



Minutes of the PTFA held in The School on Wednesday 29 February 2012.

Present: Dawn Forbes, Mary Moran, Rachel Duncan, Moira Parkin-Moore, Neil Walker, Maxine Hills, Vinay Pathak, Serena Pitchers

Apologies: Jane McSharry, Theresa Hancox

Disco Update

71 children attended. It has been decided that we will not sell fizzy drinks at future events. After deductions, £133 was banked.

Fashion Show

Despite repeat promotions; flyers, text messages, newsletters; the fashion show has been cancelled. We only had 12 children volunteer to be models. Unfortunately, we have lost out £50 deposit.

Mother's Day Craft Afternoons

Two sessions have been arranged; Tuesday 06 March & Friday 09 March. Both 3.30 - 5.00 pm. A maximum of 30 children per session, at £5 per child.

Any other business

- Film Club commences on Thursday 01 March. This is an external company that comes in, and the children are encouraged to write reviews etc. The PTFA will provide refreshments.
- Fund raising suggestions: Serena has been researching some fund raising opportunities; recycling mobiles, textiles & printer cartridges. It was decided that we would trial the textiles/clothing route - 'Philthebag.co.uk'. Serena will register with 'Philthebag', to allow the bags to be sent home prior to the Easter holidays.
- Mary will forward a hard copy of all minutes to the teachers.
- Hanging baskets: following the success of the festive baskets, we will be sending a flyer home after Easter for Spring/Summer baskets. These will be delivered to school up to June.

- Father's Day craft afternoon: two sessions pencilled in; Monday 11 & Thursday 14 June
- Dawn informed the committee that she would be stepping down as Secretary, with immediate effect. Serena kindly offered to stand in until the AGM. Dawn will forward all necessary templates to Serena. Many thanks for stepping in.

Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 25 April 2012 at 6 pm in The School.