

Christ Church Academy PTA Meeting Minutes 5 th February 2015			Christ Church Academy	
Attendees:	C Johnstone	E Bell		
Sam Lockett	Maxine Rowland	Justine Acheson	Mary Barlow	
W Holdcroft	Tracy Labron	Jayne Green	Jo Yendole	
Apologies:	M Hodson	C Broughton		
C Wright	A Graham	D Fares	A Rowland	B Robbins

	Minutes	Actions/Resp
1	<p>Welcome and Apologies Everyone present introduced themselves and SL welcomed everyone to the meeting.</p>	SL
2	<p>Matters Arising</p> <p>Discos</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – It was decided that another year 5 parent coffee/welcome event alongside a year 5 disco will be run again as this was very successful. – The most recent disco for all school years raised £393.55 <p>Fundraising School council suggestions for future fundraising activities were discussed;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Movie night after school. – Quiz night - family night. – Discos - older children /younger children all felt they should be separate. <p>Other suggestions included Sports events - need to think about fundraising ideas around sport, or outdoor event such as school picnic. Outdoor events using the pizza oven were also suggested. Mrs Johnstone to ask for further feedback from the pupils re all of the above and get details in terms of what they are thinking. This will be done at the next school council after half term.</p> <p>Sports gazebos Mrs Johnstone will investigate further with Mrs Marsden whether further information is available from sports captains regarding sports gazebos.</p> <p>Photos of items purchased for school by the PTA were completed by M Hodson and passed to S Lockett. Thanks to Mr Hodson for doing these photos.</p>	<p>SL</p> <p>CJ</p> <p>CJ</p>

	<p>Website - PTA information is up to date - thanks to Mrs Pointon for updating the information.</p> <p>Christmas raffle - approx. 5000 tickets sold, so balance of 1000 left over.</p> <p>Recent donations from the PTA to school ICT animation software - Mr Coulson happy with his donation for Stop/Go animation software to enhance ICT curriculum. Mr Stynes bench has arrived in school and he is pleased with the purchase.</p> <p>Thank you letter to parents. Letter gone to all parents to say thank you for donating to the PTA (buying raffle tickets etc) and highlighting what the monies have been spent on.</p> <p>Sponsorship – sports kits Funding /sponsorship from Shires Vets Practice has been provided for school football kits, all are now ordered and to be presented to the football team by two vets from Shires.</p>	
3	<p>Treasurers Report</p> <p>Christmas Raffle raised £856 Raffle ticket printing £52.00 and raffle prize £100 Balance - £704 raised is a great effort. Thanks to everyone who bought tickets.</p> <p>D&T bench and stop frame animation paid for as agreed at last meeting PTA insurance has been paid.</p> <p>Total funds in bank = £3637.76</p>	JG
4	<p>100 club update</p> <p>Draw was made for pre-Christmas 100 Club at the Concert: 1st prize – Katy Warren 2nd prize Sally Butler 3rd prize Miss Twigg.</p> <p>It was decided that promotion for the next 100 club in the new school year should start in the summer term. Then Autumn at next parents evening plus new parents evening in October to try to get more 100 Club members.</p>	JA

6	<p>Requests for funding</p> <p>A letter received from Mr Healy / Mrs Bell, donation to early risers for a weather monitor station. Mrs Bell outlined that weather could be monitored each day by early risers – also equipment can be used with a computer and so IT Geography/Science curriculum could also benefit.</p> <p>Approved £150</p> <p>Plus games for early risers etc - Games are used in early risers plus on games afternoons too. Approved.</p>	
	<p>AOB</p> <p>(Jayne Green)</p> <p>Mr Hammond has re donated the year 5 disco fee back to the PTA. THANK YOU to Mr Hammond for his donation.</p>	

Date of Next Meeting - Thursday 26th March 2015, 6.30pm