

Newton Poppleford School Association (PTFA)

Autumn 2nd half term 2021 - meeting minutes

Attendees: Teri Murphy (Chair), Henry Odbert (Deputy Chair), Kate Clemens (Secretary), Jon Leeson-Kings (Treasurer), Tilli Beglin, Katy Evans, Bob Tubbs, Emma-Jane Haigh, Georgia Trengrove, Kelly Rogers, Kim Davey, Laura Broughton, Lisa Kavanagh, Magdalena Oprea, Rebecca Burdus, Roberta McLeod, Sarah Furzer, Sarah Quilty, Tanisha Ellis, Terrie Hall, Gemma Joyner, Emily Wiley, Caroline Odbert, Sian Pond, Anna Oldroyd, Camille Harman, Al Findlay, Chloe Pawson-Pounds

Welcome

This is the virtual meeting group to discuss all matters PTFA and fundraising related, anyone is welcome to join by contacting Teri Murphy 07909 798441.

Grant awarded

The PTFA successfully applied for a Magic Little Grant of £500 to fund new splash suits for preschool.

Funding requested from the PTFA

Year 1-6 – £185 to fund a set of 1000 for play projects, KS1 free play and extracurricular clubs. Granted.

£30 funding granted to buy helmets to use with the donated scooters.

Scholastic Book Fair

29th November – 4th December

Books available for the children to look at during the day and for parents to purchase every day after school. They will be for sale at the Christmas Fair.

If we sell over £300, the school get 25% back to spend on their choice of books for the school library. The system is tiered so the more we sell the higher % we get back up to a max of 65%.

The event raised £300.

Class cakes sales back on!

All funds raised by the class bake sale are used by the class teacher for whatever they wish to spend on... resources, experiences, trips.... The money raised stays with your class and anything not spent follows the children into the next year.

2021/2022 dates

Year 6 – October 14th. Raised £146.65

Year 5 – November 11th. Raised £117

Year 4 – December 9th. Raised £123

Year 3 – January 20th

Year 2 – February 17th

Year 1 – March 17th

Reception – May 19th

Preschool – June 16th

Preloved school uniform pop-up shop

Next table top sale at the Christmas fair. All items 50p-£2.

Parish Council Firework Night Event

The Parish council have approached the PTFA first refusal on the concession for all hot food. The PC is proposing a £150 concession fee (funds to go to the NPPFF pavilion charity). In addition, the PTFA will assist with ticket sales and supply stewards on the night. Each steward will receive 2 free tickets.

In general the group felt that this would be a good option whilst also building a relationship with the PC.

Steve at the Canon has agreed to do the BBQ with his equipment free of charge.

The ptfa has now been offered tick shop concession which we have gladly taken.

Tickets to be sold in the school playground.

This event raised a whopping £770

School lottery

Promoted across the meeting page and shared on social media.

Christmas Cards

This was a great fundraiser last year and raised £623. Jody Hall has offered to coordinate the artwork and orders in school again.

This year it raised £600

Christmas Fair - 4th December, school playground.

Keyholder - Teri

Risk Assessment – Kate

First aider – Nick

Poster – Henry

Gazebos – PTFA, Teri x 2, Nick x 2, Al x 3, Tilli, Camille, Laura.

Lights – Al, Teri

Tables – Al, School.

Food – Tilli

Drink – Tilli

Slowcookers – Teri, Georgia, Rebecca, Anna, Kate

Grotto: Santa – Roy the postman. Animals – Henry, Lights – Al, Marshmallow fire pit – Nick, Gifts – Kelly, Decoration...

Kids Choir – Meg Gaston organising

Hamper raffle – Teri. Items donated by school community as per previous years.

External stalls: Looby's kitchen, Tropic.

Stalls: Uniform – Camille. Photo booth – Henry, Al. Nails – Teri. Book Fair – Teri. Xmas jumper swap – Teri.

Craft activity: Reindeer food – Caroline

Craft stalls: Hot chocolate cones – Katy. Sweet cups – Katy. Candy cane reindeer – Gemma. Marshmallow snowmen – Sarah.

Games: Pin the Nose – Gemma. Sweets in the stocking – Kate. Lollipop tree – Emily. Reindeer Hoopla – Sarah. Snowman beanbag toss – Emily. Guess the weight of the cake – Laura. Game prizes – Kate.

The Christmas fair was cancelled due to the weather, four minutes after opening. Thank you to everyone that contributed to making the crafts, edibles and games, and all those people that volunteered their time in setting up and clearing up.

The hamper raffle went ahead the following week and made £480.

The stock salvaged on the day made £40 profit in playground sales.

Thank you to Laura who raffled the cake originally made for the 'guess the weight of the cake stall'. She raised a fantastic £120!

The 'Guess the sweets in the stocking' competition was run exclusively as a free competition for this group as a thank you to everyone for all their hard work.

Fundraising totals for the Autumn term

Mini Summer Fete - £950

Book Fair - £300

Bonfire Night - £770

Christmas Hamper Raffle - £480

Christmas cards - £600

Christmas sale and donations - £40

Looby's Kitchen Cake Raffle – £120

Magic Little Grant - £500

Teracycle crisp packets - £47

PTFA Purchases

Pergola, Aardman Animation workshop, Year 1 carpet, Christmas Crafting, Theatre Alibi visit, Bike helmets, Preschool puddlesuits, Adventure Island outdoor classroom, Author session, Kapla blocks, Brand new books, Buddy benches.

Dates for diaries

Friday 8th April – Easter Eggstravaganza

Friday 8th July – Summer Fair

Anyone can join this group by contacting Teri Murphy, Chair 07909 798441