



The Barlow Parent, Adults and Staff Association

Thursday 4th April 2024, 7pm at Barlow Club

Meeting minutes – 14

Attendees:

Naomi Durham
Charlotte Dobson
Leanne Cooper
Maria Dodds

Minutes:

Actions from previous meeting carried forward

- Notice board (carry forward)
- Mini Medics – This has been given the go ahead and we are just awaiting a date from school as to when's the best time to fit this in with the curriculum. Will then try and fit it in for the same month each year.
- GW has drafted out a 'donation request form' for teacher's to fill in, this will then be passed onto us once authorised by school and we will use the What's App group for all to agree.
- Benefits poster – ND nearly finished (Carry Forward)

The Easter events that took place raised:

- £149.00 raffle
- £18.00 bonnet
- £85.60 bake sale
- Total figure we have been given so far - £252.60

Easy Fundraising – we have recently received another payment from this easy fundraiser taking the total received in our account so far to £250.79. We still have pending payments, and these are paid out quarterly but still have a further £187.71 due on the next payment run and £81.44 pending payments. This is a fantastic amount and we can't thank those enough who donate via this simple tool which costs you know extra to shop!

Be Kind Event – It was decided that we would make this a free to enter event. ND to draw up a form to send home which has '24' things to do to be kind in 2024. Prize for everyone who enters. Forms to be handed in on the 30th April.

National numeracy day is on 22nd May and to celebrate we wanted to take part in a small change challenge. MD said she would get the sweet jars so that these can be used to fill up. 1st class to fill it wins a class prize and the class to raise the most points / money will win a class prize.

Fathers Day – same price will be charged as mothers and others (£1.50). MD & LC to price up choc bars that we can then personalise ready for 14th June.

Olympics Day – to celebrate the Olympics taking place this year we would like to tie in a fundraising event. Ideas so far:

- Bag surprise
- Ring toss (with Olympic colours & have bags in different colour area to choose from)

- 'Olympic Raffle' Ask for prizes to be donated in different Olympic colours – each class collects 1 different colour each for prizes.
- Ask school if they would be happy to organise games

Tokens – it was then raised about us getting some tokens which we can use which parents can obtain through parent pay rather than using cash.

The meeting concluded and the next meeting to be held on Thursday 2nd May at Barlow Club, 7pm.