

FOW Meeting Minutes – 02.03.2022

Present: Gemma Ruffle (GR), Kerri (KG), Gemma Rushton (GRush), Marcia (MY), Claire (CE), Cheryl (CM), Rachel (RC)

Apologies: Beth, Catherine

1. Leavers Hoodies

- * Deadline Monday 7th March for payments.
- * 14 pupils and Mrs Taylor (not Mr Hickman).

2. School Disco

- * Made £42.80 profit, which was more than expected.
- * Glow sticks were popular.
- * Aaron was very popular and we had excellent feedback.
- * Lots of crisps left, as the children were too busy dancing!
- * GRuff will do a Dojo form to see what parents are willing to pay for future discos.
- * Only feedback was that some parents asked if the disco would be straight after school.... Mrs Ruffle says no! Some of the excitement is to come back to school and get dressed up!
- * Next Disco is booked for Friday 20th May.

3. Non Uniform Day

- * Made £77 (about 80 children in the school).

4. Rags 4 Riches

- * Made £34.60 – without having to do anything!
- * Potentially do another collection in the summer term.
- * GRuff to possibly put a notice on the Wroxton village Facebook page, for villagers to donate too.

5. Easter Bingo and Raffle

- * Friday 25th March - 6:30pm start.
- * Ask parents for Easter egg / Easter item donations for prizes - GRuff to ask on Dojo, also remind staff for donations too.
- * CE to ask her friend for an Easter egg hamper prize.
- * Bingo cards - can FOW buy a ream of paper for the bingo cards please? GRuff to create them.
- * Refreshments - tea, coffee, squash. Sweets, crisps (from disco). "Light refreshments available".
- * RC to do posters.
- * Format: 3 games, break for refreshments, 3 games? Line and a house.
- * GRuff to check with her friend approx how long it takes.
- * 1 bingo version, not split between adults/children.
- * GRuff to be the caller.
- * £1 for Bingo booklet / £5 for 6.
- * Raffle to be held too.

6. Queen's Jubilee gift

- * Mrs Guinness has picked a pin badge from the list of cheaper commemorative options.
- * 89p each.
- * GRuff to forward details to KG to order.
- * To be given to all 86 children and staff - order 100, to cover everyone.

7. Summer Jubilee Fete

- * 34 responses from the online form - Friday after school = 1st choice / 12pm - 2pm Sat = 2nd choice.
- * Decided on Friday 10th June, 3:15-5:30pm.
- * Invite the village.

- * BBQ or hog roast? CE to ask her husband to do hog roast - find out hire cost etc.
- * Need a veggie option.
- * Tea party style - sandwiches and cakes. Do a "Wroxton Subway" – have the pre-cut rolls and then we fill them according to each person's individual preference.
- * Alcohol licence? No - park this for another year, as Friday isn't the best for drinkers.
- * Refreshments - Tea, coffee, squash.
- * Ask for Cake donations for cake stall.
- * Planting seeds - CM to get plant pots.
- * Face painting - Union Jacks. Mrs. Ledo? MY has face paints.
- * Tattoo transfers? Union Jack ones - GRuff to look for some.
- * Tombola (request for donations on non-uniform day)

Competitions:

- Fancy dress (kings, queens, knights) ready for 4pm judging - 1st/ 2nd/ 3rd overall.
- Decorate a crown (do at home and bring in for judging) – a winner per class.
- Royal quiz
- **Junk modelling castle building =No**
- Tallest tower challenge (Lego)
- Water challenge?

Games:

- Silly games e.g. splat the rat
- Mrs Guinness to do the choc rug game again
- Tin can alley
- Beat the goalie
- Skittles
- Pin the tail on the Corgi – GRush to create the Corgi?
- Wellie wanging

- * Raffle - KG to check ref the licence dates. ~3 week turn around to order raffle tickets - order to be done in April and then ticket books can go out at the beginning of May.
- * KG/ CE to ask for prizes, try to get different prizes from Xmas. GRush to ask for massage/waxing prize. GRuff to email KG list of Xmas prizes for reference.
- * Adderbury Uke group happy to play, CM said they would be FOC. Time slots x2 30mins for sing along.
- * MY to ask Beth (from the village) for her contacts (e.g. splat the rat kit) and also look into borrowing a garden games kit.
- * Start advertising earlier rather than later - Newsletter (RC), Dojo & Facebook (GRuff)

Timetable:

3:15pm – Mrs. Guinness opens the fete
 3:30pm – Adderbury Ukes
 4pm – Crown parade and prizes
 4:15pm – Fancy dress parade and prizes
 4:30pm – Maypole or local dance group - RC to ask her contact for the Adderbury Morris dancers?
 5pm – Ukes
 5:30pm – Fete close

8. Non Uniform - Pre Fete

- * Ask for Summer Jubilee Fete Tombola donations.
- * Wednesday 25th May.

9. Non Uniform – Final term of the year

- * Normal £1 donation.
- * Wednesday 6th July.

10. Summer Gift Fair

- * GRuff already has a list of stall holders from Christmas, plus the additional businesses that were interested.
- * Doesn't take much organising and is a good money maker.
- * **To discuss at future meeting.**

11. Quiz Night

- * **TBC**
- * Wait to see how popular the Bingo is.
- * Preference from the online form was a Friday night, rather than Thursday.

12. Sponsored event for the children

- * Link a sponsorship event to the Jubilee or to the playground equipment?
- * 70 sporting/exercise circuits task?
- * School sports week - summer term w/c June 20th - do a sponsored sporty event during this week?
- * GRuff to speak to Mr Hickman and Mr Mawn for ideas.

13. Pre-Loved Uniform Sale

- * Made about £19.
- * Next to be on Tuesday 5th April – 3pm.
- * Donations requested between Tues 29th and Thurs 31st March.
- * GRush to bring the summer uniform for the next one.
- * This is the same day as 1 of the parents evenings – if they are 'in-person' meetings, maybe leave it out for the parents evening, with an honesty box?

AOB:

Bank - KG to look into.

New starters in September - possibly have pre loved uniform stall if the new starters have an open evening.

Parents evening refreshments (if 'in-person' meetings) - MY to ask if the governors do this? They might be able to man the pre loved uniform stall?

RC said about the Easter egg decorating competition that was previously done at school - if it is mentioned by staff as a school event, then we could possibly donate the prizes.

Next meeting:

Wednesday 27th April – 7pm – Kestrels Classroom.