
 - Rory Stories
 - Philly McMahon
 - Dermot Wheelan
 - David Gillick

Next meeting:

Monday 2nd September -6.30pm – IN SCHOOL

AGM:

Monday 7th October – 6.30pm – IN SCHOOL

Proposed by:- _____

Seconded by:- _____ **Dated** _____