



## Meeting Minutes – 24<sup>th</sup> January 2017

Staff Room at Grange Primary School – 1:45pm

**Attendees:** -Lyn Corderoy, Leah Dell, Zoe Edginton, Kellie Walter, Jo Lyon, Viv Lawler, Marie Snowsill, Jo H, Angela Wells, Paula Berg, Lucy Ford, Shelly Jerden, Nicola Pirie, Miriam Faulkner.

**Apologies from:** - Sue Shillum, Karen Brook, Louise Holley, Katy Ready, Jo Hennessy, Hina Varia Lorena Gee, Ashley Victory, Sian Simpkins, Sinead Croucher, Claire Watkinson, Wendy Murphy.

### Minutes/Events review since previous meeting

- Sparkle day a success with no hungry tummies reported!
- Some raffle items have now been donated to the local refuge.  
Meal vouchers are still to be used/allocated.  
Look at getting Colchester Zoo tickets.

### Projects

- **Movie Nights – films of 90 minutes seem to work well with pickups**

Suggestions included

Fox and Hound	83 mins
Lilo and Stitch	85 mins
Brother bear	82 mins
Monsters Inc.	92 mins
Aladdin	90 mins
Robin Hood	83 mins
Ant Bully	90 mins
Antz	84 mins

- **Quiz - February 24<sup>th</sup>**  
Agreed to run as a School (non-PTA) event
- **Inflatable day- Fri 21<sup>st</sup> April**  
Inflatables booked (future Summer space held)  
Sinead has kindly agreed to apply for 'match funding' this event.  
It was agreed that lists for helpers need to go up soon to get numbers.
- **Mother's Day**  
Sales scheduled for 14/15/16<sup>th</sup> March - after 1pm  
Gifts already purchased from PMS  
Limit gifts to 2 per pupil  
Speak to Sharon about a sibling list to avoid siblings doubling up on gifts.  
Carrier bags required – keep your spares!
- **Grange Arts festival 17<sup>th</sup> June**  
Planning and preparation taking place in separate meetings.

- **Circus 29<sup>th</sup> September**

Agreed a new ticket price of £8.50 a ticket and free 'babes in arms'.

500 red noses have already been purchased. Further merchandise (inc more noses) to be purchased.

Suggested get-together, after next PTA meeting on 22<sup>nd</sup> March. To discuss particulars (food suppliers review, helpers etc.) Sue Shillum to advise.

- Race night discussed (Chris H and Chris B as potential hosts). Pencilled in for 5<sup>th</sup> May 2017 Mrs Hunter to be asked to enquire about Runwell Primary set up.

### **Lyn's Wish List**

Plan to revamp area outside infant classrooms under way.

### **Up and coming events**

As projects

### **Fundraising ideas**

Look at use of community projects like the token system used at Asda. Several schemes available including Tesco bags of help and Co-op community care. Lucy has applied for Co-op scheme with 1% going back into the school charity.

### **A.O.B**

Zoe has one quote for blackout blinds. Negotiations/other quotes required. (Zoe/Lyn)

**NEXT PTA MEETING - Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 7pm Staff room**