

St. Joseph's PTA

Minutes from meeting - 8th February 2017 at 19:00

Present:

Mrs Sinclair (President), Rachael Hadley (Chair), Emily Roze (Treasurer), Liz Short (Secretary), Chris Price (Secretary), Julie Beard, Folake Adewumi, Glenroy Elias, Margaret Kirkham, Jacqui Redpath, Susie Spinks

Apologies:

Mark Bradley, Teresa Brady, Clare Churchill, Tracy Cormack, Nicola Crawley, Suzanne Francis, Ann-Marie Newbold, Natalie Pulford, Caroline Schmidt, Craig Squirrel, Helen Topping, Emily Tremain

Minutes from Previous Meeting 30th November

The Minutes were approved.

Noted:

All PTA accounts have now been assigned to the new signatories.

Quiz Night is taking place on Friday 24th February. 7 teams confirmed to date, but many have indicated they'll be attending so PTA optimistic for a sell-out. Rachael's brother will prepare the quiz and act as quiz master for the evening. Liz and Mrs Sinclair will mark the answers. Liz has offered to buy the prizes. Mrs Sinclair to ask Mr Heron to prepare the hall for the quiz by setting up the tables.

School Lottery will see the first draw take place on Saturday 11th February. Parents, friends and family are encouraged to support the school by registering to play.

Participants are entered in to a national draw to win £25,000. The school has a lottery licence, kept in the school safe.

The PTA has agreed a date of Friday 28th April for the next school disco. Unfortunately Mark Bradley is unavailable, so on this occasion the PTA will look to hire a local DJ.

New Business/Updates:

Mrs Sinclair and the PTA have agreed to trial a PTA Facebook page. This will be solely for posting information regarding PTA-led events. No photos of pupils will be put on the page and viewers will not be able to post comments. Rachael will be the administrator for the page.

Any Other Business:

Liz will put together a PTA newsletter after half term. It will include a request for any willing parents to suggest skills that may support the PTA. For example if a parent is able to face paint that is a valuable skill for the forthcoming summer fete.

Julie has purchased pantomime tickets for Christmas 2017. Details will go out in a letter to parents in May, to enable ticket sales well before the end of the school year.

The date for the next meeting is Wednesday 3rd May 2017 at 19:00

Chris Price

Signed by Rachael Hadley.....

Secretary.

Chair.