



**NEWCHURCH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA
MINUTES OF COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD ON THURSDAY 27TH APRIL 2017 AT 19.30 IN SCHOOL**

Present	Apologies
Angela Carnochan (Chair)	Jill Saunders
Mrs Lawrenson	
Helen Buckley	
Debi Maloney	
Tina Shaw	
Lisa Bielinski	
Kerri Shepherd	
Vicky Beddall	

Welcome/Apologies

Apologies from Jill Saunders.

Feedback/Financial Update

The Easter Bingo made over £500.

Zumba has made over £90.

The Valentine's Disco made over £495.

The quiz made a loss – maybe we should drop it from the calendar.

These figures don't include Sainsbury's – the support ends in July in line with the school year. We've got one more bag pack on the weekend of the 5th, 6th and 7th May.

Ange is going to try to sort out a Round Robin for spring. Maybe we could have a chart with the fundraising on.

Air Con

Mrs Lawrenson said that she'd had a quote – it was competitive but she's still awaiting further confirmation. This is Tom Morton (Ben and Joseph's dad) who is sorting this out.

Chatty Hut

These come as either a hexagonal or octagonal shaped gazebo-type structure.

It will be decked as it's on grass and will have shingled roofing.

We could get three quotes and go through Procurement.

£6350 would be the minimum spend on the lowest spec.

There'd be just the one chalkboard inside.

Hoodies

Ange ordered fourteen hoodies at £20 each.

Water Bottles

Tina has been talking to the company about the artwork. She had wanted it sorted by SATs week. It's in progress.

Tea Towels

There are still a few left to sell. Everything in the bank now is profit.

Forthcoming Events

Summer Disco

This is on Friday 19th May from 18.00-20.00.

Rose is doing the tickets for £1.50 each as there's no DJ.

We've got lots of crisps and chocolate left from the bingo.

Kerri wanted it minuting that we owe a huge thanks to Jill for the Easter Bingo. She did a cracking job.

Newchurch Garden Party

This will be at Leigh Golf Club on Saturday 17th June from 16.00 onwards. It's a family event.

Tickets will be £10 for adults and £5 for children.

The ticket price for the golf club is £6.50 for adults and £4 for children so they've been rounded up to make a profit.

There will be cocktails and mocktails, party food and canapés. There will also be carvery meat in a bun and a salad bar.

Numbers will be limited to 150 including children.

The double doors will open to outside (weather permitting).

The candy floss and bangy hammer people will be coming. There'll be a candy cart as well selling bags of sweets.

There'll be a game of 'water or wine'. We need to ask for donations of screw top bottles of white wine.

A children's entertainer has also been booked to attend from 16.00-19.00.

Maybe we could also have a bouncy castle and/or coconut shy.

The Cherry Tree is having a race night and quiz. Maybe we could put together a PTA team.

Any Other Business

Maybe we could have a dress down day once per half term? It could raise a lot of money. We could theme them: spots, stripes, class colours, etc.

Mrs Lawrenson would love to have a pyjama day.

Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 18th May at 19.30 in school.

Helen Buckley, Secretary
16th May 2017