

Minutes of 1st Friends of Blacklands FAB Meeting

Thursday 15th January 2015

Present:

Katie Keleghar - KK Karen Osmond -KO Nina Pelling - NP Jessica Cull - JC Adele Stelfox-Haines - AS Petra Willoughby- PW	Crystal Greenfield- CG Zoe Boyd -ZB Julie Flavell -JF Jo Jones -JJ Val Harvey -VH
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Apologies:

Karen Lapworth

Cara Rogers

Melissa Homewood

1. Co-opt new members:

Zoe Boyd and Julie Flavell to be co-opt on to the committee

Proposed: Katie Keleghar (Chair)

Seconded: Nina Pelling (Secretary)

Duly elected.

2. Funding Priorities:

Committee discussed what we felt were priorities for us to fund. It was agreed that we would fund £200 a year for Val Harvey to continue to buy books for the children to enjoy in their classes. It was also agreed to fund up to £1000 a year for cooking resources for all classes.

VH- is going to let the school staff know that funding is now available from FAB at next staff meeting.

3. Funding request form:

KO- To design a new funding request form for staff members to complete when requesting funds from FAB.

4. Fund raising events:

The committee discussed what types of fun raising events we would like to put on. Events we did in the past and would like to carry on with are the school discos, Summer Fair, Fireworks, Christmas fair, Phil the bag and the egg roll.

We decided that this year KS1 and Reception will no longer do the Easter bonnet competition instead they will take part in the egg roll as well as KS2. Date to be confirmed.

We have decided not to hold a Summer BBQ this year, but to make the Summer Fete in to a family fun day. Trampolines and Bouncy Slide are already booked for Saturday 20th June.

Committee needs to promote Easy Fund raising for parents to shop on line through.

The committee discussed other events we could do to raise funds, idea's put forward to be looked into were: Boot Sales, Quiz Nights, Bike check, Bring and Buy, Jumble sales.

The committee also wants parents, careers and staff's idea's for fund raising, what events would they like to see put on? KO- To design a questionnaire. JF and CG to ask parents in the playground.

5. Launch Disco:

Flyers for Disco to be handed out on the gate on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon.

Set up time 5.30pm, disco to start at 6.30pm and finish at 8.30pm.

Stalls- Candy Floss, Drinks, Sweets, Glow-sticks, Glitter Tattoos and Bar.

KK, KO and AS to do cash and carry run.

6. Any other matters:

JF- To look in to getting new T-shirts for committee members to wear at events in the school colours.

KO- To sort out a new date for Phil the bag.

NP- Has brought 2 new BBQ's for a total cost of £575.91.

KK- To look in to FAB junior, this is about getting the children involved and asking them what events they would like and what they would like the funding to go on. We may be able to do this through the school council, KK to discuss idea with school.

KK- Does FAB want its own logo. We have had an offer to have one done for free. KK to bring some designs to next meeting for committee to discuss and look at.

Thank you all for coming.

Next Meeting Thursday 5th February at Eat @at the park 1.30pm