

La Fontaine Academy minutes of PTA meeting held 30/10/2014

(The meeting began at 8.49 pm)

Attendees – Chair: Leah Harley-Taplin, Deputy Chair: Tanya Stevens, Treasurer: Sarah Gray, Media/IT Consultant: Sabine Loisy, Secretary: Jenny Lee

Halloween Party – thanks were given to all who helped organise. Total raised was £650 to go towards improvements to playground and garden.

The Minutes from the previous PTA meeting were approved.

Bank Account – progress of bank account is to be followed up by Sarah.

Christmas Fayre – stalls and activities were discussed and condensed to the following:

- (1) Refreshment stall (Nathan Hardman to be contacted with regard to licence)
- (2) School tea towel (Sarah to research prices)
- (3) Christmas cards (Leah to research prices)
- (4) Bottle tombola
- (5) Activity stall – biscuits (ask Sharon)
- (6) Craft stalls to be offered to parents for £12 to £18
- (7) Second hand toy stall
- (8) Face painting
- (9) Lucky dip (with socks around paper fireplace)
- (10) Christmas present stand for children to buy their parents presents
- (11) Christmas carols (ask Bishop Justus)
- (12) Silent auction
- (13) Sweet tombola

Skills bank – email to be sent to parents

Donation – to be set up once bank account set up

PTA meeting in evenings – parents to be asked for time preferences

Use of existing proceeds – the PTA is to liaise with the school regarding which books /musical instruments

French language books for library – Sabine to approach European bookshop, Tanya to approach Lycee Francais

Waitrose green tokens – at next general meeting there will be a plea for parents to collect leaflets and in due course a model statement will be on website or in book bag

Website- Sabine is to look into short-term hosting

Magazine subscriptions – National Geographic subscription was approved, Pomme d'Api subscription to be researched

Year 2 representative – Kate to be approached

(The meeting finished at 10.47 pm)