MINUTES OF SOCA MEETING 21.11.23 6PM

INTRODUCTIONS

Welcome to new member Kerry. Present Joss, Sadie, Richard, Amanda, Vicky. At this point A Daly, Academy Principal joined the meeting. He thanked all members of the SOCA team.

Apologises - Aman, Janet, Paul

MINUTES OF LAST MEETING/MATTERS ARISING

Joss actions – to discuss with Paul as he said previously he would have a look at this for us: *to chase up link on easy funding raising. * Button on ParentPay rounding up.

TREASURERS REPORT

£2748.00 in account at the moment. Richard actioned the sum up and can now link up to other people phones at events. Direct Debits updated.

EVENTS

Year 7 disco went well and £171.75 profit made. Kerry to assist with the pricing of items for upcoming events.

*action to look at signing up parents at events for the easy fundraising site.

Possible look into seeking assistance from parents with certain events i.e. DJ, decorators etc. Businesses that match pound for pound or volunteer days.

Xmas Concert date 13th December but yet to be confirmed and further details to follow. After the Xmas concert any items left over will be donated to school.

GRANTS/APPEALS

Grant applied Borough of Pudsey charity hopefully early December for a decision.

New signage quotes received £96 for roller sign and £260 for tear drop. Agreed Roller Sign to be purchased.

Possible old ones to be re used just to change the design. *Joss to action with A Daly.

*Amanda to action to look into Grants, lottery, gambling licence

Outside Agency – Mentor appeal for Gardening Club to assist pupils. £50 granted for seeds etc.

School appeal for funding for gym equipment following recent upgrade of sports hall. **To be discussed further at the next meeting.**

Appeal for funding for pupil following their pursuit in elite sports with expenses occurred for this pursuit. **Declined.**

FUND RAISING

A discussion on ideas for potential fund raising events.

AOB

Any members wanting to log into the Parentkind to message Joss directly.

MEETING CLOSED AND DATE OF NEXT MEETING TO BE AGREED ON OUR WHATSAPP GROUP.

A MASSIVE THANK YOU TO EVERYONE FOR THEIR CONTINUED SUPPORT