

BENHALL ST MARY'S PTA

Minutes from meeting – 30th November

ATTENDEES: Chair – Jenny Eaves (JE)

Nanette Teague (NT), Sarah Scrivener (SS), Bridget Revell (BR), Hayden Morris (HM) Angela Pearce (AP), Katrina Mann (KM) Katy Jenkins (KJ)

Apologies: Lynette Cartwright (LC)

Previous minutes confirmed OK.

Finances:

Balance £7791.09

Tuck shop monies to be banked, but decided for KM to keep hold of them to sort floats for Nativity and Hamper raffles

To be paid –

Canopy Invoice £3737.69, £237.59 more than previously agreed to donate but it was agreed that we were happy to pay the extra.

Times Tables Rock Stars £159.50. It was agreed that this would be for the whole school and not to be taken from the allocated class budgets.

Need to allow £200 for class budgets – We will ask teachers to request specific items to be purchased from class budgets by 31/1/19. If nothing is requested we would purchase what we feel is required and will not let the amount to be rolled over to next allocation. Spelling apps discussed as a possibility.

Christmas Craft

Helpers on the day JE, NT,AP, KM

Office to provide a list of names. Woodlands have their concert in the afternoon so it was decided to do them first. Oaks have music 11-12 so not available during this time

Hamper raffle

Children will attend on the day of Christmas Craft in Christmas dress and bring either an item for the hampers or a minimum donation of £1 which will be put towards purchasing further hamper items.

Angela will assemble hampers and display them in the playground each day, selling tickets for £1. KJ to draw tickets afterschool 14th December

Nativity Draw

JE and LC will be at the performances to sell tickets.

Tesco hamper for afternoon play and Friday Street Hamper for the evening performance.

NT has enough tickets for both Hamer and Nativity raffles.

Parent Pay

JE has investigated the possibility of this. Various options available, they mostly have a one off cost and then annual subscriptions. The SCC one currently available is FOC.

Office felt it would create as much work if not more.

JE to go through options with KJ and BR

Thank You Cards

These are to be sent out to all that donated towards the canopy. To check with Becky Peck that list we have includes everyone.

AOB

MUGA and the future of Benhall club discussed and the impact this would have on the school. KJ to look into the trustees of the field etc.

Next meeting – 16th January 9am