

Pimperne Primary School PTA meeting
Wednesday 10 November 2021
Meeting held at The Anvil

Attendees: Jonathan Bowell (Chairman), Diz Farnhill, Carole Brannigan, Emma Lane, Emily Vernon, Amanda Dallison, Linzi White, Sarah Alfazema, Sharon Parker, Stacey Parsons, Louise Pearce, Miss Tatham and Sarah Cloke (via video link).

Apologies: Keltie Ford and Lana Parkinson

Review of previous minutes

Dates for the diary

Tuck shops – Fridays after school. Tuck shop table to be situated outside the library or outside (weather dependent). Each item to be sold of 50p. No homemade items please.

- 22 October – Reception – completed – raised £60
- 12 November – Year 1 – **Action:** Emma to share a post to promote via PTA Facebook page
- 3 December – Year 2
- 21 January – Year 3
- 18 February – Year 4
- 25 March – Year 5 & 6

Non-school uniform day

- Friday 10 December (children to bring something in for the Christmas hampers raffle)

Christmas Disco

- Friday 10 December
 - KS1 – 3pm– 4pm – 8 volunteers needed – Sharon and Stacy to lead
 - KS2 - 4:30pm-5:30pm – 8 volunteers needed

Action: DJ/entertainment is booked – Marnie Stark (parent in school) will host this disco on a FOC basis in exchange for promotion to parents of her new children's entertainment business. Tickets will go on sale shortly priced £3.50 each and will be available on ParentMail. A poster to promote the disco will add in Marnie's business and will be added to all classroom doors in the lead up to the disco. **Action:** Drinks and snacks need to be bought for the event.

Hamper raffle - as we did last year. Nick Cloke has kindly offered to run an online raffle to draw the winning numbers.

If anyone goes to Lidl, please could they pick up the large black cardboard boxes that are perfect for the hamper raffles and let Emma Lane know please.

Miss Tatham to action: Tickets to go on sale via Parent Mail for £1 per ticket from Wednesday 1 December – PTA to encourage sales please through class groups. Close of raffle ticket sales on Friday 10 December with the raffle date: Monday 13 December. Hampers to be put together during

the school disco on 10 December. Mrs Waller has a poster already designed to send out to parents to promote.

Christmas lunch – Wednesday 15 December – times to be confirmed. Christmas lunch to be held in school rather than village hall. 6 volunteers needed for KS1 and KS2 – please speak to a member of the PTA if you would like to volunteer.

Selling Christmas Trees – Action: Emma to contact Pete's Christmas Trees to find out if they would like to set up a space to sell Christmas Trees this year and give PTA a donation, if too late for 2021, to be approached for 2022.

Pantomime date: Wednesday 24 November 2021

Action: Jonathan to start drafting a yearly event planner in collaboration with Mrs Waller and Miss Tatham and share in the next meeting plus event rules on number of children per volunteer at events.

Fundraising ideas for 2022:

- Bingo – February
- Non school uniform day – February
- Car wash event
- Music night
- School disco
- Easter Fayre
- Movie nights

Fireworks – Provisional date booked – Friday 4 November 2022. The local company we have approached is charging £4k plus VAT. **Action:** Amanda to go back to the company with a hold message and we will discuss at the next meeting in the new year. **Action:** Emily to send the evaluation notes to Jonathan from the Fireworks event held in 2019.

Proposals for the floor

Accepting financial donations from businesses - Mrs Waller has given direction that she is happy the PTA to accept financial donations. PTA discussed basic rules which include accepting financial donations from businesses as long as they are from legal and morally acceptable businesses. We must continue to be transparent in recording these in the Accounts. Vote on this motion: All in favour.

Role of parents in PTA – Jonathan explained the role of parents within the PTA.

AOB

Autumn colouring competition – thanks to all who entered. £63 was raised from this activity – the standard of the entrants was very high making judging difficult! Prizes were donated from Mrs Waller – a huge thank you for this from the PTA.

Sub committee meeting: tbc

Next date of meeting: Thursday 13 January - tbc (it was agreed that we will rotate meeting dates to different days of the week avoiding Monday and Friday evenings).

Meeting close at: 9:15pm